

**St. Joseph and St. John Neumann  
Cluster Planning and Coordination  
Cluster Plan**

2008 - 2009

Priority Issue Four: Share Parish Services Related to Community Outreach and Social Justice

October 2008

<b>Specific Goals</b>	<b>Key Resources</b>	<b>Key Structure</b>	<b>Basic Timeline</b>	<b>First Year Actions</b>	<b>Sub Committee (s)</b>
1. Provide Links to websites directing people to information	Parishioners, Websites, Diocese	Pastor Approval Webmasters	2009: Begin Research 2009: Implement up approval	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Research Diocese Resources</li> <li>➤ Determine Specific Areas of Need</li> </ul>	None
2. Focus on "Ministry of the Poor" (similar to St. Vincent DePaul) to determine their needs in helping the poor.	1. Parishioners, 2. Ministry of the Poor Organization 3. Comprehensive Plan of Responsibilities and Procedures.	Ministry of the Poor Organization Catholic Charities Diocese Social Concern	2008 Begin dialogue on Needs of the Ministry of the Poor. 2009: Implement ways to help reaching out to poor.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Discuss with existing organization and the poor their needs and how to help them</li> <li>➤ Reach out for more local volunteers</li> </ul>	Joint Ministry of the Poor Committee Social Concern Committee
3. Select Justice Projects to build awareness of root causes of poverty	Parishioners, Diocese's Social Justice Resource	Social Just Network Group	2009: Identify Projects, then Implement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Identify Projects with help of Diocese</li> <li>➤ Implement Awareness Ideas</li> </ul>	Social Justice Network Committee
4. Find ways to educate people regarding legislation on peace, justice, and life issues	Parishioners	Social Justice - Network	2009 Begin Research, then Implement	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Develop Network of receiving "Alerts" and issuing them to parishioners.</li> </ul>	Social Justice Network Committee. With Sub-Committees for each, individual area of concern
5. Strengthen parish coordination of Ministries to incorporate above goals	Staff, and Parishioners	Existing Ministries	2008: Begin identifying areas 2009-2010 Integrated and Coordinated Cluster of Ministries.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>➤ Identify areas of need or clarify needs by parish.</li> <li>➤ Education of Ministries</li> </ul>	Various ministries under Community Outreach