



traditional wisdom and environment sustainability in Uganda.

- To establish a centre of research and documentation on issues of justice and peace in Uganda.
- JPIIJPC hopes to generate and collect useful books, manuals, documents curricula and stories to heighten the Peace and Justice vision and technical capacity of all those who wish to engage in issues pertaining to peacebuilding. JPIIJPC makes the resources available to institutions of learning and all people who engage in research that enhances the above mentioned vision.

III. ADVOCACY

Aim: Advocate for the rights of all, especially of the most impoverished and vulnerable people through networks with other organizations and ministries.

- To monitor and influence policies that impinges on the principles of CST.
- To influence policies and decisions that enhances human dignity.
- Influence the people to be part of the "change" they would like to realise.
- Influence and educate people

to demand and to hold their leaders responsible and accountable.

Target group

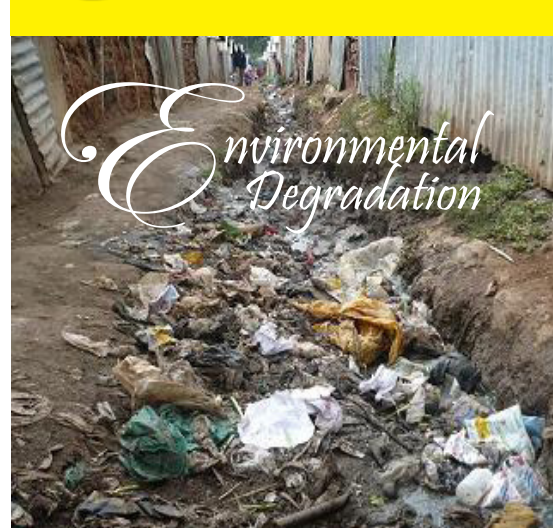
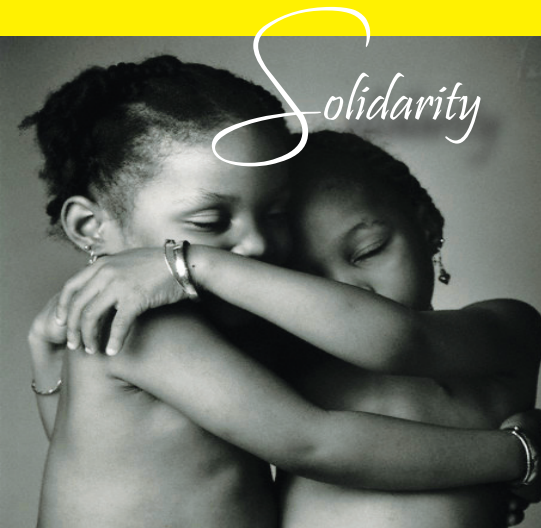
- Policy makers:- Individual and organisations
- Senior political and religious leaders
- Vulnerable groups including women

JPIIJPC NETWORKING

JPIIJPC aims to build the centre for Justice and Peace in collaboration with key organizations, institutions and individuals who are already involved in peacebuilding, justice and reconciliation efforts in the region.

Rooted in a Christian vision of God's mission, JPIIJPC inspires, forms and supports leaders, teachers, catechists, parents, professionals and youth to live as ambassadors of peace, justice and reconciliation.

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JPIIIPC is a Consortium for Justice and Peace founded by six Religious institutes: Missionaries of Africa, Mill Hill, Comboni Fathers, Holy Cross, Jesuits, and Comboni Sisters.

Background to the Initiative

Since its launch in November 2007, JPIIIPC is at the service of the Catholic Church and all people of good will in Uganda and the world at large.

The reason for this initiative is that Uganda, the Great Lakes region and Africa continue to experience some of the worst cases of war, genocides, injustices, poverty and environment destruction.

Against this background, the founders of JPIIIPC saw the need of establishing a centre for Justice and Peace to enable Ugandans and all people who envision a peaceful and just world work and dream together about possible ways in which the search for peace, reconciliation, intergral development and justice in Uganda could be strengthened and deepened through education, research and advocacy.

Since early 2008, JPIIIPC has carried out Ethics - civic education training of multipliers, research on pertinent issues of justice and peace in the informal settlements of Kampala and advocate for the vulnerable.

VISION:

Just, peaceful, intergrally developed and environment friendly communities throughout Uganda, inspired by

Christian faith and the Catholic Social Teaching.

MISSION:

To engage, inspire, strengthen and to empower the people of Uganda through building the ethical/civic capacity of leaders, parents, catechists, teachers, professional groups, politicians and university students.

INSPIRATION:

"The Church as the Family of God in Uganda must bear witness to Christ by a firm commitment to justice and solidarity by each member of God's people."

(John Paul II., Ecclesia in Africa, 105)



OBJECTIVES:

To fulfil this Vision and Mission, JPIIIPC major program areas catalyze and train national leaders and educators, disseminating promising justice and peace practices and creating community by educating seasoned agents of transformation in three program areas:

- TRAINING rooted in the social teaching of the church
- RESEARCH and documentation
- ADVOCACY



I. TRAINING

Aims and Targets:

- To make the Social Teaching of the church more known, understood and effective in the life of the Church and society.
- To stimulate and deepen the spirit of justice, integrity and peace among parents and catechists and families
- To empower the teachers and other professionals in their commitment to ethical education in schools.
- To empower and engage university students who are the future leaders of Uganda.
- To ensure that promoting justice, sustainable development, peace and care of the environment becomes Government and CSOs agenda.

KEY AREAS:

- Human dignity and Human rights integral development
- Responsible leadership and the common good.
- Justice, peace building, conflict management and reconciliation,
- Good governance, Common good and Democracy
- Environment sustainability, poverty eradication, etc.



METHODOLOGY: Workshops, seminars, manuals, open lectures, Open forums, and radio broadcasting especially during lent and advent.

II. RESEARCH AND DOCUMENTATION



Aim:

- To research on issues affecting justice, development, peace,