



GLEANINGS

Renewing the face of the earth ✝ *Empowered by the Holy Spirit*

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Together Let Us Sing the Praises of Our God

by Sue Gallwas

As the enthusiasm builds toward our 40-year anniversary in November 2017, and the 50-year anniversary of the worldwide Renewal, we are striving to fulfill the plan given us two years ago in Ephesians 4:12, "Equip the Holy Ones for the work of the ministry in building up the Body of Christ." In this two-month issue of GLEANINGS you will discover the many ways WWCCR is fulfilling this mission. The list includes the following: Leadership Training Course in April, the Strategic Plan for the future of WWCCR from the Board of Directors, our new YouTube channel, and monthly teachings in the office, to name a few.

Kelley Masterson has been a Board member since January 2014. Her enthusiasm for spreading the Gospel is infectious. Her article on page eight continues to reflect the richness of the teaching we received at the Leadership Training Conference. I pray you read last month's article by Per Saelid, who lives in Sequim with his wife Maribel. I continue to read my notes to make the information we received part of my day-to-day reality. We could share reports all year and not run out of material. One of my favorite subjects was the Holy Spirit. We are made holy by the grace of God and our ability to surrender fully to this grace poured out and stirred up by the Holy Spirit. "Soul of Christ, sanctify me."

Our annual Pentecost Celebration was entitled, "Rekindle." We united with people all over the world in prayer as part of the Pentecost VIGIL Project, sponsored by The Wild Goose is Loose. People from many faiths participated in praying for a New Pentecost. The Renewed In Christ prayer group helped us by leading praise and worship, providing prayer teams for praying for baptism in the Holy Spirit, and working on set-up and clean-up. About 175 people listened to testimonies of how God pursues us and teaches us to go deeper in trust and surrender. Fr. Armando Guzmán shared his first experience of the power of the Holy Spirit in his life; and when we heard Debora Johnston's message we knew we had to share it with as many people as possible, so Alane Howard, our new webmaster, created a YouTube channel. You can listen to her testimony now by searching for Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal. We plan to use this media to share many teachings that will "equip the saints"—YOU! One of the teachings we plan to share with all of you was given in the office in June by Misty Tougas, entitled "Thy Kingdom Come: Walking in God's Presence." It is excellent. You are invited to her next teaching in the WWCCR office on July 7. (p.7).

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***"... Straining
forward to what lies
ahead, I continue
my pursuit toward
the goal, the prize
of God's upward
calling, in Christ
Jesus."***

Philippians 3:13-14

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From Sue's Desk

[This issue's edition of From Sue's Desk has been replaced to introduce you to the new editor of GLEANINGS, Alane Howard. Alane began working for WWCCR in April this year and also manages the WWCCR website. She also manages the website for St. Pius X Catholic Church in Mountlake Terrace and designs materials for event promotion.]

Friends, I'm very happy to introduce myself to you in this combined July/August Issue of GLEANINGS! I am honored to be assuming Tammie Stevens' former role as the GLEANINGS editor and webmistress for the WWCCR website. I'll be spending a little time here to tell you a little bit about myself, how excited I am to join the WWCCR family and share what I'm looking forward to in the next couple of months, including an extraordinary opportunity for healing coming to St. Stephen the Martyr Parish in Renton this August.

I live in a Catholic lay community with eight other young adult women at the Lisieux House in North Seattle where we strive to answer the universal call to holiness together, creating a space of hospitality, love, prayer, and discernment by living the "Little Way" of St. Thérèse. Living there for the past two years has been an immense gift,

which has, in turn, allowed me to learn how to give of myself to others.

The past two months have already been filled with numerous blessings for me here at WWCCR, not the least of which is having a desk across the hall from our office chapel where we are privileged to have the Blessed Sacrament 24/7! (As you may know, visitors are encouraged to come and pray during office hours!) There is nothing like working for the Lord and applying our talents to spread the Gospel and serve others, but how much more important it is to dwell in the Presence of the Lord, Who is the "one thing necessary." (Luke 10:42)

Please keep checking our website, www.WWCCR.org, for wonderful new additions and features that will be appearing in the next couple of months! I encourage you to bookmark our website and check in regularly as we will be updating it frequently! I'm also excited to announce that we have a new YouTube channel (search for Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal to find it) where we will begin uploading testimonies, talks, and much more! These recordings will also be accessible on our website on a new Media page. Debora Johnston's testimony from our 2016 Pentecost Vigil in May is already available to view online. We will also be filling our online Event Calendar with events both sponsored by WWCCR and offered by other ministries so that you can be aware

of opportunities to gather, pray, learn, find healing and grow in your relationship with God!

