

Migration isn't a crime!

Prisoner Visit-Group Solinetz

Guiding principles

- We are a group of nonpaid volunteers that visits people who are in pre-expulsion detention.
- Our group is independent as well as religiously and politically neutral.
- It is our motivation to offer an encounter to prisoners finding themselves in a difficult period of their lives and help to break through their isolation. We want to show them, that there are people out there who are aware of and empathize with them.
- We strive for a reflective and respectful attitude towards prisoners. For example concerning closeness and distance, cultural background, gender, sex, age, language and so on.
- At the first encounter we point out our aim. Not to cause false hopes we tell them what is possible for us and what is not.
- As and when required, we inform the prisoners about offers of assistance and we support them so they get the help they need. Examples: medical, judicial, financial help or returning assistance.
- The content of the conversations is strictly confidential. It is possible to transfer information if the prisoners give their explicit consent.

