



ANNUAL IMPACT AND MISSION REPORT

**2025 - A Year of  
Unity and Communion**

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"Love is communion and leads to communion."

- Chiara Lubich

# FROM THE EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR

## A Year of Graces and Firsts

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Dear Friends,

This past year, as we marked the first anniversary of the Focolare Foundation, we were moved again and again by a simple truth at the core of the Focolare Movement: giving produces joy — not just for those who receive, but for those who offer. And receiving, done in the spirit of unity, opens doors. It empowers individuals and communities to discover and share their own gifts and talents in ways they may never have imagined possible.

Rooted in Jesus' prayer - **"may they all be one"** (John 17:21) - and inspired by Chiara Lubich's vision of the Communion of Goods, the Foundation exists to make this culture of giving and receiving visible, sustainable, and alive. **In 2025, your generosity far exceeded our expectations.** That is not a statistic. It is a sign of trust, of hope, and of love in action.

This is only the beginning. What we are building together will shape our future - enabling us to sustain and support the Focolare Movement and this extraordinary life of Unity for generations to come.

Looking ahead, new campaigns and projects have already joined our portfolio - we warmly invite you to visit our website to explore the latest additions and stay connected with our mission.

With deep gratitude to our Board, to our staff, and to every donor and friend: thank you for being part of this story.

With joy and appreciation,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Christian Veldboer". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Christian Veldboer  
Executive Director, Focolare Foundation

## Key Moments of 2025

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**NOVEMBER 18, 2025**

**First Anniversary of the Foundation**

One full year of operations - a moment of gratitude for every gift stewarded and relationship built in service of unity.

2

**MAY 2025**

**Margaret Karram & Jesús Morán in DC**

Sustainable Peace Networks Forum.  
Confirmation of the Foundation's global potential.

3

**NOVEMBER 2025**

**Visit to Rome & International Center**

Strong connections established with AMU, New Families, and the International Center - the global heart of the Focolare Movement.

4

**THROUGHOUT 2025**

**Collaboration with Focolare Media and Focolare Movement**

The Foundation served as the charitable home for all tax-deductible giving to Focolare Movement in North America.

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**THROUGHOUT 2025**

**Ecclesial & Civil Society Connections**

New relationships built with ecclesial communities, faith-based organizations, and civil society partners across traditions and borders.

## OUR ORIGIN & VISION

### Born from Chiara's Vision for North America

The Focolare Foundation was established in November 2024 - a milestone in the Focolare Movement's journey in North America. Its creation was inspired by Chiara Lubich's vision of "Operation Unity Washington DC" - her call, in the year 2000, to make the nation's capital a convergence point from which unity could radiate across the United States and, from there, to the world.

Rooted in that prophetic intuition, the Foundation was born not simply as a legal or financial structure, but as a response to a spiritual calling: to give lasting form to the ideal of unity in a country - and a moment in history - where bridges are urgently needed. It serves the Movement's communities, works, and initiatives throughout North America, sustaining their mission and accompanying the many lives shaped by the spirituality of unity.

The Foundation operates on two pillars:

#### Financial Sustainability

Long-term financial sustainability & unified fundraising, stewardship, ethical investment, and transparent management of resources.

#### Relational Impact

Fostering relationships, dialogue & missionary impact - the relational and charismatic heart of the Foundation's work.



Margaret Karram and Jesús Morán with the Board and Staff of the Focolare Foundation in May 2025

"Let's start here in Washington... Here we must develop a project that can be a model of Unity to be exported throughout the United States."

- Chiara Lubich - Washington DC, 2000

This dual approach reflects our conviction that true sustainability requires both financial wisdom and deep human connections. The two are not in tension - they reinforce each other. A Foundation that is financially sound can act with the freedom that love requires. A Foundation rooted in relationship knows where the need is greatest.

The Focolare Foundation serves as a catalyst for change, providing financial support, resources, expertise, and capacity-building to empower communities and organizations while amplifying the impact of grassroots initiatives. We do not simply transfer funds - we accompany, connect, and build. We believe that every dollar given in the spirit of unity carries within it something more than its monetary value: it carries the intention of the giver, the trust of a community, and the hope of those it reaches.

# THE HEART OF OUR MISSION

## Communion of Goods

The Focolare Foundation is entrusted with handling the Communion of Goods on behalf of the Focolare Movement in North America - the lived practice of shared responsibility and mutual support rooted in the earliest Christian communities, ensuring that no one was in need.

