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Our Report to the  
Community 2006



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## Counseling: To Reach Out



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### Our Partners:

Anna Smith Elementary School, Wendover, UT  
Keams-St. Ann's School, Salt Lake City, UT  
Our Lady of Lourdes School, Salt Lake City, UT  
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## Education: To Motivate



### Our Partners:

Anna Smith Elementary School, Wendover, UT  
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Park City Library  
Park City School District  
Saint Mary of the Assumption Parish, Park City, UT  
University of Notre Dame Alumni Club of Utah  
University of Notre Dame Summer Program  
West Wendover Recreation Department

*Motivated by a holistic vision of learning, our ministry builds communities through innovative programs, family involvement and working with trusted and committed partners.*

After-school and Summer Programs with an emphasis on the arts, language, physical fitness and enhancing academic and social skills have been provided to 280 students with 950 teacher and parent contacts. English as a Second Language (ESL) is provided to adults in Park City and Wendover.

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## Immigration: To Connect and Build Community



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### Our Partners:

"and Justice for All", Salt Lake City, UT  
Catholic Community Services of Utah, Salt Lake City, UT  
Immigration Court's Pro Bono Initiative, Salt Lake City, UT  
Multi-Cultural Legal Center, Salt Lake City, UT  
Sacred Heart Parish, Salt Lake City, UT  
San Felipe Mission, Wendover, UT  
St. Jude Mission, Ephraim, UT  
St. Therese Parish, Midvale, UT  
St. Thomas Aquinas Parish, Logan, UT  
Utah Bar Foundation, Salt Lake City, UT  
Utah Domestic Violence Council, Salt Lake City, UT  
Utah Health and Human Rights Project, Salt Lake City, UT

*"All persons have the right to find in their own countries the economic, political, and social opportunities to live in dignity and achieve a full life through use of their God-given gifts."*

*(Catholic Bishops of the United States and Mexico, Strangers No Longer, paragraph no.54)*

*"Regardless of their legal status, migrants, like all persons, possess inherent human dignity which should be respected....Government policies that respect the basic human rights of the undocumented are necessary." (no.58)*

During 2006, Holy Cross Ministries Immigration Department has provided legal immigration services to 6,000 persons living in Utah.

Three hundred of these persons have been victims of domestic violence.

## Parish Health: To Heal



### Our Partners:

Aging Services of Salt Lake County  
Caregivers Support Council, Salt Lake County  
Catholic Community Services, Salt Lake City, UT  
Community Nursing Services, Salt Lake City, UT  
CORC-Coalition of Religious Communities, Salt Lake City, UT  
Midvale Family Health Clinic, Midvale, UT  
Our Lady of Guadalupe, Salt Lake City, UT  
Rocky Mountain Parish Nurse Ministries, Salt Lake City, UT  
Sacred Heart Parish, Salt Lake City, UT  
San Felipe Parish, Wendover, UT  
St. Patrick Parish, Salt Lake City, UT  
St. Therese Parish, Midvale, UT  
Crossroads Urban, Salt Lake City, UT

*A few weeks ago I had the opportunity to sit with Nancy and her husband John in the last hours of his life. When I arrived at their home things seemed to be fairly quiet and serene. Every now and again, John's breathing seemed uneven. As we sat with John, Nancy read to him. He always enjoyed that. Between readings, I would pray the psalms with them, John found peace in this. John died later that evening. Nancy thanked me for being with them and I thanked Nancy for this privileged time to be with them.*

The Parish Health Program has visited with 125 persons this year and has provided 4,890 services.



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### Mission Statement

*We respond to the underserved community's needs for health and well-being. We share God given resources, connect people to community services, and assist individuals and families to move to independence and full participation in the community. We do this to fulfill the mission of Jesus Christ and in the spirit of the Sisters of the Holy Cross.*

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### Strategic Plan Desired Outcomes 2007-2010

- Outcome 1: Families are healthy and know how to navigate a confusing health care system.  
 Outcome 2: Children are succeeding in school.  
 Outcome 3: Families live in safe, supportive communities.