

# 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time, January 18, 2015

## MASS INTENTIONS

Sun.	Jan.	18	Sunday Mass
Mon.	Jan.	19	No Mass
Tues.	Jan.	20	NO MASS Mai Nguyen moved to 2-28-15
Wed.	Jan.	21	James Macagno+
Thurs.	Jan.	22	Brent Jensen
Fri.	Jan.	23	Rosalie Wasisco+
Sat.	Jan.	24	Matt Kure+
Sun.	Jan.	25	Sunday Mass
Mon.	Jan.	26	No Mass
Tues.	Jan.	27	O'Connor Family
Wed.	Jan.	28	Edward Rudzenski
Thurs.	Jan.	29	Harry Foster+
Fri.	Jan.	30	Bob Amundsen+
Sat.	Jan.	31	Nemencio Bautista+

## HOSPITALITY IN SULLIVAN HALL

January 18—The Knights are going to pop in and serve donuts today as they are on their way to order the yummy crab for the CRAB FEST to be held on February 7! Donuts today/Crab in a month. Be there!

January 25—It's Catholic Schools Week and the school families will be serving donuts at their Open House in the school 9am-1pm.

## FREQUENTLY REQUESTED NUMBERS

**Boy Scouts:** Dennis Halpin (206) 365-1971  
**Cub Scouts:** Sean Monahan (608) 234-2931  
**Knights of Columbus:** Jim O'Sullivan (206) 832-7231  
**St. Vincent de Paul:** Mary Kay Snedden (206) 364-7900  
**Heaven Guild:** Barbara Arnesen (206) 940-5010  
**Ladies Guild:** Lynn Waterson (206) 849-5546  
**Funeral Reception Volunteers:** Gini Harmon  
 (206) 364-6834  
**Marriage Help:** Retrouvaille (206) 706-2608  
**Seniors & Friends:** Judy Parsons (206) 367-1714  
**Holyhood Cemetery:** (206) 363-8404  
**Beck's Funeral Home:** (425) 771-1234  
**Harvey Funeral Home:** (206) 632-0100

## STEWARDSHIP 2013-14

The Sunday Collection through 1/11/2015

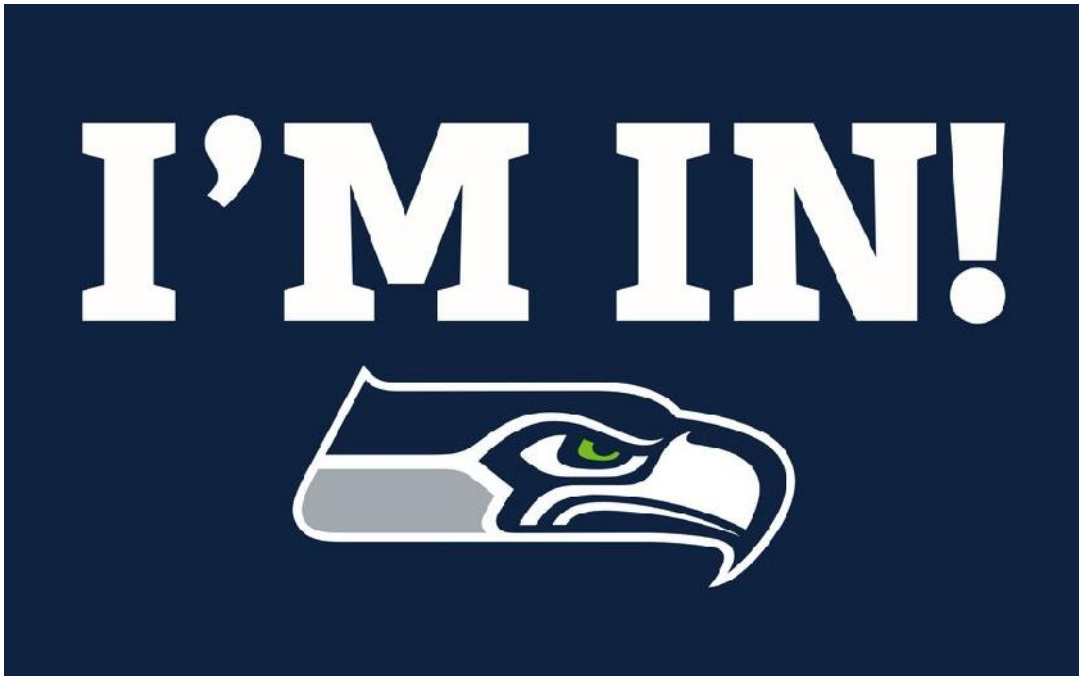
Weekly Amount Needed	Last Week's Collection	Needed Year to Date	Actual Given Year to Date	Shortfall Year to Date
\$ 15,500	\$ 13,099	\$ 434,000	\$ 413,264	(\$ 20,736)
Online Giving	# Online Givers All Funds: 21	Amount Collected Online: \$ 3,982		