This tradition continues today through the generosity of those who choose to participate. Every gift - whether large or small - is an expression of the spirit of love, unity, and mutual care at the heart of Focolare. Contributions are received as a sacred trust and directed toward the designated mission works.

In this way, each act of giving becomes more than a donation: it is a concrete gesture of communion, a powerful witness that a culture of giving is possible.

### Members - 5 Branches



### Local Communities - 8 Communities



"When I arrived at my university from Rwanda almost 8 years ago, I did not know a single person in the US. When I found my Focolare community here in the Boston area about 3 years ago, I was reminded what it means to be a family. I know that if I call, someone will answer. I know that if I have news to share, people will rejoice with me.

And in the last year, I had two financial emergencies that demonstrated that there is sometimes also a concrete communion of goods in addition to the spiritual one. When I got stranded driving to the Mariapolis with my 4-year-old on the side of the road, people stayed on the phone with me.

And when my SNAP benefits were eliminated because of new regulations, my Focolare family helped me stabilize my food situation financially. Even if no one had been able to help, the love of our community would have circulated, and I know God would have taken care of us."

- Community Member, Boston

## THE HEART OF OUR MISSION

### Communion of Goods - Stories from the Field



#### I Carry You With Me

"Only food left was canned soups & dried pastas and \$6 in my bank account. No room on credit card left to spend. Body on fire, physically exhausted, spirit long past spent. Opened my mailbox & discovered your gift card. I take with me your mission, your intentions & your help keeping me alive. Perhaps the very best of Focolare I carry closest, with me every lonely mile."

- Lydia, Long Island Community

#### Easing the Burden

When Stella's husband Alex suffered a stroke requiring multiple surgeries and extensive physical therapy, she faced mounting out-of-pocket hospital bills. Through the Communion of Goods, the Volunteers' fund helped pay off the outstanding medical bills. After a year, Alex fully recovered and is back at work. "Stella is truly grateful for this help, which definitely eased her burdens."

- Volunteers of God, California

#### Building Peace Together

Your contributions enabled 15 US teens to attend Foco School in Castel Gandolfo alongside 250 teenagers worldwide. Highlights: the Festival of Peoples celebrating cultural diversity through music and traditions, and a moving candlelight prayer for peace in the town square. "An inspiring reminder of how your support helps build peace in the world."

- Giampi & Trixie,  
Youth Coordinators



#### Embraced as Family

Our community became aware of a family of refugees from Afghanistan who needed everything: a place to stay, furniture, food, and clothing. We set up a fundraiser over some months. They shared: "We especially thank the Lord for blessing us with you. We are deeply grateful for your unwavering support, for standing with us, and for embracing us as family. Words are not enough."

- DMV, Local Community

#### There When It Counts

The Volunteers' fund helped a woman Volunteer cover an \$800 rent deposit when her family needed to move unexpectedly, and \$500 for car insurance and registration on a donated vehicle. Two other Volunteers were able to attend the 2026 Retreat thanks to subsidized lodging. "She and her family were very grateful!"

- Volunteers of God, Boston

#### An Experience of Family

When Pia fell seriously ill after both she and her husband Mike were laid off, we organized an extraordinary Communion of Goods across all of North America - allowing Volunteers of God from every area to contribute. This helped Mike cover all related obligations, including funeral expenses. "Mike often shared that he had run out of words to express the profound gratitude he felt. It was truly an experience of family."

- Volunteers of God, West Coast



# EMERGENCY RELIEF PROGRAMS - 2025

## Responding to Crisis, across Communities and Continents

When disaster strikes, the Focolare Foundation responds by channeling donor generosity directly to the communities the Focolare Movement accompanies on the ground. Guided by the conviction that love of neighbor becomes urgent and concrete in moments of crisis, our Emergency Relief programs work through trusted local networks to ensure that every gift reaches those who need it most - as a sign of solidarity from one family to another.

### Los Angeles Fire Relief Fund

In January 2025, the Palisades and Eaton fires tore through Los Angeles County, destroying more than 10,000 structures in the largest urban burn California had seen in at least 40 years. In response, the Focolare Foundation launched the Los Angeles Fire Relief Fund to support the Focolare Movement's commitment to accompany those most affected - families who lost their homes, their livelihoods, or both. Rooted in the Movement's call to love one's closest neighbor with renewed attentiveness to those who suffer, the Fund channeled donor generosity directly to individuals and families rebuilding their lives in the aftermath.