One of these opportunities I want to draw your attention to is **Healing the Whole Person**, a retreat sponsored by the John Paul II Healing Center from Tallahassee, Florida, which takes place **August 25-27** at St. Stephen the Martyr Parish in Renton. It's an opportunity to learn about and experience the healing power of God in the wholeness of body, soul and spirit. The JP II Healing Center was founded by Dr. Bob Schuchts, a nationally renowned speaker, presenter and author of the book *Be Healed: A Guide to Encountering the Powerful Love of Jesus in Your Life*. I met Dr. Bob last June when I attended one of their retreats myself. I encountered the transformative love of Jesus in a powerful way during that retreat, and God continues His healing work in my heart every day. The retreat is an opportunity to go deeper into one's heart and let the Lord restore those areas that have been wounded by the effects of sin and trauma we all experience in this life. Check out:

www.jp2healingcenter.org/events/detail/healing-the-whole-person-renton-wa for more information about this grace-filled event and prayerfully consider registering for it! The Lord wants to make you *whole*.



WWCCR Vision and Mission

Vision:

That all Catholics mature in a personal relationship with Jesus, empowered by the Holy Spirit, to the glory of God the Father.

Mission:

Our mission is to renew the face of the earth by nurturing and inspiring Catholics:

- ❖ *To experience a personal relationship with Jesus Christ through baptism in the Holy Spirit*
- ❖ *To fan into flame the gifts we receive through the Sacraments*
- ❖ *To develop a deeper life of prayer and worship.*

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DEADLINE: In order for any news or calendar items to be considered for publication in GLEANINGS, it must be submitted by the 1st of the month before the month of publication. **Items for the September/October 2016 issue are due August 1.**

On Sunday, July 10, you are invited to a gathering to watch a DVD from the National Conference in Virginia last November. (p. 6) Charles Simpson shares an entertaining and inspiring message on unity in the broader Church. It will be an opportunity to continue the dialogue of unity, and discuss and celebrate what we see the Lord God doing in hearts. Please join us!

I invite all of you to view the 14-part “The Wild Goose” video series that is available on our website. It is excellent, and a great way to introduce your friends and family and fellow Catholics to a personal relationship with Jesus through the power of the Holy Spirit. Just watch one and you will see how well done and inspirational they are.

The Board of Directors is asking you to participate in a survey to help us discern God’s direction for this ministry (p. 3). This is the first step in a process. We are also praying about how God would have us use our space in the office to give the most glory to God. Remember you are all part of WWCCR. ☺ So pray and have your voice heard.

In closing, I am reminded that we are over halfway through the Year of Mercy. I found this reflection in “Divine Intimacy,” by Fr. Gabriel of St. Mary Magdalen, O.C.D., helpful. He shared that the gift of Counsel helps us to identify our sinfulness and our need for mercy. God has given us this special gift of Counsel to enable our soul to understand the quiet interior voice of the Holy Spirit, and to distinguish it from all the other voices in our head and in our world. Scripture compares the voice of the Holy Spirit to the “whistling of a gentle air,” (1 Kings 19:12, DRC 1752). Join me in making time for silence, both exteriorly and interiorly, to perceive the tender and sweet voice of the Holy Spirit.

Finally, let us pray with and for the pilgrims at World Youth Day in Krakow. “God, merciful Father, allow the spark of merciful love that you have enkindled within us to become a fire that can transform hearts and renew the face of the earth. Mary, Mother of Mercy, pray for us. Saint John Paul II, pray for us. St. Faustina, pray for us.” Let us all be merciful as our Heavenly Father is merciful. Mercy will bring healing and peace to souls. God bless you all this summer with happy memories with family and friends. Come Holy Spirit!!!

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Share Your Vision for WWCCR’s Future: Looking Beyond the 2017 Jubilee Anniversary

by Dean Tougas, Treasurer on the Board of Directors

Next year, 2017, marks the 40th Anniversary of WWCCR proclaiming baptism in the Holy Spirit, and 50 years of the Catholic Charismatic Renewal. Those milestones remind us to celebrate the legacy we’ve established, and the ways that we have been touched by the Holy Spirit and been empowered to carry His love and power to others. In addition to reflecting on all the wondrous encounters we’ve experienced in the past through our ministry, we anticipate with great joy what the Lord has for us in the future.

