Tri-parish Human Concerns Committee

The purpose of the Human Concerns Committee is to discern the needs of people in the parish and wider community – especially the poor – and identify resources to meet those needs while enlisting the active support and participation of parish members. This committee helps to fulfill the justice dimensions of scripture and our Catholic social teaching tradition while acknowledging that every Christian is called to service and to work for justice.

On March 20th the Tri-parish Pastoral Council tasked the Tri-parish Human Concerns Committee to begin regular joint meetings every other month on a regular rotation at all three parishes. These meetings are to be attended by Human Concerns Liaison to the Tri-parish Pastoral Council and held to hear reports from active sub-committees and to plan and facilitate joint activities. In this first year, the meetings will be lead by a Human Concerns Chair and held on the first or second Tuesday of a scheduled month to begin at 6:30 p.m. according to these dates: May 1, 2018 at St. Charles, July 10 at St. Joseph, September 4 at St. Mary, and November 6 at St. Charles.

Tri-parish sub-committees known include:
  Outreach
  Pro-Life
  TLC
  Love, Inc.
  Pastoral Care
  St. Vincent de Paul
  Boy Scouts
  Girl Scouts
  Eucharistic Adoration
  Prayer Network
  Catholic Teaching on Social Issues
  Twinning Committee
  Holy Family Ministry
  Book Club
  Prison Ministry

All sub-committee members and those interested in learning more about the Human Concerns ministry in our tri-parish are asked to attend the meeting on May 1 in Andre Hall at St. Charles from 6:30-7:30 p.m.