

## Christ the King Parish, Coventry,

### Justice and Peace Group

#### Activities 2018-2019

- **Fair Trade:** We organise a Fair Trade shop which is open after all Sunday Masses. We serve Fair Trade tea and coffee after all Masses. There has been a special display during Fair Trade fortnight. We are a fair trade parish.
- **Refugees:** Support for Carriers of Hope, a local project, which offers practical help and friendship to refugees by collecting items of school uniforms, food, kitchen equipment, bedding, push chairs, baby equipment etc..
- **Prisoners of Conscience:** Every Christmas, cards are sent to Prisoners of Conscience and Human Rights groups in other countries.
- **CAFOD:** Their campaigns are supported by signing their campaign cards, promoting Harvest and Lenten collections and through displays.
- **Christians in Palestine:** We send messages to them at Christmas and remember them in our displays at Christmas.
- **Raising awareness in the parish:** We have a dedicated display board for Justice and Peace. During the year there have been displays concerning refugees, Christians in Palestine; Fair Trade, Creation, Peace initiatives, CAFOD campaigns and Live Simply.
- **Coventry Night Shelter:** Members of the group and parish have been involved in volunteering at the shelter on during the winter months and cooking meals for the homeless.
- **Live Simply.** We have achieved our Live Simply award and continue to support relevant campaigns such as reducing plastic waste.

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