## CALENDAR

Mon.	1/19/15	Cub Scouts, 6 pm, Gym
		Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
		Light Weigh, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Tues.	1/20/15	March for Life in Olympia—no Morning Mass
		Confirmation, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
		School Commission, 7 pm, School
Wed.	1/21/15	First Penance Meeting, 6:15 pm, School
		Ladies Guild, 6:30 pm, Parish Center Chapel
		RCIA, 6:30 pm, Sullivan Hall
		St. Gianna Molla Women's Group, 7 pm, Parish Center Parlor
Thurs.	1/22/15	Bible Study on Book of Acts, 7 pm, Sullivan Hall
Fri.	1/23/15	School Dance, 7 pm, Gym
Sat.	1/24/15	First Penance, 10 am, Church
		Pinewood Derby, 10 am, Cafeteria
		Sick & Homebound Ministry Training, 10 am, Sullivan Hall
Sun.	1/25/14	School Open House, 9-1 pm
		Respect Life Rosary, Affirmation of Life Monument north of Church, 10:10 am
Mon.	1/26/15	Cub Scouts, 6 pm, Gym
		Family Rosary, 6:30 pm, Church
		Boy Scouts, 7 pm, Cafeteria
Tues.	1/27/15	KofC Officer Meeting, 7 pm
		St. Vincent de Paul, 7:30 pm, Parish Center Chapel (NOTE ROOM CHANGE)
Wed.	1/28/15	RCIA, 6:30 pm, Sullivan Hall



## Pastor's Letter:



Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

The call of God in our lives is mysterious...and often, so is our response to His call. In the first reading from the First Book of Samuel, Samuel, who has no real concept of God, hears a call and readily responds, "Here I am." The first few times he thinks it's Eli calling him. Each time he responds in a positive way. But finally, once the Lord God revealed His presence to Samuel, he responds in a resounding way, "Speak, for your servant is listening!"

We respond to all kinds of calls. From our family and friends who call us or call upon us, we respond, sometimes with joy, other times with ingratitude or indifference. In big things, such as when natural disasters or war threaten us, we generally respond and rally around our leaders, despite political differences. And, when Pete Carroll wants to rally the 12's to support the Hawks, most of us boldly say, "I'M IN!"

But what about God's call? When the Lord Jesus calls us, how do we respond? Do we say, "I'M IN!" or do we say, "NO...go away." Are we indifferent? Do we ignore Him? The call of God can sometimes be bold like when He calls us to a vocation, such as marriage or priesthood. Or it can be subtle, like when He desires that we go out from ourselves to love and serve others, no matter how inconvenient. What is our response going to be? I pray that it might always be that of Samuel: "Speak, for your servant is listening." Modern translation: "I'M IN!!!"

