# Do some Christmas shopping



# **AND HELP SOMEONE IN NEED**

# **Shop Differently...Give the Gift of HOPE!**

St. James-St. Leo Community

# Christmas Market & Faire

Parish Hall Sunday, December 9 8:30 – II:30 a.m.

"This Christmas, give the gift of ministry by supporting what our Parish does for the poor all year round".....Deacon Peter Hodsdon

# **Give Differently This Year!**

Give gifts this year that celebrate the meaning of Christmas...gifts that honor the birth of Jesus by continuing his work. St. James-St. Leo Community ministries and associated organizations will provide opportunities for shoppers to buy goods and services that demonstrate our commitment to justice and respect for human dignity.

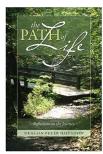
**NEW this year....COMMUNITY BREAKFAST!** The Knights of Columbus will be serving a delicious breakfast of buttermilk pancakes, scrambled eggs, country potatoes, sausage, fresh fruit, juice, & coffee for \$7.00; kids 12 and under are ½ price. **Come enjoy a family breakfast!** 





Take a look at what's available at the Christmas Market & Faire!

## **CHRISTMAS MARKET:**





Inspirational books by author and noted homilist, Deacon Peter Hodsdon

The Path of Life \$15.95 The Dawn from on High \$18.50

### Personalized Jewelry by Frances Birchall

Benefits Friends of Kenya Orphans to provide shelter and education to Kenyan girls living in the streets.

Most items \$5.00- \$25.00



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#### **Branch Out Market**

Provides unique, hand-made limited edition items where every product has a story ar every purchase makes an impact.

Greeting cards with pressed flowers made by South African women Bracelets of rolled paper beads benefit an Orphanage in Zambia Leather wallets, key chains, dog collars, leashes, etc. from South Africa Christmas ornaments, beaded, benefit an orphanage in Swaziland Baskets & Table Runners from Guatemala Clutches & scarves, handmade, made from repurposed saris from India

Candles, soy hand-poured, from new moms program in Chicago

Founded by parishioner Rachel McKinney Prices from \$8 - \$315

## **Rise Up Industries - Fair Trade coffee**

There is only ONE thing more satisfying than sipping your favorite fresh-brewed cup of coffee in the morning, and that is knowing you are helping transform someone's life with every sip.

12 oz bag \$10.00





#### **CRS Fair Trade Chocolate**

Offered by Catholic Relief Services. Divine chocolate is coowned by 85,000 farmers in Ghana who grow the cocoa for each bar of Divine chocolate. \$4.00 - \$8.00

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## **Knights of Columbus**

Offering Christmas cards to celebrate the birth of Christ with traditional scenes of the Nativity and the Holy Family with a meaningful message inside.

Pack of cards ranging from \$3.50-\$12.00



(stock photo similar to items for sale)

## St. James-St. Leo Mental Health Ministry

Potted Succulents \$5.00 - \$25.00

To benefit Training Center, a faith-based drug and alcohol treatment center in Spring Valley, to make goodie bags for men in treatment and to support St. James-St. Leo Mental Health Ministry events.

JAS Inspired Art by Award-Winning Artist & Parishioner, Julie A. Sanderson

Prints: \$15.00 - \$42.00

Greeting & note cards: \$4.00 – \$20.00

To benefit St. James-St. Leo Mental Health Ministry



Julie A. Sanderson, Artist





# Lizatards Apparel by Parishioner, Liz Truxaw

Ladies' t-shirts priced as marked

To benefit St. James Academy Scholarship Program

### **CHRISTMAS FAIRE**

Items purchased from the following ministries are a cash donation to support the program you select. You will receive a Christmas card to give to the recipient and an insert that describes the organization and the program you selected in his/her honor.

### **Eudist Associates**

\$25 helps support a retired priest \$35 helps support tuition for a Seminarian

Also selling:

Biography of St. John Eudes: \$9.95

Prayer books: \$12.75 each or \$51 for set of 4



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"Providing Opportunities to Grow Our Future."

