



## **St. Vincent Pallotti Parish**

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We are called to be stewards to manage all that belongs to God. God has generously entrusted us with the care, development and enjoyment of everything he created. As his stewards we are responsible for the management of his gifts. With this in mind, please consider your offering in the service of God.

The top portion of this form should be detached and included with your contribution to the parish. The back side allows you to direct portions of your contribution to specific purposes.

Each month, the Human Concerns Commission researches a number of deserving charities and selects one for us to contribute to. The charity for this month is highlighted below.

We thank you for your continued support of the parish. May God bless you.

Sincerely,

Your Stewardship Commission

Here is how I want my contribution for the month to be split/distributed

Monthly contribution.....	\$.....
Catholic Relief Services.....	\$.....
Vincent de Paul Society .....	\$.....
Building maintenance .....	\$.....
<b>Total (for the month)</b> .....	<b>\$.....</b>

Check No .....

### CATHOLIC RELIEF SERVICES

Catholic Relief Services assists the poor and vulnerable overseas with no prejudice to creed, race or nationality. We are motivated by the Gospel of Jesus Christ to cherish, preserve and uphold the sacredness and dignity of all human life, foster charity and justice, and embody Catholic social and moral teaching as we act to: **promote human development** and **serve Catholics in the United States** as they live their faith in solidarity with their brothers and sisters around the world. We work with local, national and international Catholic institutions and structures.

Catholic Relief Services is a pro-life organization dedicated to preserving the sacredness and dignity of human life from conception to natural death. We protect, defend and advance human life around the world by directly meeting basic needs and advocating solutions to injustice.

To reach all those who need our help, we also participate in humanitarian initiatives undertaken by a wide range of groups, such as governments, other faith communities and secular institutions. CRS and its board of bishops and laypersons have a careful review system to ensure fidelity to Catholic moral teaching and to ensure that all funds under CRS' direct control are used only for purposes complying with that teaching.

CRS is in 101 countries, serving more than 85 million people. Through the global Catholic Church, CRS is afforded access to remote locations where no other organizations serve, yet where some of the world's most vulnerable populations live. In 2014, 92% of revenue was spent on programs that benefit the poor overseas. About 35% percent of our programming focuses on emergency relief and recovery. We meet immediate needs for food, water and shelter, we transition to rebuilding and reconstruction, supporting the survivors of natural disasters and chronic emergencies in reclaiming their lives. In the U.S., CRS carries out the social mission of the Church with 8.5 million Catholics in 14,337 parishes, dioceses and schools.

CRS and its partners protect human life and dignity promote just relationships between all people, and Increase equitable and inclusive access to and influence