God bless,

*Fr David Mulholland*

## A TIME TO HEAL...PHYSICALLY, EMOTIONALLY, OR SPIRITUALLY

Steve Greenleaf; Susan Riley; Joe Kassuba, brother-in-law of Mary Amundsen; Curt Nichols, brother of Penny Harrison  
Sister Anne Cornelia, sister of Cornelia Miller  
Lynn Waterson; Claudia Sargent; Dennis Meehan, brother of Harriet Miller; Don Dadula  
Diane Murphy, friend of Diane Bunce; Angela Zamberlin, niece of Rose Buckley  
Bob Brancale, son of Anne Brancale; John Schumaker, friend of Janet Abele; Brenda Cordero, daughter of Stella Bischel; Bruce Carr  
Patrick Buckley, brother of Bill Buckley; Loraine Hoag, mother of Jay Hoag; Kari Stockholm, friend of Julie Bandoy  
Bienvenido Mendoza, father of Flordeliza Atieneza Kristin Cornuelle and Leland Stamm, members of the Lombard Family  
Earl Sherman, father of Mark Sherman; Annette and Rod Fischer; David Dato; Alan Schneider, brother of Bob Schneider  
Sara Erickson, friend of Janet Abele; Jean Calderon and Carlene Sy, friends of Julie Bandoy; Lori Tamayo, friend of Zeny Manaloto  
Elenor K. Schoen; Charles Shipley; Dorothy Munson; Donna Barlett, mother of Sheila King  
John Arnesen, son of Barbara Arnesen  
Jeanne Connell; Bernard Koslosky; Elsie Demers; Carol Bettinger, mother of Rebecca Anderson  
Mary Massey, Franky San Nicholas, and Francisco Naputi, niece, nephew, and brother-in-law of Joan Naputi  
Emilio Gonzalez, grandson of Marsha Gonzalez; Stephanie Hartung; Christopher Lasher, friend of Janina Pacunski  
Makenzie Garlock, friend of Steve and Janet Abele; Hugo Draye; Scott Halfrich; Mary Schantz  
Ursula Skinner, friend of Jim and Barbara Doughty  
Vivian Russ, aunt of Janet Abele; Laura Alamillo; Ernesto Ladrido, friend of Julie Bandoy; Noral Kofer, friend of Janet Abele  
Audi Edwards; Scott Strandberg, brother of Stephanie Hartung; Frank Martinez, father of Claire Becker  
Pat Butler, cousin of Vicki Russell; Jeff Cornwell; Marta Cady, sister of Kathy Keck  
Ann Marie Kurtz, mother of Lisa Haynes; Dolores Strandberg, mother of Stephanie Hartung  
Willis Parsons, son of Judy and Loren Parsons; Patricia Arntzen; Holly Weller, daughter-in-law of Dennis and Joanne Weller  
Peter Ansberry, friend of Candyce Ochoa; Maria Shafer; Elvin Dick, father of Sidd Dick; Dan Hine  
Solar Seeklander, great-nephew of Diane & Lee Lutovsky  
Robert Glancy, Sr.; Todd Munger and Lourdes Martin, friends of Julie Bandoy; Charlene Loback  
Shannon Northrup, niece of Lee and Diane Lutovsky; Noah Amundsen, grandson of Mary Amundsen  
Doris Sykes; Danilo Taliman, Roger Carasco, and Myra Manlangit, friends of Julie Bandoy  
Greg McBride; David Brancale, son of Ann Brancale; Jennifer Osburn; Rhonda Stegall-Webb, friend of Paul Jensen  
Vicki Russell; Nicole, Patrick, and Logan Shepard, granddaughter and family of Ted & Harriet Miller  
Bill Clark, son-in-law of Cornelia Miller; Gloria Abiang, mother of Pauline Cruz; Dorothy Scholze  
Marie Dunlap; Tom Friedel; Cindy Stendera Gould, daughter of Bertha Stendera  
Sam and Don Glasnovich, nephews of Cherie and Todd Chapman  
Walker Chapman, nephew of Cherie and Todd Chapman; Marty Liwag, friend of Maria Arntson  
Isidro Bandoy; Dorothy Holm, sister of Veronica Rains; Randy Rains, son of Veronica Rains; Ann Gordon  
Riliegh McConaughy, great granddaughter of Betty Robeson; Rena Britz; Joaquin Naputi  
Cherie Chapman; Mary Olson; Darlene English

## A TIME TO REMEMBER THOSE WHO SERVE OUR COUNTRY IN THE MILITARY

David Leitzen, SPC, US Army, grand-nephew of Mrs. Elenor Loarie Schoen, and nephew of Teresa and Elenor K. Schoen  
Darryl W. Bradshaw, US Coast Guard, nephew of Paul and Maryjane Jensen  
Annika Jensen, USN, daughter of Paul and Maryjane Jensen  
Taylor Amundsen, USAF, grandson of Mary Amundsen  
John E. Eaton, S/Sgt USMC, grandson of Evelyn Combe  
Bryant McDaniel, USAF, nephew of James and Lynn Ronald  
Michael Angelo Silang, USN  
Mark Anthony Silang, USMC  
Matthew Johnson, USAF, grandson of Helen Bradley  
Christopher Abele, IT1 (SW/IDW) USN, son of Steven and Janet Abele  
Nathan Keiffer - Airman 1st Class, USAF, son of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer  
Zachary Sharp, USAR, grandson of Nigel and Cheryl Keiffer

