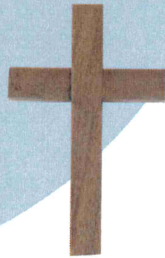


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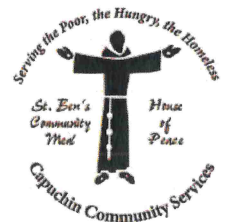
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Please support these St. Catherine's Advent Giving 2021 ministries to the people in the Milwaukee area who need help. Envelopes for monetary donations can be found in your regular packet of contribution envelopes and are available at church. Place your sealed donation in the collection baskets or return it to the parish office or drop box throughout the Advent season. Thank you and blessings of peace and joy be with you and your family. Your generosity is very much appreciated!

Capuchin Community Services

Inspired by the gospel of Jesus and the example of Francis of Assisi, the Capuchin friars of the Province of Saint Joseph, together with their partners in ministry, prayerfully build sister-brotherhood in the world. They attend simply and directly to the spiritual and other basic human needs, especially those of the poor and disenfranchised, promoting justice for all. Their center is located at 1927 Vel R. Phillips Ave, Milwaukee, WI 53212, (414) 374-8841, capuchincommunityservices.org.



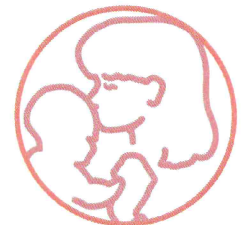
Franciscan Peacemakers

Franciscan Peacemakers connects women survivors of sexual exploitation to safe housing, meaningful work and a healing network of support. They work for an end to human sex trafficking through service and advocacy because they believe that everyone is created to enjoy peace and all good. Through their Street Ministry, the Franciscan Peacemakers have had a visible presence on the streets since 1995 distributing bag lunches and personal hygiene items, allowing them to be in contact with women engaging in prostitution due to trauma, human sex trafficking, or drug addiction. They are located at 3333 W Lisbon Ave, Milwaukee, WI, (414) 562-4780, franciscanpeacemakers.org.



Women's Care Center

Women's Care Center provides free, confidential counseling, support and education for pregnant women. Free pregnancy testing and ultrasounds help determine viability and dates (prenatal medical care and abortions not provided). They serve 30,000 women annually from 34 centers in 12 states, including Florida, Illinois, Indiana, Kentucky, Maryland, Michigan, Minnesota, Nebraska, North Dakota, Ohio, Pennsylvania & Wisconsin. View their website at womenscarecenter.org to learn more about the Women's Care Center.



Mitten Tree

The Mitten Tree will be set up in our worship space behind the cantor stand. Gifts of hand-made or purchased new mittens, gloves, scarves and hats may be brought in and placed in the collection box near the Mitten Tree through out the Advent season. The items will be donated to St. Vincent de Paul and other charities.

