



Office of the Vice President for Mission

TO: The Gonzaga Community
FROM: Frank Case, S.J.
SUBJ: Moment for Mission and Ignatian Colleagues Dinner invite
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At the beginning of each school year we join in prayer at the Mass of the Holy Spirit to ask that the Spirit guide and sustain us in the coming months as we carry out our mission. The Spirit inspires each of us to contribute our individual gifts and creativity to the achievement of the mission. And the Spirit pulls all these individual gifts and creative contributions together in an integral fashion for the sake of our overall mission. The Spirit inspires each of us in our individual roles, but also provides the glue that pulls all these together.

And how might this work in the practical order? In our individual commitments to the overarching mission each of us can recognize our own contributions. But if we open our eyes and minds to the contributions of others we get a much more comprehensive idea of what we are achieving together. This openness of eyes and minds we call an attitude of **hospitality** to others, to their ideas, and to their respective contributions. This hospitality becomes the glue that holds the mission together. This is where the Holy Spirit works with us. So, as the title of this little piece suggests, we can recognize the movements of the Spirit among us in our own spirit of hospitality. Look there and you will see!

Ignatian Colleagues Dinner

“Hospitality, Forgiveness & the Mission of Gonzaga University”

Fr. James K. Voiss, S.J. Rector and Assistant Vice President for Mission

Monday, November 10, 2014

Social beginning at 5:00 p.m. - Presentation at 5:30 p.m.

Rare Books Room – Foley Center

This complimentary program includes a presentation and time for discussion and reflection. Dinner will follow.

Please RSVP to Shanea Giroux in the Office of Mission at ext. 6191 or by email at Giroux@gonzaga.edu. Space is limited.