

Join the Band!

*A commitment to live more responsibly with God's earth
and more fairly with your global neighbors*

New Community Project

Band: A group of people united by a common goal or background, living outside the mainstream culture; a group recognized by a sash of a particular color, identifying the group

Wristband: JTB wristbands are made by the Cofan people of the Ecuadorian Amazon of rainforest materials. In this way, they use the rainforest sustainably to earn income.

Who can join: Anyone who makes a commitment to living better with the earth and its people. (Please invite someone to witness your pledge.) A \$5 donation is suggested, with the funds being sent to the Cofan.

Inspiration: St. Francis of Assisi, who created the Third Order—ordinary people who took vows to live peacefully and simply.

Why join: The earth is under great stress due to human activities. The people of the earth are deeply divided, with some having great wealth and others experiencing great poverty. Band members become part of the movement to address these problems, first by their own actions, and then by their effect on others.

The Three Commitments

I will live more responsibly with the earth by:

I will live more fairly with my neighbors by:

I will share these commitments with my community by:

Signed _____ Name (printed) _____

Address _____ Email _____

Witness _____ Signed by NCP _____

Send completed JTB form to: New Community Project, 718 Wilder St., Elgin, IL 60123
See list of Band members at: www.newcommunityproject.org