

Team Dialogue

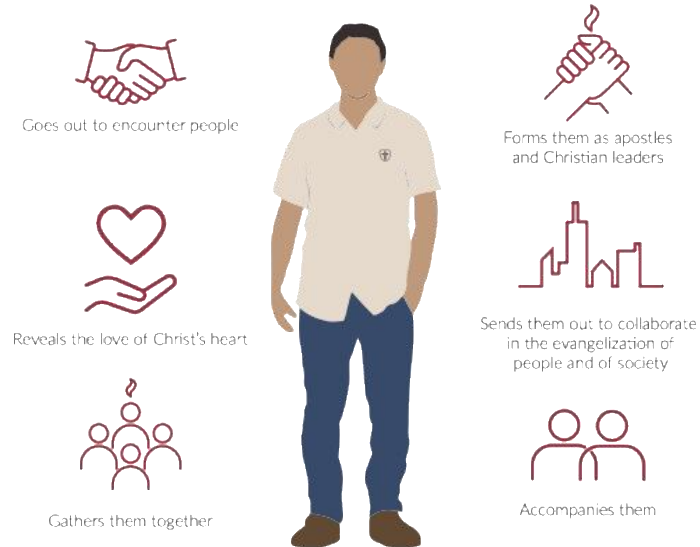


A Focused Means of Accompaniment

The Context of Team Dialogue



TRAITS OF THE REGNUM CHRISTI LAY APOSTLE



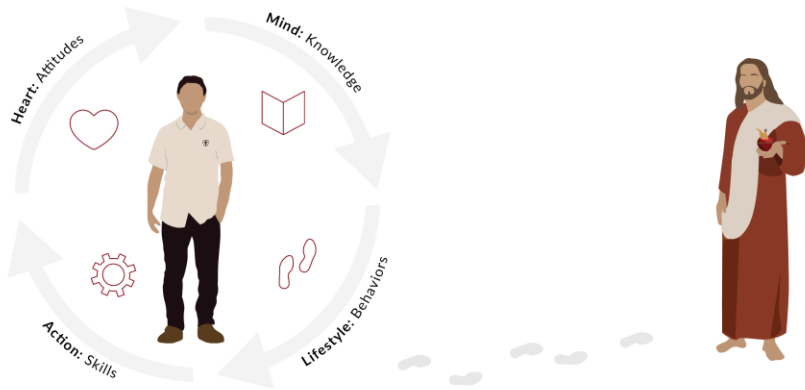
The Regnum Christi Team

The **team** is the natural setting for formation to develop (Cf. RL #14). The team leader accompanies each individual on their process of formation; but also, the team as a community of apostles accompany each other in their journey of formation together (Cf. RL #14 and 30).

Accompaniment of the Member



The Journey to Christ



The Team Leader

Transformation into Christ does not happen overnight but occurs gradually. The Team Leader should be familiar with the different opportunities and formative moments that are available in the section, the locality where applicable and or the diocese to support this transformation.

Formation (Rule of Life)

Formation



7. §1. Lay members of Regnum Christi assume personal responsibility for their own formation.

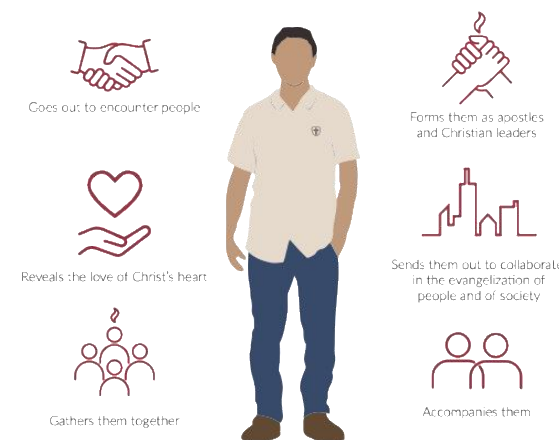


§2. The competent Federation authority must establish a formation plan that offers them objectives, guidelines and means.



Being an Apostle Article 3 ROL

9. Lay members of Regnum Christi ardently seek to establish and extend the Kingdom of Christ among all people. They let themselves be permeated by Christ's charity towards humanity and bring their apostolic zeal to life through intimate contact with him. They long for Christ to conquer their own souls and the souls of all those around them. Impelled by the Holy Spirit and in the style of St. Paul, they endeavor to be supernatural in their aspirations, magnanimous of heart, audacious in self-giving, tenacious in the face of difficulties, and practical and effective in action. They seek to transform the world in Christ. Their motto is, "Christ our King. Thy Kingdom Come!"



Therefore, the lay members
of Regnum Christi:

1. ° seek to encounter Christ
daily in prayer, and to witness
to him in the various
circumstances of life;

2. ° in living their lay vocation,
they make it their first priority to
live their family life and the duties
of their state in life, enlightened
by the Word of God and Church
teaching;

5. ° start and participate in
apostolic initiatives and works,
according to their possibilities;

4. ° take on their responsibility as
lay faithful to bring the light of the
Gospel into the public, cultural,
economic, political, academic and
social arenas of life. They also seek
to awaken the apostolic
commitment of different kinds of
leaders in the world, so they live
their ethical and religious
convictions more coherently.

3. ° seek to engage others in the
concrete realities of their lives to
proclaim the Gospel to them and
invite them to participate in
Christ's mission;

6. ° seek to participate in parish
and diocesan life, contributing
the Regnum Christi charism to
the local Church;

7. ° desire to share with others
the gift of God they have
discovered in Regnum Christi.
So they introduce and invite
others to Regnum Christi, and
accompany those who show an
interest in getting to know it, or in
participating in its spirituality
and mission

Team Dialogue

What it is Not

- Team Dialogue is not spiritual direction
- Team Dialogue is not a check list of questions assessing the performance of a team member.



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What Team Dialogue is

- An opportunity to speak one on one with each member entrusted to your care about their life in Regnum Christi and show how much you value the member
- It is important to keep in mind that life in Regnum Christi cannot be limited to a series of means, activities or regular meetings. It is above all a loving relationship with Christ in the Church, that imprints on us a particular style of Christian life and urges us to do apostolate according to each person's circumstances and possibilities, using the means that God gives each one.





Forums for Dialogue

Questions one might ask?

- How do you feel the Encounters w/ Christ are going? Do you find them engaging? (If the answer is no, ask them what would help improve their experience?)
- How is your relationship with the other men/women on the team?
- How are they living their apostolic life? How is their apostolic work- life balance? Is it too much work, not enough? Do they need a new challenge?
- Are they participating in the life of the section?
- Are you able to see your spiritual director on a regular basis? (if not why? Is it them or the Spiritual Director? Are they happy w/ their SD? Do they need a new one? *(Members do not need to disclose who they see, only that they have access to one as often as they need and it is a good relationship).*
- Where along the path is this member in their formation journey?
- What are they doing to continue to grow in their understanding of the catholic faith and their life in Regnum Christi?
- Do they have a particular interest they would like to study or explore?
- Are they aware of and utilizing the resources within the Formation Pathway?

Apostolic Dialogue - a specific form of dialogue

It is meant for both accompaniment within the work of apostolate and a means for accountability. The nature of the meeting is around the action plan/ program for the apostolate.

Questions center around the work itself and the person doing the work.

- How is execution of the plan, any challenges the leader is facing, any ways the Section Leadership can support the work.
- How's the work life balance of the apostle? Are they tired, burned out or thriving?