

**Saint Thomas Aquinas Social Justice Committee
Minutes: September 6, 2022**

Present: Chris, Mary Ellen, Chuck, Francis, Ann, Paula

Prayer: Chris

Minutes of August 2: Approved

Discussions:

There will be a Ministry Spotlight on the SJC ministry at all masses on the weekend of September 17-18. Volunteers were assigned to attend all masses. Francis will provide a video highlighting "10 Things You Should Know About Laudato Si."

Care for Creation:

An ecumenical prayer service will be held for its third year, at St. Cecilia, beginning at 1:00 pm on Sunday, October 2.

Coffee Sales:

Parishioner Tim Mooney has suggested that we try to expand our Honduras coffee sales to other parishes, churches, in our area in order to further aid and support our sister community.

STA building:

Due to SJC's et al. interest in moving toward Care of Creation, we discussed our support of beginning with small steps, such conversion to LED lightbulbs throughout the structure of STA. Other considerations—i.e., replacing the boiler and the windows—are also necessary.

Next Meeting: October 4 @ 6:00 pm

Respectfully submitted by Paula Friederich

Minutes Approved October 11, 2022