

## **Pakistan Committee**

### **Proposal**

Having completed a community-wide evaluation of the work of the Pakistan Committee for the past three years and based on the feedback received from the Community Groups, we, the Loretto Mission in Pakistan Committee, propose that the Loretto Delegate Assembly, gathered in St. Louis, MO in 2009, approve the continuation of this committee.

### **Background/rationale**

Having returned to their homeland, our Pakistani sisters will need the on-going support of the committee and the entire Loretto Community as they begin their work to identify, design and initiate Loretto's mission in Pakistan.

Therefore, the Loretto Mission in Pakistan Committee pledges to: encourage, discern with, provide orientation and prepare Loretto Community members who wish to be a supportive presence to our Pakistani sisters in mission;

- serve as a resource and advisory group to the President and Executive Committee in identifying qualified candidates to "be missioned" to Pakistan;
- explore creative and effective means to keep the flow of communication open between the Loretto Community in the US and Loretto in Pakistan;
- inform and update the Loretto Community and interested persons/communities with whom we are involved of opportunities and media channels/resources to educate ourselves and remain current regarding political, religious and social developments in Pakistan;
- actively serve as a catalyst for identifying and securing the necessary funds to support the needs of the Loretto mission in Pakistan.

### **Implementation**

We propose that this committee be composed of Maria Daniel, Nasreen Daniel, Iffat Peterand Samina Iqbal, to the extent that they are able to be involved; an Executive Committee liaison; and six at-large members to serve staggered terms of 2, 4 and 6 years to ensure continuity and follow through on committee projects and endeavors. This committee would be established for six years and may be continued after evaluation by the Loretto Community.

### **Submitted by**

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**June 26, 2009 — There was unanimous acceptance from all members present. 42 delegates voted in favor of the proposal. Proposal approved.**