

**BROWN TABLE:**

**Option for the Poor and Vulnerable**

James 2:1-4

***Begin by going through the outline of this teaching from the green handout.***

Why do I think that the “option for the poor and vulnerable” is part of what the Catholic Church teaches?

***Then begin looking at the Scripture passage for this theme of the teaching.***

Read James 2:1-4. How do the teachings on the “option for the poor and vulnerable” relate to this passage? (*Hint: read the Catholic Connection article on p. 1644.*)

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Why should I care about the poor and vulnerable?

How does this social teaching relate to being a good Christian?

In what ways do I follow the option for the poor and vulnerable?