



GLEANINGS

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

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“Intercession is like a ‘leaven’ in the heart of the Trinity. It is a way of penetrating the Father’s heart and discovering new dimensions which can shed light on concrete situations and change them. We can say that God’s heart is touched by our intercession, yet in reality he is always there first. What our intercession achieves is that his power, his love and his faithfulness are shown ever more clearly in the midst of the people.”

Pope Francis, The Joy of the Gospel (Evangelii Gaudium), 283

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The Feast of Christ the King

by Carol Sikorski

On the Feast of Christ the King, Sunday, November 23, the NSC invites us all to prepare for the Season of Advent by interceding that we, and the whole Church, come to a greater understanding of Jesus as the Christ, the anointed of the Spirit, who wants to baptize us with the Holy Spirit. Below is a reflection on the Feast of Christ the King.

The Feast of Christ the King was established by Pope Pius XI in 1925 as an antidote to secularism, which ultimately leaves God out of a person’s life and tempts the faithful to divert their attention away from God.

On this last Sunday of the liturgical year, in preparation for Advent, we are called to turn away from the false gods of this world who seek not only to lead us astray from our eternal destiny but also keep us from living our life on earth as a Kingdom people. The feast of Christ the King calls us to evaluate and, when necessary, readjust our mindset, our priorities, and goals. We are called to see the seductions of the world for what they are, to turn to Christ more faithfully, and live our lives as children of the King.

**KING
of Kings
LORD of
LORDS**

Understanding the traditional relationship between a king and his people is helpful so that we can apply those same concepts to our relationship with Christ our King. I recently read “The Levitical Principal” by Dennis Holt in which he described the protocol between a king and his people by outlining three principal components. The author has granted his permission to share his thoughts with you.

The greatness of a king is determined by two things: The extent of his domain and the ability of the king to give away part of his domain and still remain great. Those who are granted an audience with the king would never approach the throne without bringing a gift for the king, to demonstrate his/her respect for the king. The visitor always presents the greatest gift he/she can bring, because the gift they give indicates the greatness of his/her life.

The king, in turn, presents the visitor with a gift. But this gift must overpower and overshadow the gift presented by the visitor. (*See 2 Chronicles 9:1-12 as a biblical example when the Queen of Sheba met with King Solomon.*)

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From Sue's Desk

Dear Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

There are so many people in the world, and our Father loves each one of us as if we were the only one. This is one of the many mysteries of our faith. When we are praying for someone, we often experience the love that God has for that person in the midst of our prayer. Recently I had an opportunity to pray for someone on a crowded bus. My experience in the School of Healing Prayer prepared me to step out in faith to offer a healing touch. Here is my story.

Recently I had a heavenly encounter on my bus ride home from work. The lady got on using a walker and sat down beside me with her younger male friend on the other side of her. She had a hard time sitting up and staying awake so she kept leaning on me and then jerking awake. I felt God's great love for her. She looked up at me now and then and smiled. When the Holy Spirit prompted me I put my hand on her head gently to pray for her because her head was always right there close to my shoulder.

She seemed to like it. The young man could see the way I was caring for her and he began to cry softly. She said, "Sean is my special friend and he is worried about me. It has been a long, hard day." *She looked very sick.*

I gently laid my hand on her arm, knowing that Jesus was touching her. As she got up to leave she looked at me and said, "Thank you for

praying for me. That's what you were doing, right?" I nodded my head and smiled. Sean shared with me, "Jackie is like a big sister I never had." I have a feeling that Sean does not have a family and when Jackie dies he will be alone again. After they got off the bus Jackie stood there and looked at me and smiled until the bus pulled away.

Join me in saying a prayer for them.

When the Holy Spirit allows us to feel God's love for people we understand the mystery of God's personal love for each person a bit more. This woman was an angel. She was not dressed well, she had a baseball cap on that was too big for her, but she was more beautiful than

a super model. The bus I ride is very crowded but for about twenty-five precious minutes we were the only ones on the bus. I encourage you to look for ways to pass on the love that God has poured into your heart for others; in the grocery store, in your Church and most especially in your own homes. God wants to use you to bless the world, one soul at a time.

