

“God loves a cheerful giver”

-2 Corinthians 9:7

Every year, the Archdiocese of Seattle invites Catholics to support important collections. This calendar outlines opportunities so you can plan your giving and support the causes most important to you.

Local, national and worldwide Catholic appeals

JAN

Church in Latin America:
Supports pastoral programs throughout Latin America and the Caribbean.

FEB

PREPARES:
Parish-based pregnancy and parenting outreach to women and families of all faiths in building healthy support networks.



MAR

Northwest Catholic Campaign:
Supports the official news and evangelization publication for the Archdiocese of Seattle as well as the Catholic Communications Campaign for the USCCB.

Lenten CRS Rice Bowl:
Donations fund Catholic Relief Services' agriculture, health and educational projects overseas as well as grants in Western Washington for local anti-hunger projects.

Catholic Relief Services:
Worldwide organization supporting the work of Catholic organizations that aid victims of war and natural disasters, help build peace in places of conflict and minister to migrants and others with specific pastoral needs.



APR

Holy Land Good Friday:
Provides support for the holy places as well as pastoral, charitable, educational and social works in the Holy Land.

JUN

Peter's Pence:
Supports the works of the Holy Father in helping to relieve the suffering of the world's most vulnerable victims of war, the oppressed and those impacted by natural disasters.

JUL

Military Services, USA:
Supports the pastoral care of Catholics in the armed forces (at home and abroad), military academies, Veterans Affairs Medical Centers and those working in civilian jobs for the federal government beyond U.S. borders.

AUG

Church in Africa:
Supports pastoral projects in Africa including outreach programs, schools, evangelization and education of clergy and lay ministers.

Catholic Home Missions:
Provides resources to strengthen the Church in the U.S. by providing funds to enhance pastoral ministry through catechesis, seminarian and lay training, education and spiritual care.

SEPT

Catholic Campaign for Human Development (CCHD):
Awards grants that address the root causes of national poverty through promotion and support of community-controlled, self-help organizations and transformative education.

OCT

Black and Indian Mission:
Supports and strengthens evangelization programs with an emphasis on serving economically challenged areas within dioceses in the U.S.

World Mission Sunday:
Supports mission priests, religious sisters and brothers, and lay catechists who are Christ's witnesses to the most vulnerable communities globally.



NOV

Church in Central and Eastern Europe: Helps to restore the Church in lands that survived decades of communist rule while building a new, more hopeful future for the people living there.

DEC

Catholic Community Services of Western WA Appeal for the Poor: Supports over 190 programs and services that are relevant to local needs in all 19 counties of Western Washington.

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