

Social Justice Group Projects:

Some groups may find these websites and contact information helpful:

Volunteer Match

Provides a search for local volunteer opportunities for teens:

<http://www.volunteermatch.org/results/?sortby=newness&zip=75229&radius=20&category=Everything&isTeen=1&submit=y&Search=Search>

United States Conference of Catholic Bishops Department of Social Development and World Peace: Provides information on Catholic social teaching and on the church's positions on issues of justice and peace.

<http://www.usccb.org/sdwp/index.shtml>

Ten Great Volunteer Ideas for Teens: Provides a variety of ideas for teens ages 14-18.

<http://life.familyeducation.com/volunteer-work/teen/29594.html>

Family Volunteering: You're never too young or too old to lend a hand. Discover how you and your family can make a difference in the lives of others, while enriching your own.

<http://life.familyeducation.com/volunteer-work/social-work/33599.html?detoured=1>

Volunteer Center of Dallas County

(214) 826-6767 volunteernorthtexas.org

2800 Live Oak St, Dallas, TX 75204

North Dallas Shared Ministries

2875 Merrell Road. Dallas, Texas 75229-4702. 972-620-8696

www.ndsm.org

North Texas Food Bank

NTFB seeks to eliminate hunger by distributing **food** through a network of nonprofit organizations.

www.ntxfoodbank.org

Buckner Children and Family Services

Buckner Children and Family Services, based in Dallas, Texas, is a diverse global ministry to children.

www.bucknerchildren.org

American Cancer Society

In My Community - Provides a local resource for individuals interested in supporting the Search for the Cure.

http://www.cancer.org/docroot/com/com_0.asp

Free the Children:

Provides ideas for helping children impacted by poverty:

http://www.freethechildren.com/programs/schoolbuilding/schoolbuilding_schoolandhealthkitsfaq.htm#002

The following Web pages may be helpful as you investigate 3rd World Nations:

Language Arts: Social Justice Issues in Third World Countries.

- <https://www.cia.gov/cia/publications/factbook/index.html> CIA World Factbook - Individual Statistics - Searched by country.
- <http://www.un.org/issues/m-ldc.html> UN: Least Developed, Landlocked and Small Island Developing Countries.
- <http://www.un.org/esa/> UN: Economic and Social Development.
- <http://unstats.un.org/unsd/mdg/default.aspx> UN: Statistics Resource for Developing Countries.
- <http://www.worldbank.org/> World Bank: Economic and Development Information for most countries.
*Also see "Key Development Data and Statistics" page for Statistical Information by Country.
- http://www.nationsonline.org/oneworld/third_world.htm Third World Country Statistics.
- <http://www.nationmaster.com/index.phplso> Global listings and Educational Search Engine for Statistical Data