

Associated Faithful -

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Ch 1, 2. 1. ° lay faithful who do not assume the evangelical counsels by a sacred bond, and who personally embrace a vocation to fully live their baptismal commitments in the midst of temporal realities according to the spirit and mission that inspires this Federation; (Statutes) REGNUM CHRISTI
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The Regnum Christi Federation – a spiritual family

- Legion of Christ
- Society of Apostolic Life of Consecrated Women of Regnum Christi
- Society of Apostolic Life of Consecrated Men of Regnum Christi
- Associated Faithful

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Renewal produced 2 documents directly relevant to we the associated faithful/lay RC:

- Statutes of the RC Federation (Statutes)
- Rule of Life of the Lay Faithful Associated to the Regnum Christi Federation (Rule)



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- The Contribution of the Lay RC members:
- Chapter 1, 5. § 4. The associated faithful contribute their secular nature and their apostolic action. The laypeople extend Christ's presence in the midst of the world and seek to transform temporal realities with the message of the Gospel, especially family life, professional life and life in society. (Statutes)

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Our Mission

 8. To fulfill our mission, we seek to make present the mystery of Christ who goes out to people, reveals the love of his heart to them, gathers them together and forms them as apostles and Christian leaders, sends them out and accompanies them as they collaborate in the evangelization of people and of society. (Statutes)



All members of Regnum Christi Federation:

Chapter 2, Article 1 Ultimate purpose

• 7. We seek to give glory to God and make the Kingdom of Christ present in the hearts of all people and in society, by our sanctification in the state and condition of life to which God has called us, and by personal and communal apostolic action. (Statutes)

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Beautiful 20 minute presentation on these 2 sections by Fr. Brett Taira, LC – Heart of the RC Federation

Easy way to begin exposing your teams to the Statutes and putting in words what we feel in our hearts about the Movement.

https://soundcloud.com/brett-taira-lc/heart-of-the-regnum-christi-federation



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- · Note the key words of our mission
- 8. To fulfill our mission, we seek to make present the mystery of Christ who goes out to people, reveals the love of his heart to them, gathers them together and forms them as apostles and Christian leaders, sends them out and accompanies them as they collaborate in the evangelization of people and of society. (Statutes)

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Chapter 1, Article 2, Formation

- 6. Lay members of Regnum Christi begin a journey of formation This journey helps them to grow in human and Christian maturity according to their state in life, to collaborate effectively in the apostolate, and to illuminate and transform the realities of the world in Christ.
- 7. § 1. Lay members of Regnum Christi assume personal responsibility for their own formation. (Rule)

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Chapter 2, Article 2, Appropriate formation

- 30. § 1.... This formation must help us discover the full meaning of our lives in Christ, be configured to him, and fulfill our mission. Formation should be integral and include all the dimensions of the person.
- § 2. Each federated institution is responsible for the formation of its members . . . (Statutes)

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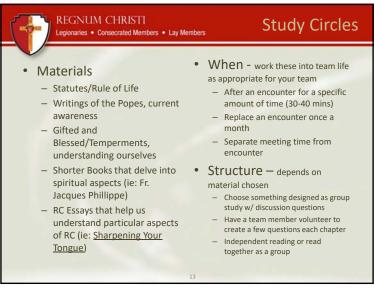
Formation Within The Team Intellectual/Human

Study Circles

Team Analysis

Team Dialogue

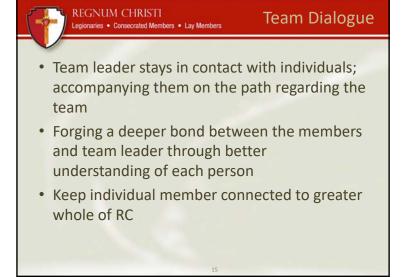
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REGNUM CHRISTI **Team Analysis** egionaries . Consecrated Members . Lay Members · Additional opportunity • When - what works for bonding as a team best for team - Have snacks! Dayton teams use the 5th Monday in the months it Group conversation and occurs social time with a purpose - Discussion of team apostolic activity - Discussion of study circle materials

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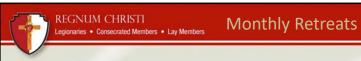
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Formation Within The Team
Spiritual

Monthly Retreats
Spiritual Exercises
Spiritual Direction

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Structured/planned time to be with Christ

- Mornings/Evenings of Reflection
- RCSpirituality.org can be done individually or as a team

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Spiritual Direction

DO NOT inquire about what is being discussed during direction

- Discuss in Team Dialogue have a spiritual guide? Are able to make it there?
- Discuss in Team Analysis Do women need babysitters? Carpooling? Group schedules?

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Spiritual Exercises

Critical component of an RC member's spiritual life

- Discuss schedule/opportunities often in Encounter/Team Analysis
- Creative ways to assist/enable team members to attend
- Scholarship/fundraising so money is not an obstacle

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Formation Within The Team Other Types

Regnum Christi Conventions
Days of Formation
National & Local Websites

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Chapter 3, Article 1

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35 § 1. Accompaniment is required to form convinced apostles who aspire to the fullness of life in Christ. Accompaniment is understood as close, stable personal attention marked by selfless service. It seeks to help the other be open to the action of grace and contribute their own human collaboration, so they can respond to the questions and challenges they encounter on their journey of human and spiritual growth. (Statutes)