



COMPANIONS OF CONSOLATION APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

ANIMA CHRISTI MISSIONARIES OF CONSOLATION (ACMC)

Walking Together in His Love

Application to Become a Companion

"Comfort, comfort my people, says your God." - Isaiah 40:1

The Companions of Consolation are lay women and men, clergy, and consecrated persons who desire to share in the prayer, Franciscan spirituality, friendship, and works of consolation of ACMC while remaining faithful to their own vocation and state of life.

Submitting this application begins a process of welcome, discernment, orientation, and formation. It does not automatically constitute admission as a Companion.

I. PERSONAL INFORMATION

Full legal name _____

Preferred name _____ Date of birth _____

Street address _____

City _____ State/Province _____ Postal code _____

Country _____ Telephone / WhatsApp _____

Email _____

Occupation / profession _____

Marital status ☐ Single ☐ Married ☐ Widowed ☐ Religious / Clergy

II. FAITH AND PARISH INFORMATION

Are you Catholic? ☐ Yes ☐ No

Parish / Church _____ Diocese _____

Pastor / Parish Priest _____

How are you currently involved in your parish or Christian community?



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DISCERNMENT

III. YOUR INTEREST IN THE COMPANIONS OF CONSOLATION

How did you hear about the Companions of Consolation?

Why do you feel drawn to become a Companion of Consolation?

What does Christian consolation mean to you?

How do you presently serve people who are poor, suffering, lonely, displaced, grieving, sick, or otherwise in need?

IV. SPIRITUAL LIFE

Briefly describe your present prayer and spiritual life.



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SPIRITUALITY AND SERVICE

IV. SPIRITUAL LIFE (CONTINUED)

Which aspects of ACMC spirituality particularly attract you? Check all that apply.

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| ☐ Eucharistic spirituality | ☐ Sacred Heart spirituality |
| ☐ Franciscan spirituality | ☐ Devotion to Our Lady |
| ☐ Prayer and intercession | ☐ Works of mercy |
| ☐ Service to the poor and vulnerable | ☐ Evangelization |
| ☐ Consolation and accompaniment | |

Other _____

V. GIFTS AND SERVICE

What gifts, talents, professional skills, or experiences might you share in support of the mission?

Areas in which you may be interested in serving:

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| ☐ Prayer ministry | ☐ Evangelization |
| ☐ Homeless / street outreach | ☐ Orphans, widows, displaced persons |
| ☐ Visiting the sick or elderly | ☐ Mental-health and family outreach |
| ☐ Fundraising / mission development | ☐ Communications / social media |
| ☐ Administrative assistance | ☐ Vocation and formation support |
| ☐ Professional / technical services | |

Other _____

VI. DISCERNMENT AND COMMITMENT

Becoming a Companion involves a spiritual relationship with ACMC and participation, according to one's circumstances, in prayer, formation, fellowship, and works of consolation.

Are you willing to participate in an initial period of orientation and formation?

- ☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I would like more information



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APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

VI. DISCERNMENT AND COMMITMENT (CONTINUED)

Are you willing to support ACMC's spiritual and apostolic mission according to your abilities and state of life?

☐ Yes ☐ No ☐ I would like to discern further

Is there anything else you would like us to know as we accompany your discernment?

VII. APPLICANT'S STATEMENT

I freely submit this application expressing my desire to discern becoming a Companion of Consolation associated with the Anima Christi Missionaries of Consolation.

I understand that submitting this application does not itself constitute admission. I am willing to participate in the discernment, orientation, and formation process established by ACMC and, with God's grace, to seek ways of bringing Christ's consolation to a wounded world through prayer, Christian witness, compassion, and service.

Applicant's typed name _____

Signature _____ Date _____

FOR ACMC USE

Date received _____ Received by _____

Interview / conversation date _____ Orientation assigned _____

Recommendation ☐ Proceed to orientation ☐ Further discernment ☐ Follow-up needed
☐ Not admitted at this time

Confidential notes