WWCCR will be offering the School of Healing Prayer from Christian Healing Ministries beginning in January (see page 6 for information on orientation dates). The motto at the School of Healing Prayer is **Listen, Love and Pray**. A great recipe for life.

May God bless you and keep you close to the heart of His Son Jesus, living a life filled with His Holy Spirit. Sue ☺



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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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King continued

Correlating the above example with the feast of Christ the King, the Lord of the universe invites each one of us daily to come into that face-to-face audience/relationship with Him. In Malachi 1:14 God declares Himself a great King. When we enter into His presence, we come bearing the gift that demonstrates our understanding of the great honor it is to be invited to fellowship with Him.

But what gift do we bring to this great King, the Lord? We are told that we should bring the gift that is our greatest possession; that represents the greatness of our life. Of course the gift we bring is the gift that we received from our Creator. We lay down the gift of our free will, accepting the Lordship of Christ our King over our life. We acknowledge with a humble and contrite heart that, of ourselves, we cannot do anything to merit heaven. We depend totally on the grace and mercy of our Triune God. When we offer our gift and enter into that relationship with the King, it is then that we have the capacity to receive the King's gift to us.

His gift to us is so much more than what we have given, and it fills that God-shaped hole in us and fulfills all the longing of our hearts. And what supreme gift does the King give to those that come and stand before His throne? He gives us Himself, fully and completely, Father, Son and Holy Spirit. We receive all the merits of Christ our Savior and Redeemer; we receive the love of the Father who desires that we be one with Him now and forever; and we receive His own Holy Spirit so that we can know our true identity as sons and daughters of the King, and be confident that "if the Spirit of the one who raised Jesus from the dead dwells in you, the one who raised Christ from the dead will give life to your mortal bodies also, through his Spirit that dwells in you." Romans 8:11

The universal call to come and kneel before the Lord of Lords and King of Kings, and to receive from the King's treasury, is extended to all people everywhere: the rich and poor, the powerful and powerless. All are invited to abide in Christ the King and His Kingdom of Light!

The feast of Christ the King calls us to become consciously aware of all the distractions of our secular society and to set our eyes on Christ the King and the day He will come again in glory. ♦

The Holy Spirit is important in three major Liturgical Seasons of the year: Advent, Lent, and Easter. Fr. Bob

Hogan, past chairman of the NSC, created a brochure titled: *Three Times of Intercession for the Outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the Church* which highlights those times and the special prayers for an outpouring of the Holy Spirit. Links to this brochure and to an article on intercession from *Pentecost Today* can be found on the WWCCR website.

This article appears on the Catholic Charismatic Renewal National Service Committee's website under Intercessory Resources. Carol Sikorski is a member of the NSC Council's Intercessory Working Group. It is reprinted here with permission. For more information contact the NSC: www.nsc-chariscenter.org.

The National Service Committee invites you to prepare for Advent with a Day of Prayer on the Solemnity of Christ the King, November 23, 2014.

The Anointed Messiah day of prayer to prepare

nov 23 2014

On the Feast of Christ the King let us prepare for the Season of Advent by interceding with Mary, John the Baptist and Isaiah that "The Spirit... bears witness with our spirit that we are children of God... and joint heirs with Christ" (Rom 8:16-17), and we, and the whole Church, come to a greater understanding of Jesus as the Christ, the anointed of the Spirit, who wants to baptize us with the Holy Spirit. Let us pray for the second coming of the Messiah: "Marana tha! Come, Lord Jesus! (1 Cor 16:22; Rev 22:20).

