

APPEAL VOLUNTEER SPEAKER

Hearing firsthand about the impact of our services from a dedicated Catholic Charities employee or volunteer, or possibly from a former client, can help parishioners better understand our organization and increase their interest. We encourage you to schedule a speaker for your highest attended Masses during a weekend before Catholic Charities Sunday, Palm Sunday.

The speaker will also talk generally about the programs offered by Catholic Charities in your area and the value of our services to Western New York.

Here's what we need to know when requesting a speaker:

- The weekend date you would like to host a speaker
- Times of the Masses you would like covered
- Preferred length of the speaker's presentation
- About when during Mass will the speaker be called forward
- Where, at the parish, should the speaker go when they arrive. (ie. rectory, sacristy, etc.)
- When the speaker should arrive and who will greet them
- Speaker preference (name) if you have one
- Parish contact name and number for the speaker that weekend (in case of emergency or change)

Please send a request and this information to Lyndsey Robichaud at lyndsey.robichaud@ccwny.org or call Lyndsey at 716-218-1400, ext. 2090.