



August 13, 2014

Dear Friends of Tacoma-Pierce County Chaplaincy:

It's time again to plan for our 8th Annual Benefit Dinner on Thursday, **October 2nd**. *A Night to Celebrate Chaplaincy*. The dinner will be held at the spacious McGavick Conference Center, Clover Park Technical College, 4500 Steilacoom Boulevard, Lakewood. Our goal this year is to raise \$50,000 to provide much needed resources for our Chaplains and our organization.

Please consider joining us again to hear how your investment supports our victims, emergency personnel and families that are in need of emotional and spiritual care. For more than forty years T-PCC has worked alongside the police and fire agencies of Pierce County, providing crisis intervention services to victims and victim's families. Last year alone our chaplains responded to over 2,000 incidents of severe crises and human tragedies that traumatically impacted the lives of our citizens in Pierce County.

You can be of great help to our emergency personnel and chaplains. **This is how you can help. Would you consider sponsoring a table for 10 guests at our fundraising dinner? Table Sponsorship is \$375. Your sponsorship of \$375 will help us raise \$50,000. This a great return on your gift. We will recognize your gift on our Dinner Programs, and of course, all donations are tax-deductible.** Last year we had a very successful dessert auction. If you are able to donate a dessert for 10 people please contact us with the details.

Last year our 40 tables were fully sponsored and our venue was at capacity. This year we have contracted with our venue to accommodate greater capacity and hope to have 50 tables sponsored. We expect tables to be sponsored quickly again. Please provide your intention to sponsor a table by August 31; we do not need your financial gift at this time. Enclosed is a card and a self-addressed envelope that you can indicate your commitment. If you have further questions you may contact Laura at laura@t-pcc.org or 253.564.7848.

If you are ready to make your **tax deductible contribution** of **\$375** at this time you may include it in the envelope provided. All documents relative to our Tax Exempt Status is available for your review. Additional materials will be forwarded to you upon confirmation of your participation.

Thank you for supporting Tacoma-Pierce County Chaplaincy and we look forward to seeing you on **October 2 at the McGavick Center** in Lakewood for *A Night to Celebrate Chaplaincy*.

Warm Regards,

Frank Washburn
Executive Director