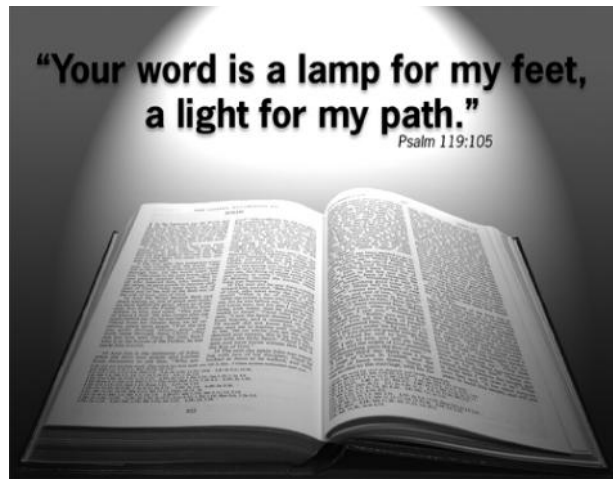
For ideas on how to celebrate this time of intercession, go to: www.nsc-chariscenter.org and click on the NSC Intercession Times Brochure

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The fervent prayer of a righteous person is very powerful.
James 5:16

Register Today!!

2015 WWCCR Women's Retreat



"I expect you to evangelize with the word of God, which proclaims that Jesus lives and that he loves all men and women."

~Pope Francis, June 1, 2014

February 6-8, 2015

at the Archbishop Brunett Retreat Center at the Palisades in Federal Way, WA

Guest Speaker: Lavinia Spirito



Lavinia is a homemaker, practicing attorney and businesswoman. She has been active as lay teacher, spiritual director and evangelist in parish renewal and also the Catholic Charismatic Renewal in the U.S. and Italy for over 20 years. She is listed on Renewal Ministries' Speaker's Bureau and currently serves as Teaching Leader for the Catholic Way Bible Study of Lexington, KY. Lavinia has authored 7 Bible lecture series and several shorter series. Visit wwccr.org for a more complete bio.

ONLINE REGISTRATION IS NOW AVAILABLE - sign up today at www.wwccr.org or use the form below!

2015 Women's Retreat Registration Form - DEADLINE: JANUARY 23, 2015

Mail to: Women's Retreat c/o WWCCR, PO Box 33609, Seattle, WA 98133

Name _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Phone (____) _____

Cell Phone (____) _____

Email _____

Prayer Group _____

Any special physical or dietary needs?

☐ Single room

☐ Double room - Roommate _____

☐ Commuter

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or check updates on www.wwccr.org

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OTHER EVENTS OF INTEREST

*Events listed below are sponsored by groups other than WWCCR.
For more information please refer to the contact listed.*

MY CATHOLIC FAITH MINISTRIES PRESENTS:

THE GIFT CONFERENCE

-2015-

THE GIFT OF MERCY


SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21ST, 2015
8:30AM - 4:00 PM

ST. STEPHEN THE MARTYR CHURCH
13055 SE 192ND ST, RENTON, WA

FEATURING:

DR. MARY HEALY

AUTHOR, PROFESSOR,
BIBLICAL SCHOLAR
AND POPULAR
CHARISMATIC SPEAKER



For more information visit www.giftconference.org
or call 1-866-267-4113



Our Eucharistic Chapel

is available for private prayer any time that our office
is open, 9:30AM until 4:00PM, Monday through Friday.

OFFICE MASS SCHEDULE:

Wednesday, November 12 at 11am with Fr. Cal Christiansen
Monday, November 24 at 7pm with Fr. Tony Bawyn

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

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 calendar; particularly the events WWCCR is sponsoring, and also ...