## A TIME TO MOURN...

Maureen Kaleihoku Nahoopii-Stroschein  
Alice Brown  
George Bollerslev, father of Ken Hemmen  
Pablo Torres, Jr., brother of Julie Sylvester

## DEAR ST. MARK PARISHIONERS,

All of your wonderful efforts to purchase, allocate, pack and deliver appropriate Thanksgiving and Christmas boxes and bags of food were so much appreciated. Some of us have no family and you need to know the joy and deeply felt thanks by myself and others. You made the season a bit of a joy and not a forgotten time.

With lasting thanks for your work and the money you spent to make others have a full season of great edibles. It is well remembered by me.

With best regards and blessed wishes,

A Recipient of the generosity of St. Vincent de Paul and St. Mark Parishioners

### ST. MARK CONFERENCE

December, 2014 MONTHLY PARISH REPORT

# of families in St. Mark helped by St. V de P .....	48
# of individuals helped by St. Mark St. V de P .....	117
families/individuals referred .....	13/27
Christmas Baskets (families) .....	106
Boxes to Carmelites .....	6

#### Cash Expenditures

Rent .....	\$ 900
Light.....	1,728
Beds .....	177
Clothing .....	42
Christmas gifts/food .....	225
Safeway gift cards for 4 months.....	4,655
<u>Total Expenses:</u> .....	<u>\$7,727</u>

#### Income Received

Meeting collections .....	\$ 83
Poor Box Donations .....	42
Envelope Collection .....	8,509
Donations for Baskets .....	100
<u>Total Income</u> .....	<u>\$8,734</u>
<u>Net</u> .....	<u>\$1,007</u>

#### In-kind Assistance

Boxes of food .....	9
Religious Pamphlets, etc.....	15
Bags of food/supplies given out .....	45
Bags/boxes of diapers .....	2

Please feel free to donate anytime during the month in the collection basket, or for non-perishable foods, the basket in the vestibule. February 7-8, 2015 is the next monthly St. Vincent collection. Please give generously to your brothers and sisters in need. We always need cereal, toilet paper, and cleaning supplies. **Thank you for your generous donations in December; we were able to buy 4 months of Safeway cards at a discount.**

## STRENGTHEN YOUR MARRIAGE

**Start NEXT WEEKEND.** Do you long for a more loving and caring marriage? Are you disheartened or even miserable in your marriage? Retrouvaille (pronounced retro-v ) has helped tens of thousands of couples just like you. **There is still time to register for our upcoming program beginning next weekend, January 23-25, 2015.** For confidential information about the program or to register, please call 206-706-2608 or visit our website [www.HelpOurMarriage.com](http://www.HelpOurMarriage.com)

## FAITH FORMATION NEWS!

**Bible Study: Acts of the Apostles** Our Bible study class has re-started. It meets each Thursday from 7-9 pm in Sullivan Hall, ending on June 18. Our course will study *the Acts of the Apostles*, the story of the birth of the early church, written by St. Luke. The class consists of viewing a DVD of the weekly lesson taught by Dr. Jeff Cavins of the Great Adventure Catholic Bible Study program, and then small group discussion of the weekly readings, based on the class notebook. To order the notebook, go to:

<http://ascensionpress.com/t/category/study-programs/catholic-bible-study/adult-bible-study/acts>

and order the "*Acts: The Spread of the Kingdom Study Set*" for \$29.95. If you have questions, contact the class leader:

**Claude Golden ([claudio.golden@gmail.com](mailto:claudio.golden@gmail.com)).**

**RCIA for Children** – Is your child above the age of 7 and not baptized? For information on classes for the Rite of Christian Initiation for Children please contact Molly Gallagher in the Parish Office.

**Interested in Becoming Catholic?** – The Rite of Christian Initiation classes are every Wednesday evening at 6:30 pm. Drop in to learn more about what it means to be Catholic or contact Molly Gallagher at the Parish Office for more information.

**Confirmation**–The classes are on the first and third Tuesdays of each month at 7 pm in Sullivan Hall. Contact Molly Gallagher for more information

**First Penance** – Classes are every Wednesday evening at 6:15pm in the 2nd grade classroom.

**St. Gianna Molla Women's Group** – This is a group for all adult women in love with their faith? Come for discussion, prayer, and study about the faith as we walk through a deepening of hearts. Contact Molly in the Parish Office for more info.