This campaign has been closed in the summer of 2025.



Ramos Flores lived in his Altadena home for more than 20 years with his wife, adult son, and two grandchildren - all of it lost in the January 7, 2025 fires. On August 17, the Focolare Foundation presented Ramos with a check from the Los Angeles Fire Relief Fund on the empty lot where his home once stood. Deeply moved, he spoke of seeing the best of humanity in the generosity extended to his family.

"Everything happened so fast. It's incredible to think our house just disappeared. Material things come and go. We've lost memories, photos, and other belongings, but the most important thing is that we're alive."

- Ramos Flores, Altadena, CA

# EMERGENCY RELIEF PROGRAMS - 2025

## Middle East Humanitarian Crisis

**\$550K**

Donations raised worldwide

**500**

Tons of food & medicine

**1,500+**

Tons of aid provided

**1.2M**

Complete meals provided



Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem - Gaza

The campaign addresses the humanitarian crisis affecting civilians in Gaza, the West Bank, and East Jerusalem - struggling with limited access to food, water, and medical care. Support is channeled through the Latin Patriarchate of Jerusalem, coordinated by AMU and the Focolare Movement Emergency Committee.

**Immediate Assistance** - Hundreds of displaced families are supported in church facilities. Ongoing distribution of essentials and medicines to the vulnerable.

**Community Continuity** - Holy Family parish provides refuge and education for displaced children.

**Protection of Social Bonds** - Local parishes and centers offer shelter and protection for those who lost their homes and livelihoods.

### Overall Impact

Guaranteed dignity and safety · Thousands supported · Community structures maintained · Local networks strengthened for reconstruction.

## Ukraine Emergency

**8,260**

Lives directly impacted

**33,040**

Indirect beneficiaries

**9,000+**

Healthcare services provided

**700+**

Psychological support sessions

In partnership with Caritas Spes Ukraine - mobile clinics and home-care services in the Kharkiv and Vinnytsia regions, reaching communities most isolated and affected by bombardments.

**Proximity care** - Mobile clinics bring healthcare directly into homes, shelters, and displacement centers - overcoming logistical, economic, and security barriers.

**Mental health** - In a context marked by trauma, grief, and isolation, psychological support became integral - helping people find stability and trust.

**Continuity** - Constant presence built lasting relationships between healthcare workers and communities, protecting the dignity of the most vulnerable.



Caritas Spes Ukraine mobile medical clinic, Kharkiv

### Overall Impact

Care where it's needed · Tens of thousands reached · Mental health integrated · Trust built with the isolated.

# INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS - 2025

## A Global Network of Solidarity

The Focolare Foundation connects North American donors with transformative projects on every continent, ensuring every gift reaches communities where it makes the most difference.

### Dominican Republic - Café con Leche

500+

Students enrolled

2

New instruments introduced

35+

Years serving the community

Founded in 1990 by Focolare Movement member Marisol Jimenez in Santo Domingo's Herrera neighborhood, Café con Leche has grown from summer volunteer programs into a permanent school educating more than 500 students from basic literacy through workplace skills - with backing from the Dominican government. In 2025, the school launched a music band for children with special educational needs, developing hidden skills, concentration, and motor abilities through violin and wind instrument classes.



"There is a classmate of mine who has many difficulties at home, so he almost never brings a snack. So I talk with my other classmates and we all share a little with him so that he can eat."

- Student, Café con Leche School

### Haiti - PACNE project

115

Children supported

10

New sponsorships

33

Years of program history



Through the initiative of Focolare volunteers in Canada, the United States, and elsewhere, ten new children joined Haiti's distance adoption program this year, bringing the roster to 115. The addition reversed natural attrition - down from 131 in 2024 to 105 entering 2025 as children completed the program - securing continuity and renewed momentum in its 33rd year. A testament to what mission-driven partnership across three countries can accomplish.

"Ten new adoptions this year - through Focolare volunteers in Canada, the United States, and elsewhere - a victory for the program's continuity. From our volunteers, parents, and children here: thanks to God, thanks to the movement, thanks to the godparents, thanks to PACNE."

