

SVDP Quarterly Report for January 1st to March 31st, 2015.

The St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Rita meets every 1st and 3rd Tuesday monthly in the St. Rita Convent at 6:30 p.m. All registered members of St. Rita are eligible to join. We have 12 active members.

The beginning balance in our treasury was \$2,263.75 Our receipts were \$122.00 from members' donations, \$3,337.00 from our church collections. We disbursed \$3,090.01 in aid to the poor and incurred operating expenses of \$26.68. Plus we gave \$400.00 to Southside meal program.

During this period, we provided food to 169 people (including 52 children), furniture vouchers to 4 people and clothing vouchers to 6 people. Rent assistance was provided for 1 person. The rectory staff provided 33 bus cards so people could go to work or medical appointments. Spiritual aid or sacraments were provided to 41 people. Together we served 296 people (including 40 children) at the South Side Meal program. Our members travelled 281 miles over 182 hours to provide these services.

None of the above would have been possible without the support of the parishioners of St. Rita Parish and the parish office staff. Together we will continue our efforts to help the needy members of our community and hope and pray that our efforts will help improve the spiritual and economic lives of all we encounter.