

Love ought to show
itself in deeds



MORE THAN WORDS.

- St. Ignatius of Loyola

WHAT?

SOCIAL JUSTICE AND COMMUNITY SERVICE GROUP

- ❖ MONTHLY SOCIAL JUSTICE THEME OR COMMUNITY SERVICE PARTNER
 - INCORPORATES ASPECTS/THEMES OF CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING
- ❖ FALL 2018 - THE DIGNITY OF WORK & THE RIGHTS OF WORKERS
- ❖ SPRING 2019 - RIGHTS & RESPONSIBILITIES

WHO?

HIGH SCHOOL & MIDDLE SCHOOL STUDENTS

- ❖ WITH THE SUPPORT OF THE ENTIRE ST. THOMAS COMMUNITY!

WHEN?

- ❖ MEETINGS ON WEDNESDAY, 5:00 - 6:15 PM, O'LEARY HALL
- ❖ MONTHLY SERVICE DAY ON SATURDAY (OR SUNDAY)
 - SPEND SEVERAL HOURS SERVING IN THE COMMUNITY SURROUNDING THE THEME

WHERE?

- ❖ TUCSON METROPOLITAN AREA
- ❖ NOTE: SERVICE SITES MAY CHANGE

WHY?

- ❖ FINDING CHRIST IN THE POOR AND THE MARGINALIZED

QUESTIONS?

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SEPTEMBER: WORK/FAMILY BALANCE

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: 9/22**
GOSPEL RESCUE MISSION

OCTOBER: INTEGRITY OF WORK

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: 10/6**
EAGLES WINGS OF GRACE

NOVEMBER: FAIR WAGES & CONDITIONS

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: 11/10**
BEACON FOUNDATION/GOODWILL

DECEMBER: THE POWER OF REST

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: 12/15**
SISTER JOSE WOMEN'S CENTER

JANUARY: BASIC HUMAN RIGHTS

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: 1/19**
MARCH FOR LIFE/HABITAT FOR HUMANITY

FEBRUARY: COMMUNITY

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: TBA**
JOHN VALENZUELA YOUTH CENTER

MARCH: SEARCHING FOR GOD

- ❖ **SERVICE & REFLECTION: TBA**
REDEMPTORIST RENEWAL CENTER

APRIL: BECOMING THE BEST VERSION OF OURSELVES

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: TBA**
YOUTH ON THEIR OWN/HIGHER GROUND

MAY: OUR PERSONAL RESPONSIBILITIES

- ❖ **SERVICE DAY: TBA**
ST. VINCENT DE PAUL

HOW CAN YOU HELP?

Even though our program is for the teens, we still need the support of the entire parish community!

- ❖ If a group you are involved with wants to **incorporate social justice** and partner with youth, send us an email! We'd love to work something out with you!
- ❖ If you're interested in **joining our planning team**, please let us know! We always welcome people passionate about leading teens to Christ by serving others as the hands and feet of Christ in the world.
- ❖ If you have a **suggestion** for a theme, an action item or a service partner, send us an email! We love suggestions and making new connections!
- ❖ Last, but certainly not least, we need your **prayers**. We ask that, each month, you pray for all those affected by or related to the theme that we are discussing.