The WWCCR Board of Directors is beginning a process of discerning and articulating the direction for the next chapter in the organization’s story. The process is similar to various long-range planning processes used by most non-profit organizations. The difference for us (and a big advantage) is that the Holy Spirit is in charge of our future. In the coming months, you, and hundreds of other stakeholders will be invited to share their thoughts, vision, hopes and aspirations for WWCCR five years or more into the future. What will we look like? What will we be doing and how will we be doing it? We are beginning to plan a series of meetings that will enable you to share your ideas with the Board and with others – and hear the vision that others have. The Board will then compile the input, and through further consultation and prayer see what God has in store for us. They will then map out the strategies to enable the organization to prepare for that future vision. An example of the need for input and planning can be seen in the discussion about our office facilities in the article by Debora Johnston (Moving as the Spirit Leads, page 4).

Don’t wait! Start Sharing Your Ideas Now:

We have already begun to collect ideas and input for this visioning process. There is a survey on the WWCCR Website that is helping us gather some initial thoughts and ideas and information about key stakeholder groups. Please take a few minutes to visit our website and complete the survey. And then watch for announcements in future editions of GLEANINGS to find out when the Vision and Planning Meetings will be held, and plan to attend one or more.

Moving as the Spirit Leads

by Debora Johnston

As we discern how the Lord is leading and guiding the work of WWCCR, we have been assessing the growth in ministries we offer in our office. Every month 35 people come for the School of Healing Prayer, Dwelling Place gathers for formation, and we're offering teachings to equip, inspire and develop a deeper life in the Spirit. All of these events are taking place at the office in what we call the 'big room.' With all these blessings, the big room isn't so 'big.' So, we are looking at the space to see how we are using it and how we might utilize it better. As we grow, it seems we need more space for gathering, eating and sharing, while maintaining adequate space for work and all the daily duties of running the ministry. In order to accommodate the changes and move as the Spirit leads, we are seeking the Lord for guidance and direction.

So, what are the possibilities? Where do we go from here? We pray! First and foremost we turn to the Lord and entrust every aspect of change and blessing of growth into His care and listen attentively as He guides. We are still formulating the direction of change and how best to rework the space to better accommodate the volume of people and ministry needs. That's where you come in – please pray with us, for us and join us in this exciting time of growth. As the WWCCR Board of Directors clarifies and directs our plans for the present and future, your input on this and other aspects of the ministry will add to the clarity of our vision and we will be updating you on our progress. Together we serve the Lord and each other; loving, teaching and inspiring as the Spirit moves.

Debora Johnston is our Mass Coordinator and Facebook contributor. Debora, her husband, Marvin, and Peyton are members of Our Lady of Perpetual Help in Everett. You can listen to her testimony entitled: "Are You Willing?: An Invitation to Trust" on our new YouTube Channel.

We're on YouTube

Search for "Western Washington Catholic Charismatic Renewal" on www.youtube.com to find our new YouTube channel, and subscribe to see our new videos as they're uploaded! View Debora Johnston's Pentecost Rally exhortation now! It's called: **"Are You Willing?: An Invitation to Trust."**

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boldly as "*living streams in the heart of the Church*" so to rejuvenate and transform it, making it "lively, re-energized, refreshed, reawakened and restored" as does a river to a landscape. Then, "The wilderness and the parched land will exult; the Arabah will rejoice and bloom; Like the crocus it shall bloom abundantly, and rejoice with joyful song." *Isaiah 35:1-2*