- that the events and activities sponsored by WWCCR as well as individual prayer groups will answer Pope Francis' call to "share with everyone in the Church the grace of baptism in the Holy Spirit ..."
- that the healing ministry events of WWCCR, such as Healing Masses, Schol of Healing Prayer, and Dwelling Place, will lead people to the love of God the Father through Jesus Christ, empowered by the Holy Spirit.
- that God will call and qualify the next generation of leaders into the work and ministry and evangelization of baptism in the Holy Spirit.
- for these prayer groups:
 - 11/02-11/08 Jesus Pan de Vida Grupo de Oración, Monroe
 - 11/09-11/15 El Shaddai Prayer Group, Mount Vernon
 - 11/16-11/22 Hearts Afire Prayer Group, Oak Harbor
 - 11/23-11/29 St Michael Prayer Group, Olympia
 - 11/30-12/6 St Anthony Friday Night Prayer Group, Renton

Next IPN events:

Sunday, November 2, 2014

Sunday, December 7, 2014

2:00 – 4:00 pm

IPN gatherings are usually on the 1st Sunday of the month at the WWCCR office, unless otherwise noted.

Cut this prayer list out and put it in your bible or prayer book to keep these prayer intentions close at hand.

“Dear priests, may God the Father renew in us the Spirit of holiness with whom we have been anointed. May he renew his Spirit in our hearts, that this anointing may spread to everyone...”

Pope Francis, Chrism Mass 2013

Please pray for these priests, deacons and seminarians this month:

Nov 1 Pope Francis
 Nov 2 Archbishop J. Peter Sartain
 Nov 3 Bishop Eusebio Elizondo, MSPS
 Nov 4 Fr. Jim Northrop
 Nov 5 Fr. David Gese
 Nov 6 Fr. Patrick B. Godley
 Nov 7 Fr. Jorge I. Gomez del Valle, MSPS
 Dcn. Lawrence Gorman
 Nov 8 Fr. Emilo R. Gonzalez
 Dcn. Gerald Graddon
 Nov 9 Fr. Armando Guzmán
 Dcn. Jeffrey Greer
 Nov 10 Fr. Mark A. Guzman
 Peter Guthrie (seminarian)
 Nov 11 Fr. Brad Hagelin
 Nov 12 Fr. Dominic Hahn, OSB
 Dcn. Bill Haines
 Nov 13 Fr. James M. Harbaugh, SJ
 Dcn. Bill Hamlin
 Nov 14 Fr. W.R. Harris
 Dcn. Roy Harrington
 Nov 15 Fr. Richard Hayatsu
 Dcn. Frank (Tom) Hawkins
 Nov 16 Fr. Anthony J. Haycock
 Nov 17 Fr. Kenneth W. Haydock
 Nov 18 Fr. Joseph Heffernan, FSSP
 Nov 19 Fr. Raymond J. Heffernan
 Nov 20 Fr. Jarlath M. Heneghan
 Nov 21 Fr. William J. Heric
 Nov 22 Fr. Brian L. Hersey
 Chad Hill (seminarian)
 Nov 23 Fr. Phuong V. Hoang
 Chris Hoiland (seminarian)
 Nov 24 Fr. John the Baptist Kwang Choi Hong
 Dcn. Del Hoover
 Nov 25 Fr. John J. Horan
 Nov 26 Archbishop Raymond G. Hunthausen
 Nov 27 Fr. Timothy W. Ilgen
 Nov 28 Fr. Emmanuel E. Iweh
 Dcn. Larry Jesmer
 Nov 29 Fr. John A. Jennings
 Dcn. Fred Johnson
 Nov 30 Fr. James O. Johnson Jr
 Tyler Johnson (seminarian)

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SAVE THE DATE

Catholic Charismatic Renewal Gathering
Saturday, December 13, 2014 - 11:00am - 3:00pm
 at St. Brendan Church, Bothell - in the school gym
more information in next month's GLEANINGS

Financial update

“To do your will is my delight; my God, your law is in my heart!”

Psalm 40:9

God uses us, His children, to accomplish His work for the mission of evangelization. Let us strive to be attentive to His promptings as we live out His perfect will in our lives.