- Savanette, Haiti - February 2025

## INTERNATIONAL PROGRAMS - 2025

### Supporting Children at a Distance

40,000

Family members  
reached

70+

Active impact  
projects

42

Countries  
worldwide

Support at a Distance is AFN's flagship program, rooted in the Focolare Movement's 1970s tradition of family-based solidarity. It serves orphans, refugees, street children, and children from poor families through integrated support in nutrition, education, and medical care. Now evolved into sustainable community development, the program lets supporters back an individual child or an entire project, accompanying communities toward autonomy and freedom.



Born with hearing difficulties, Zaid struggled to fit in at public school - until he found the EHIS center in Aleppo, supported by the Focolare Movement's Seeds of Hope program. Among children who shared his experience, he made friends and, word by word, began to speak more clearly. Asked what he wanted to say to his mother, he answered:

"I may be weak, or not speak well, but because you are with me, mom, I am very intelligent, my friends love me, and they tell me my smile is beautiful. Thank you, Mom."

- Zaid, age 10, Syria

### Int. Center for Unity & Peace Jerusalem

12,700 sf

Total planned  
built area

2

Acres of  
grounds

150-Seat

Auditorium  
for meetings



Design proposal for the ICUPJ

The International Center for Unity & Peace in Jerusalem (ICUPJ) fulfills a vision Chiara Lubich first expressed in 1956 at the site of St. Peter in Gallicantu on Mt. Zion - tradition's setting for Jesus' prayer "that they may all be one" (John 17:21). Built on four pillars - spirituality, study, dialogue, and formation - the Center will serve as a space for interreligious and intercultural encounter in the Holy City, open to visitors and residents alike, and dedicated to peace education among Christians, Jews, and Muslims.

"I remember there, at the stone steps, I felt a burning desire in my heart... to build a focolare, to bring people there who... would consecrate their lives to keeping Jesus in their midst, so that He might still be there, spiritually present, as He once was physically."

- Chiara Lubich, July 25, 1960

# US & CANADA PROGRAMS - 2025

## Focolare Media

41,500

Book copies distributed

12

New books published

15M

Hallow App users reached

82 / 52

Articles / Videos published

Focolare Media is the Focolare Movement's US-based publishing and media apostolate, producing books, articles, videos, and podcasts that share the charism of unity with Catholic and ecumenical audiences. Through books and Living City magazine, and an expanding digital footprint, it brings the spirituality of unity into parishes, universities, seminaries, and the broader media marketplace.

In 2025 Focolare Media presented the complete Works of Saint Augustine to Pope Leo XIV and saw a notable growth in online readership and engagement with universities, and church communities. Donations are channeled through the Focolare Foundation, which partners with Focolare Media to advance their shared mission in the US.



[Click here](#) to view the 2025 Impact Report.

"Together, we are shaping a world where unity is not just an ideal but a lived reality."

- Matteo Pota, CEO, Focolare Media

## Focolare Forum for Dialogue & Culture

120

Leaders convened at Forum

90+

Organizations represented



"No one passes us in vain."

- Chiara Lubich, echoed by Margaret Karam in her opening address, May 2025.

The Focolare Forum is the Focolare Movement's US platform for interreligious, interchurch, and intercultural encounter, advancing the charism of unity through dialogue, study, and joint action. In 2025, the Forum's flagship initiative was the Sustainable Peace Networks Forum, which convened leaders, grassroots activists, NGOs, and institutional voices from diverse churches, religions, and cultural traditions. Focolare Movement President Margaret Karam delivered the opening address, and participants committed to co-developing a shared "Peace Protocol," alongside a broader process to build a "network of networks" for grassroots peace.

The Forum also sustained year-round dialogue with Muslim and Jewish friends and deepened collaboration with a growing network of partner organizations - universities, NGOs, peacebuilding coalitions, and faith-based institutions - fostering a culture of encounter, mutual care, and shared responsibility for peace.

## US & CANADA PROGRAMS - 2025

### Economy of Communion (EoC)

Business doesn't have to be selfish. Business can be a gift. The Economy of Communion (EoC) is a global network of businesses inspired by Chiara Lubich, who launched this initiative in Brazil in 1991.

Today, more than 750 businesses worldwide voluntarily share a portion of their profits with those in need and invest in their communities - putting the human person, not capital, at the center of enterprise. The EoC is a living expression of the "culture of giving" - the same spirit that animates the Communion of Goods.