At the heart of our mission are five R's to rev up the power of Christ's renewal. The first, **Remain**: "Remain in My love." We must stand devoted to Christ's beloved Bride, the Church, through better or worse, entrusting her flaws to His salvific and unifying mercy. We must pardon all offenses, heal division, repent for all wrongdoing, model unity, and endure in love. The second, **Rediscover**: We must help others rediscover their true identity as "people of Pentecost," to unlock the power of the Spirit that IS DYNAMITE and life-changing. Then, ignited by this uncontainable joy, many shall leap into the deep places of Christ's love, like Peter leapt into the sea upon beholding the holy resurrected Christ. The third, **Restore**: We must restore the beatific vision to the heart of our identity as the Church, as adoring worshipers of Christ as seen by John in the Book of Revelation. God calls us to magnify the praise of the *cherubim*, who offer unceasing praise to God, "so that we might exist for the praise of His glory." *Eph 1:12* Let us reach out and draw everyone to His upper room of praise! The forth, **Reinvest**: We must step up with our many splendid and varied gifts to be Christ's nets of the New Evangelization, to draw many more souls into His deep love. Be ready with new "zeal and in earnest endeavor: be aglow and burning with the Spirit, serving the Lord!" *Romans 12:11* The fifth, **Reclaim**: With holy urgency, we must reach out to lukewarm souls to lay claim as heirs to "every spiritual blessing in the heavens," *Eph 1:3*, poured out for them in the splendor and grandeur of the Holy Spirit. Pope Francis has commissioned us to host Life in The Spirit Seminars in every parish all year long.

My sisters and brothers, it is Pentecost harvest time! Let us go together and steward the bountiful gifts we have received in Christ, gathering them from under bushels and buried in forgotten fields, leading Christ's Church to the summit of faith where graces cascade and all things are made new.

Kelley and her husband, Brad, and four children are members of St. Theresa in Federal Way. She is the Secretary for the Board of Directors, and serves on the Women's Retreat Team as well as Dwelling Place.

Save the Date!

OCTOBER 1ST, 2016

WWCCR Benefit Dinner and Auction

Holy Rosary Catholic Church
Edmonds, WA

Tickets available online at:
WWW.WWCCR.ORG
beginning July 8th, 2016

Cost:

Before August 15th: \$50.00/person

After August 15th: \$75.00/person

Check our website for more information.



Dwelling Place

- a God encounter

*Behold, God's dwelling is with the human race.
He will dwell with them and they will be his
people... He will wipe every tear from their eyes
and there shall be no more death or mourning,
wailing or pain." Revelation 21:3-4*

Dwelling Place Healing Nights

now in 2 locations each month

Monday, July 18th
Monday, August 15th
7:30 to 9:30 PM
St. Pius X Church
22209 58th Ave W
Mountlake Terrace, WA

Monday, July 25th
Monday, August 22nd
7:30 to 9:00 PM
St. Stephen the Martyr Church
13055 SE 192nd St.
Renton, WA

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AUGUST

Intercessory Prayer Network (IPN)

The Intercessory Prayer Network (IPN) is comprised of all who have offered to pray regularly for God's will to be accomplished through the people and programs of WWCCR. We know that prayer changes things!

Please pray for God to bring about His desires through the work of preparation and the events you see in this newsletter, and particularly ...

- that everyone seeking God's healing in their lives, especially those participating in Healing the Whole Person this month and those who attend events and ministries sponsored by WWCCR, have an authentic and life-giving encounter with the "living Father."

- for all students and teachers on summer vacation, and for those preparing for a new chapter in their pursuit of knowledge and truth: that they may ask for God's wisdom and seek His will in all that they do.

- for all priests and religious, especially those making their yearly retreats, that the Holy Spirit may renew their hearts and their relationship with Jesus.

- for an increased trust and surrender to God's merciful love, especially in families.

- for the Board of Directors, staff, and volunteers of WWCCR.

JULY

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Please pray for God to bring about His desires through the work of preparation and the events you see in this newsletter, and particularly ...

- for a renewal of love for the gift of the Eucharist and that every Christian rediscover the peace and the joy of sitting at the feet of the Lord, Who is the "one thing necessary" (Luke 10:42), in Eucharistic Adoration.

- for those who suffer from feeling disconnected from their family, community, the Church or God, that they experience reconciliation and God's tender love, especially in the Sacraments.

- for victims of natural disasters and accidents, and for all who come to their aid.

- that all might encounter Christ in the beauty of creation and in one another, appreciating the sacredness of life in all its forms and stages.

- for the Board of Directors, staff, and volunteers of WWCCR.

