

## **SVDP Quarterly Report for October 1<sup>st</sup> to December 31<sup>st</sup>, 2018**

The St. Vincent de Paul Society of St. Rita meets every first and third 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 \$ 930.56. Our receipts were \$ 163.00 from members' donations, \$ 2,114.00 from our church collections and \$ 4,547.55 from other donations. We disbursed \$ 2,313.97 in aid to the poor and incurred operating expenses of \$ - 0 -.

During this period, we provided food to 241 people (including 86 children), furniture vouchers to 30 people, clothing vouchers to 7 people, an appliance to 1 person. Rent assistance was provided for 8 people and heating assistance for - 0 - people. The Parish Office staff provided 30 bus tickets so people could go to work or medical appointments. Together we served 338 people (including 38 children) at the South Side Meal program. Our members travelled 181 miles over 199 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.