The Foundation supports EoC formation activities in North America and the EoC Project at Creighton University, a three-year initiative at the Heider College of Business made possible by a grant from the John Templeton Foundation, developing free educational resources to form a new generation of business leaders for whom profit serves a greater purpose.

40+  
Businesses in  
North America

1991  
Founded by  
Chiara Lubich



"Communion is not only the sharing but also the multiplying of goods, the creation of new bread, of new goods, of new Good with a capital G."

- Pope Francis, EoC address 2017

### Racial Equity - Courageous Conversations

351  
Newsletter  
subscribers

165  
Online Audience  
connected

[Click here](#) to view the 2025 Impact Report.



Originally called Courageous Conversations, Racial Equity was born in the wake of George Floyd's murder and the social inequities of 2020. Its mission: turn conversation into concrete action - creating safe spaces, fostering self-awareness, and building an anti-racist society rooted in the Focolare charism of unity.

2025 events: Raising Hope Conference (Laudato Si anniversary, Nov 2025) · Racial Wealth Gap session with Margaret Karram & Jesús Morán (June 2025) · 90-min workshop at Northeast Mariapolis

"These gatherings open my eyes and my heart more to the people around me, making me want to treat each one with the dignity they deserve as children of God."

- Program Participant

## US & CANADA PROGRAMS - 2025

### Youth Center for North America



75+

Leadership program participants

9

Renowned speakers featured

30

Youth participated at Genfest

To inspire and mobilize young people from all backgrounds to live for a more united world.

- from YCNA Mission Statement

In 2025, the YCNA leadership program witnessed profound transformations. Through accompaniment, deep listening, and the exploration of the spirituality of unity, participants discovered not just leadership skills, but life-changing tools for work, relationships, and personal growth. Participants included young adults throughout North America, youth from the Focolare Media and Lenscape Media internship programs, and the Holy Family youth group in NYC.

Topics: From workplace conflict to understanding · Freedom from digital anxiety · The freedom of healthy boundaries · Remaining grounded through family crisis · Discovering the depths of Focolare spirituality · Leading a team with human dignity as the framework.

[Click here](#) to view the 2025 Impact Report.

### Washington, D.C. Hub



Everything begins with Chiara Lubich's remarkable intuition. During her 2000 visit to the US she articulated: "In these lands of abundance, variety, and division, the Focolare's mission is to bring together and create communion and give a soul to plurality." She saw Washington DC as a convergence point.

This campaign translates that vision into reality: building or acquiring Focolare community houses, a hospitality space, and meeting rooms. These spaces will offer a lasting home for formation, community life, dialogue and encounter in the heart of the city.

### Focolare Movement Endowment Fund



The Focolare Foundation is built on the lasting legacy of the Focolare Movement's little city "Mariapolis Luminosa" - a place that brought the ideals of unity and love to life for countless individuals and families across North America.

The pending sale of the Mariapolis Luminosa property will provide the foundation for a permanent endowment that will sustain the Movement's mission for generations to come. Contributions are invested to generate income, which funds program expenses in the long run - ensuring financial stability so the Movement's work can continue.

## EXPANDING THE MISSION

### Looking Ahead - New Horizons of Unity

In 2026 the Focolare Foundation expands its reach with new programs that carry the charism of unity into fresh contexts - accompanying young adults in discernment at home, and standing with vulnerable families across the world. Each new initiative is a response to needs the Movement has heard and a sign of what generosity makes possible.

### US & Canada Programs: Focolare Discernment Experience

Launched in 2026, the Focolare Discernment Experience accompanies young adults seeking clarity around major life decisions and personal vocation, grounded in the spirituality of the Focolare Movement. In a culture of noise, distraction, and pressure to decide quickly, the program offers something countercultural: time, silence, companionship, and a path for listening to God's voice.

