This graduation thesis deals with the manifestations of social activity Methodism in its origins. It starts with a description of the period in which the Methodist movement was born, it focuses mainly on the description of the life and works of John Wesley. The next section describes the basic concepts related to social work and provides an overview of particular social activities of the first Methodists. Finally, the author presents a brief description of the documents Social principles and Social creed and provides a brief overview of the social activities of the Methodist Church in Slovakia and the Czech Republic.