

December 20, 2015 Mercy Corner

Pope Francis challenges us to follow Jesus by performing works of mercy. He states, "Our words, our actions, our attitudes must express solidarity, we must not remain strangers to the pain of others, and we must do this with fraternal warmth and without falling into any form of paternalism."

Corporal Works of Mercy

Feed the hungry
Give drink to the thirsty
Shelter the homeless
Give comfort to the imprisoned
Visit the sick
Bury the dead

Spiritual Works of Mercy

Admonish sinners
Instruct the uninformed
Council the doubtful
Comfort the sorrowful
Be patient with those in error
Forgive offenses
Pray for the living and the dead