

At CTK, we value authenticity, simplicity, empowerment, relationship, and caring about the community we live in. One key way we serve is by empowering small groups to make a difference through our local partners who address important issues for those in the hardest life circumstances. The opportunity below is a chance to tangibly demonstrate God's care, compassion, and love for those around us. As your church, we hope this makes it easy for you to put the Great Commandment to love your neighbor as yourself into action!

VOLUNTEER @ SKI TO SEA RACE AS A GROUP!

Who are we serving?

Whatcom Events hosts the annual Ski to Sea Race. We rely almost exclusively on our incredible team of more than 900 volunteers to pull off this vibrant community event. Each year, we hope that our volunteer efforts and the generosity of our sponsors results in net profits that we can donate to local 501(c)(3) charitable beneficiaries. Join us in being part of the fun of Bellingham and Whatcom County's largest and most iconic event, the 46th annual Ski to Sea Race.

Who is helping connect us to their needs?

Whatcom Events is a Volunteer-driven non-profit organization that believes in sustainable management of events that showcase the diverse natural beauty and outdoor recreational opportunities Whatcom County has to offer while supporting local non-profit organizations. Thanks to our volunteers and sponsors, we were fortunate to be able to return a total of \$61,300 to our community since 2014 alone.

How are we serving?

We need volunteers on Race Day Sunday, May 27th as well as for set-up the day before. Race Day shifts range from 3am-1pm on the mountain to 2-7pm at the Finish Line. We also have opportunities to help with course clearing at Hovander Park the weekend before the race as well as equipment transfer (requires heavy lifting) the Tues-Thur before the race and after. All volunteers receive a T-shirt and lunch!

Who do you contact to commit to this opportunity and work out the details?

Signing up to volunteer is easy and you can pick your preferred days, times and location. Go to <http://skitosea.com/volunteer> and simply fill out the volunteer form. Ashlee, our volunteer coordinator can be reached at volunteer@skitosea.com and our office phone number is 360-746-8861.

If you need help in the process, Wendy at CTK is available (wendyp@ctk.church or 733-1337 ext 212
Please share your project with us by using the hashtag **#CTKserves** on social media!