## Faith & Justice Newsletter - February 2022

Our Mission is to raise awareness of justice issues and live the tenets of Catholic Social Teaching by advocating for justice for all, and empowering the poor and vulnerable.



**Prison Ministry** - We had a wonderful and thoughtful zoom event "Catholic Social Teaching and Solidarity in the context of Ministry to Incarcerated Persons" with our guest speaker, Dr. Kathryn Getek Soltis, Director of the Center for Peace and Justice Education and Assistant Professor of Christian Ethics at Villanova University. You can watch the recording by clicking <a href="here">here</a>. Keep an eye out for next steps from the Prison Ministry. Let us know if you would like to learn more or get involved.



"Tolton: From Slave to Priest" - Camden's Cathedral of the Immaculate Conception will host a live presentation of the life and witness of Father Augustus Tolton, the first African-American ordained to the priesthood in the United States and one of six African-Americans currently on the road to sainthood. February 28, 7 pm. Click here for more info.

**Afghan refugee family** - Our Society of St. Vincent de Paul continues to assist them. They visited our Parish in the summer. \$400 in Aldi gift cards were provided. The family is very appreciative. They are settling in well as both the Father and Mother have jobs. The children are doing well, attending school and additional ESL classes.

## Prayer for Ukraine

Heavenly Father, we pray for the people of Ukraine, and all those who are threatened by war. Be with them Lord, guide them and give them strength. By the grace of Christ the King, may all nations pursue more perfect justice, which ensures a true and lasting peace. Amen.