Lord Jesus, we pray that these men, united to You through prayer and sacrament, may cooperate with You in building Your reign of mercy and truth, of justice and peace. Amen

(adapted from Pope Francis)

Please pray for these priests, deacons and seminarians:

July 1	Pope Francis	August 1	Pope Francis
July 2	Archbishop J. Peter Sartain	August 2	Archbishop J. Peter Sartain
July 3	Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, MSPS	August 3	Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, MSPS
July 4	Fr. Jim Northrop	August 4	Fr. Jim Northrop
July 5	Fr. Andrew Seung Hyun Lee	August 5	Fr. Matthew W. Naumes
July 6	Fr. Fabian T. MacDonald	August 6	Fr. M. Maurice Ngalamulume
	Carolos Orozco (seminarian)		Dcn. Phillip Mau Nguyen
July 7	Fr. Peter G. Mactutis	August 7	Fr. Joseph Doan Nguyen
July 8	Fr. John C. Madigan	August 8	Fr. Tuan V. Nguyen
	Dcn. Abel Magana	August 9	Fr. Khanh D. Nguyen
July 9	Fr. Paul A. Magnano		Justin Ryan (seminarian)
	Dcn. Jack Magnuson	August 10	Fr. Duc C. Nguyen
	Dcn. Terry Marcell	August 11	Fr. Hung T. Nguyen
July 10	Fr. Jacob Maurer	August 12	Fr. Marion Nguyen
July 11	Fr. Gerald L. Mayovsky		Dcn. Joseph Nicolas
July 12	Fr. David L. Mayovsky	August 13	Fr. Matthew Oakland
July 13	Fr. W. Dean Mbuzi	August 14	Fr. Ward B. Oakshott
July 14	Fr. Richard McCallister	August 15	Fr. Roger G. O'Brien
July 15	Fr. Michael J. McDermott	August 16	Fr. Thomas D. O'Callaghan
July 16	Fr. J. Patrick McDermott		Carl Sisolak (seminarian)
	Dcn. Larry McDonald	August 17	Fr. Bryan A. Ochs
	Dcn. Stephen McGlone	August 18	Fr. Crispin A. Okoth
July 17	Fr. Joseph O. McGowan	August 19	Fr. Stephen Okumu
	Dcn. Rod McGuire	August 20	Fr. L. Paolo Olaaiga
July 18	Fr. William A. McKee	August 21	Fr. Matthew L. O'Leary
July 19	Fr. Shane P. McKee		Dcn. Phil O'Loane
	Dcn. Colin Parrish		Dcn. Tom O'Loughlin
July 20	Fr. Timothy J. McKenna	August 22	Fr. Hans M. Olsen
July 21	Fr. John M. McLaughlin		Dcn. David Olsen
July 22	Fr. Thomas McMichael		Dcn. Richard Olsen
July 23	Fr. John E. McMullan	August 23	Fr. Victor A. Olvida
	Dcn. J. Gregory McNabb	August 24	Fr. Michael P. O'Neil
July 24	Fr. Francis S. Mien		Dcn. Sergio Orozco
	Dcn. Henry Miner	August 25	Fr. C. Alex Pablo
July 25	Fr. Joseph P. Mitchell		Dcn. Eric Paige
July 26	Fr. Gilberto Mora Tapia	August 26	Fr. M. Charles Palluck
July 27	Fr. Kevin J. Moran		Dcn. Anselmo Pardo
	Dcn. George Mounce	August 27	Fr. Thomas R. Park
July 28	Fr. Gary J. Morelli	August 28	Fr. Richard J. Parle
	Dcn. Carl Moyer		Dcn. Eamon Parsons
	Dcn. Pat Moynihan	August 29	Fr. Vincent J. Pastro
July 29	Fr. David Mulholland	August 30	Fr. Felino S. Paulino
	Dcn. Don Murdy		Dcn. Sagato Pele
	Dcn. Pierce Murphy		Dcn. Michel Pentony
	Dcn. Phil Meyer	August 31	Fr. Donald J. Perea
July 30	Fr. Kurt W. Nagel		
July 31	Fr. Thomas J. Nathe		

PLEASE JOIN US!

"Equipping the Saints" DVD Gathering!

**July 10
2:00 to 4:00 PM
WWCCR Office**



All are welcome! Praise & Worship, fellowship and a DVD viewing of Charles Simpson's talk, "In the Spirit, through the Cross, One Body" from the 2015 National Charismatic Conference in Virginia. Come, let us unite and listen to this amazing and entertaining speaker speak on unity among all faithful Christians!



Holy Hour:

We would love to have you join us every Friday from 2:30 - 3:30 P.M. as we pray for charismatic renewal, the work of WWCCR and your own special intentions.