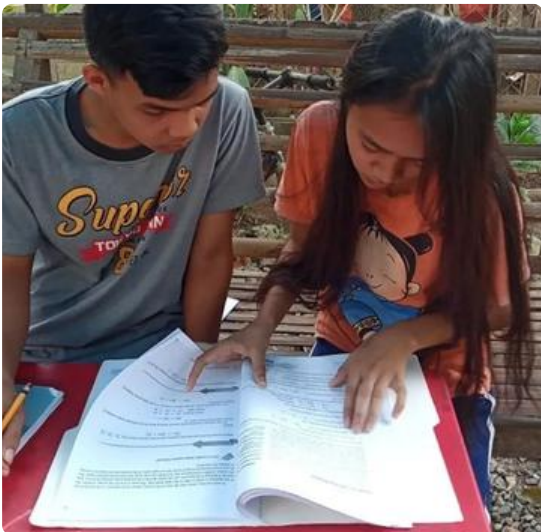
Through five monthly live-in weekends of prayer, mentoring, and reflection - culminating in a mission experience - participants encounter the Focolare charism as a model of attentive discernment. They walk alongside peers and mentors through questions of faith, relationships, work, and purpose. Two Focolare communities in Houston, Texas have been opened to support this mission.



"Now is the time to dream big, be open to what God can do through your lives."

- Pope Leo XIV, National Catholic Youth Conference, Indianapolis, 2025

### International Programs: Social Centers of the Philippines



Born in the 1980s amid social unrest when Focolare youth responded to Chiara Lubich's call to serve those most in need. Today, Bukas Palad and Pag-asa accompany vulnerable children and families through education support, health services, skills training, livelihood projects, and community-building - always upholding dignity and promoting unity.

Your gift directly supports these families and helps build a brighter future. The Focolare Foundation supports and partners with centers in Cebu, Manila, La Union, and Tagaytay.

#### Services provided

Education support & tutoring · Medical consultations & preventive health care · Skills training & livelihood projects · Community-building & social accompaniment

# TRANSPARENCY & STEWARDSHIP

## Financial Overview - Income - 2025



### UNRESTRICTED FUND

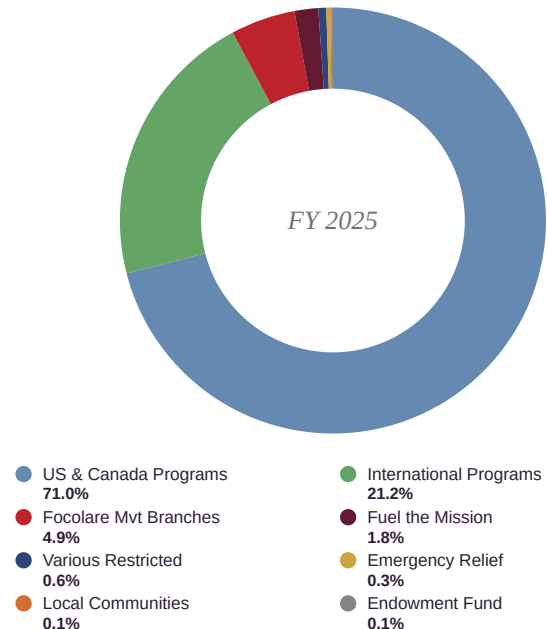
<b>FUEL THE MISSION</b> <i>Unrestricted giving that supports the Foundation's operation and strategic priorities</i>	<b>\$130,885</b>
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### RESTRICTED FUNDS & CAMPAIGNS

<b>Emergency Relief</b> Los Angeles Fire Relief Fund Middle East Humanitarian Crisis Ukraine Emergency	<b>\$19,677</b> \$955 \$8,931 \$9,791
<b>International Programs</b> Café con Leche Haiti (PACNE) Int. Center for Unity & Peace Jerusalem Supporting Children at a Distance	<b>\$1,571,206</b> \$2,706 \$4,509 \$1,550,000 \$13,991
<b>US and Canada Programs</b> Economy of Communion Focolare Forum for Dialogue & Culture Focolare Media Mariapolis Luminosa Racial Equity Youth Center for North America (YCNA) Washington, D.C. Hub	<b>\$5,253,306</b> \$5,859 \$5,267 \$252,887 \$178,815 \$1,082 \$2,500 \$4,806,896
<b>Various Restricted Donations</b> Various Restricted - International Projects Various Restricted - US & Canada Projects	<b>\$42,259</b> \$20,000 \$22,259
<b>Focolare Movement Endowment Fund</b>	<b>\$4,568</b>
<b>Local Communities</b> Bay Area · Boston · CenTex · DMV · Long Island · Midwest · New Jersey · SoCal	<b>\$8,952</b>

### COMMUNION OF GOODS

<b>Focolare Movement Branches</b> Focolarine & Focolarini Gen Priests Volunteers of God - Men & Women	<b>\$362,892</b> \$169,891 \$3,892 \$14,692 \$174,417
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# TRANSPARENCY & STEWARDSHIP

## Financial Overview - How Your Donations Were Used - 2025



98¢ of every dollar to mission!