#### La Colonia de Eden Gardens Foundation

- \$20 helps provide a college scholarship for local youth
- \$20 supports Teenology Ranger After-School Program

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### **MissionArts Education**

\$25 buys equipment and supplies for music instruction in this free music and arts program for low-income children: guitars, keyboards, teaching & music books



North County Immigration and Citizenship Center (NCICC)



\$35 provides a study workbook for one citizenship candidate \$200 provides naturalization services for one new citizen candidate

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#### **Shoes to the World**

\$30 buys 5 pairs of shoes for children living in extreme poverty

As a family, organization, or company consider sponsoring a shoe distribution. See us at our table for more information.



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## St. James-St. Leo Medical-Dental Program

\$75 pays for needed medications for one person per year

\$50 pays for a chest x-ray

\$50 buys 2 bottles of insulin

\$25 pays for lab tests

\$15 pays for blood pressure medication for 6 weeks

\$15 pays for dental exam and fluoride, sealants, fillings, and/or x-rays

### St. James-St. Leo Mission Circle

\$20 helps buy shoes for local school students

\$25 helps a girl from Casa Eudes with college expenses

\$10 buys 40 meals at the annual Food Packaging Event





# St. James-St. Leo Youth Ministry

\$25 helps with expenses for a youth attending World Youth Day in Panama

\$2,677 sponsors a youth for World Youth Day in Panama



handmade wooden crosses: \$15 & up

Christmas candles: \$3 Christmas ornaments : \$3

bracelets with religious medals & images: \$10 & up



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### St. James-St. Leo Outreach Partners

- <u>Author Deacon Peter Hodsdon</u> recognized as a noted homilist and author of two books, Deacon Peter is an ordained Permanent Deacon in the St. James-St. Leo Catholic Community. deaconpeter@stjames-stleo.com
- **Branch Out Market** founded by parishioner Rachel McKinney, Branch Out Market is a curated social impact market that partners directly with artisans and nonprofits. www.branchoutmarket.com
- <u>Catholic Relief Services</u> carries out the commitment of the United States Conference of Bishops to assist the poor and vulnerable overseas. www.crs.org/
- <u>Eudist Associates</u> created for laypersons to share in the Eudist spirituality and mission and support the Eudist priests and seminarians. http://stjamesandleo.org/group/eudist-associates/
- <u>Friends of Kenya Orphans</u> helps provide shelter and education for Kenyan girls living in the streets. Jewelry is created by parishioner and missionary, Frances Birchall. mwendasolanabeach@sbcglobal.net
- **Knights of Columbus** committed to family, community, church, & parish, the KOC is a fraternal organization of practicing Catholic men. www.kofc12749.org
- <u>La Colonia de Eden Gardens Foundation</u> founded to help reduce drug and gang violence, to support local youth by helping them to make positive choices, and to provide greater resources for residents. www.lceg.org
- <u>MissionArts Education</u> creates opportunities for low-income students to engage with passionate musicians and artists, cultivate life skills, and establish identity through art. https://sites.google.com/site/missionartseducation
- North County Immigration and Citizenship Center helps immigrants navigate the complicated legal and cultural path to citizenship; a faith-based, non profit organization. www.northcountycitizenship.org
- **Rise Up Industries** provides former gang members hope, kinship, and opportunities. riseupindustries.org/
- <u>Shoes to the World</u> distributes new shoes to children living in extreme poverty to prevent injury and disease. Founder Clara Marsden from St. Patrick's partners with St. James-St. Leo in shoe distributions in local schools. www.shoestotheworld.org/
- <u>St. James-St. Leo Medical-Dental Program</u> provides care to uninsured individuals through an all-volunteer group of medical, dental, and administrative personnel. stjamesandleo.org/group/st-leo-medical-dental-clinic/
- St. James-St. Leo Mission Circle helps improve the lives of those in need with volunteers in the St. James-St. Leo Catholic Community. www.missioncircle.com/