CARITAS

WHAT IS CARITAS?

Caritas is a charity organization in our school. Our mission is to support local projects to meet the needs of the poor and disadvantaged. We focus our activities on poverty, social exclusion and inequality as well as migration in our area.

Our campaigns are largely funded by donations from individual students, teachers and local communities. We animate our school and local communities in Gorzów and all people of good will in solidarity with the suffering around the region. We encourage our students to respond to natural disasters or conflicts and to promote integral human development.

We share the mission of the Catholic Church to serve the poor and to promote charity and justice. We are inspired by the teachings of the Catholic Church.



THE HISTORY OF CARITAS CHARITY ORGANIZATION IN OUR SCHOOL

The charity organization in our school came into being on 31st October, 2008. The organization was instituted at the request of our priest Zbigniew Samociak and the Headmaster of Catholic High School of Saint Thomas Aquinas, Marek Robak. Up to 2016 there were about 270 volunteers in our organisation, right now there are about 30. Ms. Sylwia Maćkała has been our counselor since the beginning.





ACTIONS THAT WE HAVE TAKEN PART IN:

"A Slice of Bread" - inauguration of our charity work

"Fields of Hope" - campaign

"Christmas Bazaar"

"Family for Family at Christmas"

"School's Food Collection"

Fund raising for Saint Kamil's Hospice in Gorzów Wielkopolski

Easter Collection of Food

"Children Day" in Rokitno



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