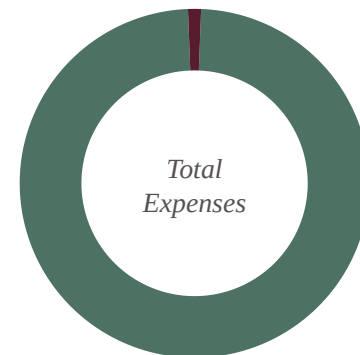
Year-End Summary	Total Revenue	Total Expenses	Net Surplus	Net Assets (Year-End)
	<b>\$7,541,468</b>	<b>\$7,327,508</b>	<b>\$213,960</b>	<b>\$194,904</b>

### ● Program Services · \$7,236,487

Grants - Focolare Movement - North America	\$5,604,747
Grants - Focolare Movement - International	\$1,596,480
Investment Management (program)	\$13,276
Accounting & Professional Services	\$7,056
Travel	\$5,940
Information Technology (program)	\$5,847
Conferences & Meetings	\$3,053
Office Expenses (program)	\$88

### ● Management & General · \$91,021

Investment Management (admin)	\$54,835
Legal Fees	\$27,738
Information Technology (admin)	\$5,847
Management Services	\$1,595
Office Expenses (admin)	\$1,006



● Program Services	<b>98.8%</b>	\$7,236,487
● Mgmt & General	<b>1.2%</b>	\$91,021

## A Word on Stewardship

The Focolare Foundation is committed to transparency and responsible stewardship of every gift entrusted to us. In 2025, 98 cents of every dollar spent went directly to program services - grants and support to Focolare communities and initiatives in North America and worldwide. We are a qualified charitable organization under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, recognized under the U.S. Conference of Catholic Bishops Group Ruling GEN 0928.

Contributions are tax-deductible to the extent provided by law. The Foundation maintains separate restricted accounts for each fund to ensure that designated gifts reach their intended purpose. Investment assets are held and managed through the Catholic Community Foundation of Minnesota (CCF), a mission-aligned custodian consistent with our values.

## COMMUNITY & COLLABORATION

### A Global Network of Solidarity

The Foundation does not work alone. In 2025 we were sustained by the Movement's diverse branches and by a growing network of ecclesial and civil society partners committed to building a more united world.

#### Focolare Movement North America - [focolare.us](https://focolare.us)

- Economy of Communion Project - [economyofcommunion.org](https://economyofcommunion.org)
- Focolare Media - [focolaremedia.com](https://focolaremedia.com)
- Forum for Dialogue & Culture - [focolare.us/forum-for-dialogue](https://focolare.us/forum-for-dialogue)
- Youth Center for North America (YCNA) - [ycna.focolare.us](https://ycna.focolare.us)
- Racial Equity - [racialequity.focolare.us](https://racialequity.focolare.us)

#### Focolare Movement International - [focolare.org](https://focolare.org)

- AFN/New Families - [afnonlus.org/en](https://afnonlus.org/en)
- International Center for Unity and Peace - [icupj.org](https://icupj.org)
- AMU / United World Project - [amu-it.eu/en](https://amu-it.eu/en)
- New Humanity - [new-humanity.org/en](https://new-humanity.org/en)
- Bukas Palad Philippines - [bukaspaladcebubfoundation.org](https://bukaspaladcebubfoundation.org)

#### Operational Partners - Special Thanks

**Catholic Community Foundation  
of Minnesota (CCF)**

[ccf-mn.org](https://ccf-mn.org)

Investment stewardship partner

**Synodal Consulting LLC**

[synodalconsulting.org](https://synodalconsulting.org)

Strategic & executive coaching

**Yoder Henley Development Resources**

Fundraising & development consulting

**Prograff**

Project Management and Fundraising

Office of the Focolare Movement

Rocca di Papa, Italy

[focolare.foundation/  
ways-to-give](https://focolare.foundation/ways-to-give)

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Be Part of the **Communion**

In every gift, however modest, love takes concrete form:  
sustaining communities, supporting our mission, and building  
a world where all may be one.

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