"I invite you to listen to and follow Jesus, and to allow yourselves to be transformed interiorly by his words, which "are spirit and life" (Jn 6:62). Mary, the Mother of Jesus and ours, also says to us: "Do whatever he tells you" (Jn 2:5).

–Pope Francis, January 15, 2014
Lord Jesus, through the intercession of your Most Holy Mother Mary, we implore you to inspire many young men and women to consecrate themselves to you as priests and religious, especially in the Diocese of Spokane. Break through the noise and distractions which make it hard to hear your voice. Place in their hearts joyful courage to respond generously to your call, and a profound desire to spend their lives in service to you and your people.

When you called, even Lazarus awoke.

Call us, Lord, and help us to take our place in the mission of your Church, for you live and reign with the Father and the Holy Spirit, forever and ever.

Amen.