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**SISTERS OF NOTRE DAME DE NAMUR**

*together making a difference*



Dear Friend,

We join in grieving and praying for the victims of the synagogue shooting in Pittsburgh. The Sisters will be praying for them and for all your deceased loved ones during November.

Let us continue to pray for one another, for our country and the many needs of our world....and to vote in next Tuesday's election! In searching for some timely words to share about the importance of voting, I found this quote from Martin Luther King: *"Our lives begin to end the day we become silent about things that matter."*

*Monica*

Monica May  
Development Director



***Marty and Mary Fox, and St. Julie Billiart were among the honored guests who gave us reason to celebrate.***

## **Celebrating with Supporters!**

Donor friends gathered with the Sisters for an event recently at the Province Center in Belmont. Sisters shared with supporters some of the many ways their contributions are making a difference -- in a southern California detention center, with ESL students in Redwood City, in teacher training in South Sudan, in the work of Notre Dame AmeriCorps....and more.

The program included a Mass of Thanksgiving (we prayed for ALL of you!), a barbecue and even a special raffle.

**[For more information and to view a photo gallery, click here.](#)**

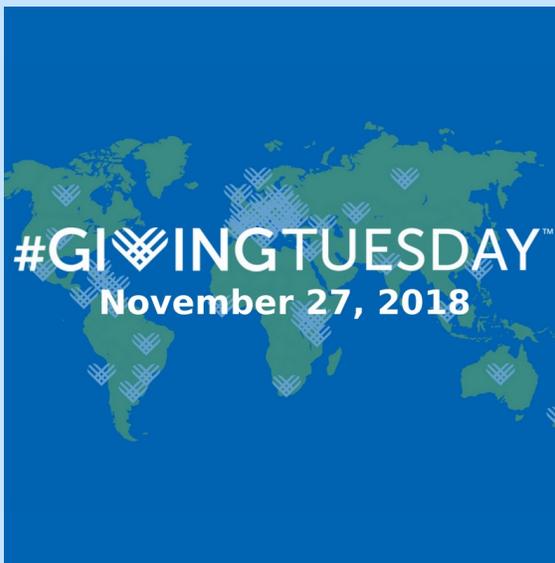
## **Expanding Educational Opportunities**

Notre Dame de Namur University (NDNU) recently received a \$2.5 million Title V grant from US Department of Education to support programs that recruit, retain & advise transfer, first-generation-to-college, and Latino/a students.

Congratulations to all at NDNU!



[Read more about the grant here.](#)



## Bread and Books for Children in Haiti

This year, we invite you to participate again in #GivingTuesday, an annual event on the Tuesday following Thanksgiving Day that shifts the focus from holiday shopping to contributing to worthy causes.

Funds raised on #Giving Tuesday will strengthen the Sisters' work with people struggling in Haiti.

Watch for more information coming soon!



## All Souls Day Remembrance

The Sisters invite you to share names of your loved ones so they can join you in praying for them throughout November. Visit the [All Souls Day Remembrance page here.](#)

Also, you are welcome to join the Notre Dame de Namur University community and Sisters at an All Souls/Dia de los Muertos Mass on Sunday, November 4 at 7pm in Cunningham Chapel on campus. For directions and a campus map, [visit this page.](#) We hope to see you there!

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