**Molly: 206-364-7900**  
[mollyg@saintmarkshoreline.org](mailto:mollyg@saintmarkshoreline.org)



**WE HAVE RECEIVED DONATIONS** to our School Endowment Fund in memory of Dorothy McCool, Rod Belcher, Kenny Jensen, Wanda Jensen, Charles Combe, Margaret Osgood, Robert & Winona Wartinger, Dan & Doris Staber, Rollie Blanchette, Serapion Arquillano and a prayer for safe travel for Tony and Mila Silang. We want to acknowledge and *thank* everyone who regularly contributes to the Endowment Fund at St. Mark Parish School.

Each month you have the opportunity to increase the St. Mark School Endowment through the gold envelope included in your parish envelope pack.

### **MARCH FOR LIFE—REMINDERS**

Please be here BEFORE 7:30am so that we can get everyone loaded onto the bus. Don't forget to dress warmly and do bring a lunch. There is no required payment for this trip, however, there will be a free will offering on the buses.

If you have a reservation and cannot make it, please let me know so that someone else can take your seat. We currently have a waiting list.

*Michelle Dotsch*  
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425-776-0320

### **YEAR ROUND PRAYER VIGILS...**

Abortions happen every day in our community. Striving to serve the unborn and their mothers by giving them lifesaving choices, the local chapter of Helpers of God's Precious Infants prayerfully pray at local Planned Parenthood locations most Saturdays year round. Contact them at [www.seattlehelpers.org](http://www.seattlehelpers.org) for more details check out the "Come Pray With Us" link.

**PLEASE CONTINUE TO PRAY** for our parish's Gabriel Project apostolate. This group's purpose is ministering to women facing crisis pregnancies, and Our Angels are currently ministering to several women. This is not a social program, but one that strives to meet each woman where she is and walk with her as an example of Christ's love in the world. Please keep Gabriel Project in your prayers. Pregnant women can request assistance by calling 888-926-2643.

*The war on the unborn is never-ending. In the first century it was stated: The difference between the way of life and the way of death is great.*

*Therefore, do not murder a child by abortion or kill a newborn infant.*

*In 1973 America decriminalized abortion and perfected the methods of killing the unborn. Pray to end abortion and euthanasia.*



### **SAVE THE DATE!**

**Annual Knights of Columbus Crab Fest**  
Saturday, February 7, 6:30 pm (or so) after Mass  
Crab, Chowder, Salad...everything you could want  
And, this year they accept Credit/Debit Cards

Tickets available after Masses

### **LIGHT WEIGH ONE KING IS COMING LIKE A BEACON OF LIGHT!**

Would you like to learn how to overcome temptation and eat the foods you enjoy, while you grow closer to God and lose weight? Consider feeding your heart with the Light Weigh Bible Study DVD series and give God a chance to help and heal you.

Come and see how this program has helped and blessed others. There are no weigh-ins. A Light Weigh One King Orientation is being held at St. Mark Parish in Sullivan Hall tomorrow, Monday, January 19 at 6:00pm.

Email Lori at [aselfamily6@gmail.com](mailto:aselfamily6@gmail.com) to reserve your spot!

### **RACHEL'S CORNER: HOPE AND HEALING AFTER ABORTION**

**God will restore you and renew your strength. You can trust God with your pain, your fears, and your future. When you experience His grace, you will be surprised and astounded by His gentleness.**

**Come to a Rachel's Vineyard Retreat™ and experience the healing balm of Christ's mercy and forgiveness. The next retreat is March 6-8, 2015.** For more information call Valerie: 1-800-822-HOPE (4673). Remember, you are loved with an everlasting Love! Project Rachel is a program of Catholic Community Services.



# Corporal Works of Mercy

**Cross Catholic Outreach** provides a program for schools and parishes entitled Works of Mercy for Catholic Youth. Teacher guides for kindergarten through the 12<sup>th</sup> grade contain seven lessons covering a comprehensive and systematic presentation of Catholic beliefs in the corporal works of mercy. The students grow in their personal relationship with God, become knowledgeable about their Catholic faith and integrate these beliefs and traditions in their personal lives, fulfilling both the spiritual and corporal works of mercy. Ask a student to tell you more about the project they are participating in at school.