**Our Eucharistic Chapel
is available for private prayer any
time that our office is open, 9:30 A.M.
until 4:00 P.M.,
Monday through Friday.**

**Office Mass
Wednesday, July 13, 11:00 AM
Fr. Cal Christiansen**

**Monday, July 25, 7:00 PM
Fr. Tony Bawyn**

**Wednesday, August 10, 11:00 AM
Fr. Cal Christiansen**

**Monday, August 22, 7:00 PM
Fr. Tony Bawyn**



July/August

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

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| July 7 | Teaching Night with Misty Tougas,
WWCCR Office at 6:30 - 9:00 PM | August 10 | WWCCR Office Mass at 11 AM
followed by Potluck lunch |
| July 10 | DVD Gathering! 2:00 - 4:00 PM
WWCCR Office, see p. 6 | August 15 | Dwelling Place , Mountlake Terrace,
see p. 5 |
| July 13 | WWCCR Office Mass at 11 AM
followed by Potluck lunch | August 22 | Dwelling Place , Renton, see p. 5 |
| July 18 | Dwelling Place , Mountlake Terrace, see p. 5 | August 22 | WWCCR Office Mass at 7 PM |
| July 25 | Dwelling Place , Renton, see p. 5 | August 22 | GLEANINGS Volunteers needed! |
| July 25 | WWCCR Office Mass at 7 PM | August 25 | Pray for WWCCR Board of Directors |
| July 28 | Pray for WWCCR Board of Directors | August 25-27 | Healing the Whole Person Retreat ,
Renton, see p. 2 |

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Financial Update

“I will give thanks to you, O Lord, with all my heart, [for you have heard the words of my mouth]; in the presence of the angels I will sing your praise; I will worship at your holy temple and give thanks to your name; when I called, you answered me; you built up strength within me.”

Psalm 138:1-3

Psalm 138 is a hymn of a grateful heart. We sing praise to God, singing verse 5, “Great is the glory of the Lord!” We are praising God for answering us with generous hearts. God’s work and God’s will, will be done, on earth as it is in heaven. Thank you for remembering us this summer in your giving.

	Apr	May	YTD
Income all sources	\$53,253.84	\$12,036.26	\$160,739.44
expenses	\$25,937.11	\$28,774.93	\$147,881.18
adjustments	(\$1,429.53)	(\$1.64)	(\$3,174.20)
net income/shortfall	\$25,868.20	(\$16,740.31)	\$9,682.42

Cash at end of May \$20,324.70

Thank you for your support each month.

TEACHING NIGHTS

“Prophetic Intercession: Praying for Breakthrough”

presented by Misty Tougas
& Maggie Cheung

Come and learn to pray for breakthrough. When we understand that the Holy Spirit dwells in us and is always in communion with the Father and the Son, we will realize that anything is possible. Discover how to respond to the heart of God.

**Thursday, July 7th,
6:30 - 9:00 PM**

at the **WWCCR Office**
936 N 143rd Street
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Bring a snack to share!

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Five R's: Remain, Rediscover, Restore, Reinvest, Reclaim

by Kelley Masterson

Kelley attended the week-long Leadership Training Course (LTC) offered in April at the Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at The Palisades. It was presented by Jim Murphy, Michelle Moran, and Andres Arango, leaders in the International Catholic Charismatic Renewal (ICCRS). There were 30 local students and 75 total participants from around the U.S. and Canada.

My brothers and sisters, I greet you in the complete JOY of the Risen Christ. Attending the ICCRS Training Conference was a great "mountaintop" grace, gathering with servant leaders from throughout the nation, to receive transfiguring vision, zeal and expressions for the New Evangelization.

It was a delight to learn that our beloved Pope Francis, while he was in Argentina, once participated with the same ICCRS training team that was teaching us. The Holy Father models our call to rise up and lead as missionary disciples by living, proclaiming and sharing the joy of the Gospel. We received a re-emboldened commissioning to **go out** into our streets and partner with the supreme agent of evangelization, the Holy Spirit, to testify to Jesus' power in our life. Christ calls us to work *with* Him not just *for* Him. As Acts people, we must do this through engaging sincere dialogue with the present culture that is dying of holy thirst while accepting the "deceiver's" elixir. The Holy Father spurs us to pour out

See **Five R's** on page 5

