

Justice & Peace Group, Tring

Justice & Peace Group, Tring was developed out of a desire to help those less fortunate than ourselves. From the beginning, in 2004, we have worked hard to provide support where it's most needed. One of our major achievements was gaining Fairtrade Town status for Tring. This continues to be a major focus of our work by raising awareness of Fairtrade within our community.

We are a group of like-minded people, striving to work together for justice and peace. We come from all church backgrounds — or none! We hold monthly meetings to plan activity and we report to the Churches Together in Tring. Our team relies exclusively on volunteers. We're always happy to welcome new members who would like to dedicate some of their time to helping those in need. If you'd like to lend a hand, please don't hesitate to contact us; new members are always welcome.

Find out more about our activity on our website and follow us on Facebook. Some of our current activity is outlined overleaf. If you would like to find out more, or join us at our monthly meetings, contact our secretary Michael on telephone 07887 980004/01442 823514 or michaeldemidecki@gmail.com.



Some of the activity we are currently involved in



Fairtrade makes a huge difference to the lives of people who grow and produce goods around the world. When you see the Fairtrade mark you can be assured that the Fairtrade standards have been met and a premium paid for projects such as improvement of health care and the local environment.

Use your Loaf! We promote 'use your LOAF', as the mantra to inform food purchasing. LOAF stands for **L**ocally produced, **O**rganically grown, **A**nimal friendly, **F**airly traded. Not only does this catchy acronym help us to think about ethical purchasing, it has its roots in sustainable living.



The Guide to Locally Produced and Fairtrade Food and Drink in Tring and District is a leaflet listing local businesses who provide Fairtrade or local food or drink. An additional leaflet was produced during 2020 to detail those local businesses who could deliver or who offered collection services during lockdown.

International Justice Mission (IJM) is a global organisation with a plan to eliminate slavery everywhere. They are a team of undercover investigators, lawyers, social workers and advocates working to end forced labour, people trafficking, and exploitation of children and adults. We support IJM by fundraising and highlighting their work.



Make Tring a bee town is our campaign to develop more wild spaces for pollinators in Tring and the surrounding area. Climate change will affect the poor most severely throughout the world. Climate justice is the belief that by working together we can create a better future for present and future generations.

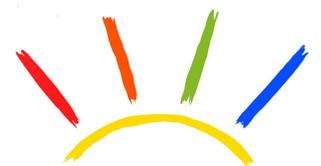
**We believe in justice and peace for the world, and for every individual within it.
We champion respect for the environment,
human rights for all and assistance for the needy.**



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