We invite you to join us in supporting missionaries who serve the poorest of the poor. If you would like to donate to any of these organizations please write a check to the mission of your choice. A donation in any amount will be gratefully accepted. Help us unite together in Christ by giving this simple gift.

Cross Catholic Outreach – Boca Raton, FL (providing material and support for ministries throughout the world)

Kindergarten - Cholle Water Project, Ethiopia (Give drink to the thirsty)

1<sup>st</sup> – Dagama Catholic School, Zambia (Feed the hungry)

2<sup>nd</sup> – Kamama Orphanage, Philippines (Clothe the naked)

3<sup>rd</sup> – San Lucas Rural Health Project, Bolivia (Visit the sick)

4<sup>th</sup> – DOW Women’s Prison Outreach, Philippines (Visit the Imprisoned)

5<sup>th</sup> – Charity Mission in Tigray, Ethiopia (Shelter the homeless)

6<sup>th</sup> Arc en Ciel in Haiti (Bury the dead)

7<sup>th</sup> – Lodwar Water in Kenya (Give drink to the thirsty)

8<sup>th</sup> – Our Lady of the Star Nursery, Philippines (Visit the sick)

Checks are made payable to the organization of your choice. Please send or drop off your checks by February 2<sup>nd</sup> at the parish or school office.

St. Mark Parish School 18033 15<sup>th</sup> PL NE Shoreline, WA 98155

Kathryn Palmquist-Keck

## St. Mark Parish School Ambassador Program

Parent Ambassador Programs have helped Catholic Schools across the country to improve their enrollment through an organized word of mouth campaign. Word of mouth promotion is often referred to as the “least expensive and most effective form of advertisement.” This maxim holds true today more than ever as hundreds of millions of customers constantly search online for product, restaurant, movie, and many types of reviews before spending their valuable dollars.

In a similar manner, parents are constantly seeking and receiving input from one another on nearly every matter of raising children (education choices are an especially popular topic among parents of children approaching pre-k, k, 6<sup>th</sup>, and 9<sup>th</sup> grade). Both personal testimonials and second hand information have enormous power to influence decisions, so each interaction with parents (current or prospective) is an opportunity to positively promote the school.

It comes as no surprise when a school with happy parents has healthy enrollment, but there are also schools that struggle with enrollment and have plenty of happy parents. Our Catholic school is a “hidden gem” and offers an authentic Catholic education for all families.

Our goal is to increase the enrollment of the school to 180 students in grades kindergarten through eight and 20 students in the preschool for next fall.

*St. Mark Parish School will host an **Open House** January 25, 2015 from 9:00 to 1:00 PM. We could use your help in promoting the school to family and friends seeking a Catholic education. Our ambassador program has three goals this year:*

- 1. Admissions events and foot traffic (open houses, parent club meetings, auction, community events)*
- 2. Parish presence and outreach (Ministry Sundays)*
- 3. Religious education outreach (Family Faith Formation Evenings)*

***Help us make our Catholic school successful now and in the future!***





**Join the new Seattle Vocare Chapter.  
Transform the world by building a civilization of love.**



**When:** January 24 beginning with the 5:00pm Vigil Mass at Christ the King Church followed by a potluck dinner and discussion.

**Where:** Fitzgerald Room 405 N 117th St. Seattle WA 98133  
(Right across the street from Christ the King)

**Topic:** 2015 Legislative Session Discussion and Q&A

**Meal:** 6 PM Potluck: Bring what you wish! Located in Parish Hall below Church.

**What is Vocare?**

We're a group dedicated to calling, uniting and educating all people to live Catholic social teaching in order to engage and transform society and the public square through authentic Christian lives.

**What are chapters?**

Community sponsored social "events" which rotate between local churches to reach out and spread our "new evangelization" efforts throughout our entire community.

**Why?** Because we are called! And WA State needs your presence and witness.

**Who's invited?**

Everyone! Vocare is for the whole family. This is especially true for the charitable events. Share events with anyone. Call them to join the people of Vocare as we serve God and our sisters and brothers and together transform the world.

**Come and see for yourself!**

**For more information contact:** Sophia Pettis at [sophia.pettis@vocaremovement.org](mailto:sophia.pettis@vocaremovement.org) or Jody Mullally: 206-794-1523, [jtsmullally@comcast.net](mailto:jtsmullally@comcast.net)