	<u>September</u>	<u>YTD</u>	<i>Cash at</i>
			<i>beg. of 2014</i>
Income all sources	\$14,817.06	\$176,891.72	
Expenses	-\$15,764.52	-\$180,313.30	
<u>Adjustments</u>	<u>\$106.17</u>	<u>-\$333.52</u>	
net income/shortfall	-\$841.29	-\$3,755.17	
			<i>Cash at end</i>
			<i>\$3,799.62 of September</i>

TRAINING FOR HEALING PRAYER MINISTRY

CHM School of Healing Prayer* 2015 Class - presented by WWCCR

WWCCR will again offer the School for Healing Prayer beginning in **JANUARY 2015**

** The School of Healing Prayer is comprised of DVD presentations from Christian Healing Ministries as well as live presentations, group discussions, and prayer practicums (applying what has been presented).*

Attendance at ONE of the following Orientation meetings is REQUIRED to participate in the 2015 Classes:

Saturday, December 6, 9:30am - 11:30am









Friday, January 9, 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Saturday, January 10, 9:30am - 11:30am

SPACE IS LIMITED

**For 2015 all Classes and Orientation meetings will be held at the WWCCR Office
 936 N 143rd Street, Seattle, WA 98133**

For more information, and to let us know which orientation meeting you plan to attend, contact: WWCCR: 206-364-2272 / info@wwccr.org

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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 2 IPN GATHERING @ WWCCR, 2-4 PM	3	4 PLEASE PRAY FOR: WWCCR OUTREACH TO YOUTH, YOUNG ADULTS & FAMILIES	5	6	7 HOLY HOUR @ WWCCR, 2:30PM † Healing Mass, Tulalip, <i>see below</i> † National Leaders' and Ministries' Conference, Pittsburgh	8 SHP III - 5
9 † National Leaders' and Ministries' Conference, Pittsburgh	10	11 	12 OFFICE MASS @WWCCR 11AM <i>see pg 5</i> HEALING MASS IN TACOMA, 7PM <i>see below</i>	13	14 HOLY HOUR @ WWCCR, 2:30PM	15
16	17	18	19	20 PLEASE PRAY FOR: WWCCR BOARD OF DIRECTORS & STAFF	21 HOLY HOUR @ WWCCR, 2:30PM HOLY SPIRIT SEMINAR @ WWCCR <i>see page 8</i>	22
23 	24 GLEANINGS WORKERS NEEDED DWELLING PLACE <i>see below</i> OFFICE MASS @WWCCR 7 PM	25	26	27 	28 	29
30 	"I give thanks to God always for you because of the grace of God which was given you in Christ Jesus." (1 Cor 1:4)					

HEALING MASSES

Healing Masses are sponsored by WWCCR, by prayer groups and parishes in various locations in the archdiocese of Seattle. At these Masses we are focusing our attention on the healing power of God truly present at every celebration of the Eucharist.

† Friday, November 7, 7 PM

Healing Mass with Fr. Emmanuel Iweh
 Sponsored by St. Anne Mission
 7231 Totem Beach Rd, Tulalip

Wednesday November 12 - 7:00pm

with Fr. Dwight Lewis
 St. Charles Borromeo Church
 7112 S 12th Street, Tacoma WA 98465

WWCCR events are CAPITALIZED & in BOLD,
 Prayer Group and other events are marked with a †
 Check our website for updates on events not available at time of print.



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 NIGHT

When: **November 24, 2014 at 7:30 pm**
 Where: **St. Stephen the Martyr Church**
 13055 SE 192nd St, Renton, WA

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www.wwccr.org/events/dwelling_place.htm



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Holy Spirit Seminar at WCCR

Friday, November 21, 7pm to 9pm
Saturday, November 22, 9am to 9pm

*"Receive the Holy Spirit."
John 20:22*

Come, learn about and experience a new Pentecost in your life!

at the WCCR Office
936 N 143rd Street, Seattle WA

Space is limited - Call the WCCR office to register: 206-364-2272
There is no registration fee. A free-will offering will be taken.
Please bring a snack to share.

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