



THE ORDER OF THE DAUGHTERS OF THE HOLY CROSS

To equip God's people to to his work and build up the church, the body of Christ
Ephesians 4:12

INTENT for Candidate(s) Training

This form is to be completed and submitted by the convener, who is either a member or nonmember. Once the form has been received by the Membership Chair, a mentor will be assigned if necessary.

The Order of the Daughters of the Holy Cross requires its members to affirm and adhere to the following Faith Statement:

FAITH STATEMENT OF THE ORDER

We believe and confess Jesus Christ to be the Way, the Truth, and the Life; no one comes to the Father but by Him. Therefore, The Order of the Daughters of the Holy Cross identifies the following four elements as essential for membership.

1. We confess the canonical books of the Old and New Testaments to be the inspired Word of God, containing all things necessary for salvation, and to be the final authority and unchangeable standard for Christian faith.
2. We confess Baptism and the Holy Eucharist to be Sacraments ordained by Christ Himself in the Gospel, and thus to be ministered with un failing use of His words of institution and of the elements ordained by Him.
3. We confess as proved by most certain warrants of Holy Scripture the historic faith of the undivided church as declared in the three Catholic Creeds; the Apostles, the Nicene and the Athanasian.
4. We confess that the Holy Orders of Bishops, Priest and Deacons have been entrusted with safe-guarding the Church and the faith that was once for all entrusted to the saints.

Before submitting this form, you may wish to determine if the potential candidates and your clergy will be able to sign the membership application form that requires individual compliance with the above statement.

Today's Date: _____ Date: Training will begin: _____

Your Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

Email: _____

Church Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Phone: _____

I am a member: Yes: No: My Chapter Number is: _____ I am a DAL:

Once all the information has been filled in, please, print and attach a printed list of the prospective members' names. Mail to the Membership Chairperson at the address below prior to the second training session

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Date Recorded: _____