REGNUM CHRISTI

The Role of the RC Group Leader

Mission Statement

The RC group leader serves as a liaison between teams and the section, facilitates formation, apostolic initiatives, and collaboration among teams within their assigned group while accompanying team leaders in their development and service under the direction of the section director. (RL 31, 32)

Functions

1. **Connect teams with section leadership**
    a. Serve as liaison between team leaders & section director (RL 31,32)
    b. Communicate section initiatives & direction to team leaders (RL 32)
    c. Facilitate unity and common vision across teams (RL 14, RL 16)
2. **Support team leaders**
    a. Form and accompany team leaders in their role and assist them with their formation plans (RL 31, 36.2, 7)
    b. Guide team leaders through apostolic dialogue (RL 11)
    c. Identify and develop potential new team leaders (RL 36)
3. **Coordinate group activities**
    a. Plan and facilitate group gatherings and formation events (RL 31)
    b. Facilitate discernment of group apostolic opportunities and collaborative apostolic initiatives between teams (RL 9, 11 16, SRFC 40)
    c. Manage logistics and communication for group activities and building Regnum Christi family spirit (RL 32)
    d. Promote shared resources and best practices among teams (RL 16, 32)
4. **Foster group identity and mission**
    a. Promote the five elements of RC life across teams (RL 2, 16, 32)
    b. Encourage fraternal communion between teams (RL 14, SRCF 28)
    c. Support teams in living their specific mission (RL 9)

Appointment and accountability: Section Director (RL 31.2)

Conflict Resolution: If there is a conflict that cannot be resolved with the section director, the group leader can have recourse to the Regnum Christi local director (if there is not a named RCD, the first recourse would be to the locality representative of the North American area of locality governance). If the conflict cannot be resolved at a locality level, the group leader can have recourse to the locality representative of the North American area of locality governance. (SRCF 116)

**Note: RC groups can be made for appropriate reasons associated with formation or apostolate, or when the number of teams makes it necessary. Life stage, formation phase, gender, specific area of evangelization, geographic areas are all examples of reasons associated with formation or apostolate to form a grouping of teams. (RL 31)*

***Note: If there is no named Section Director, the Group Leader is appointed by and reports to the Regnum Christi Local Director. If there is not a named RCD in a locality, then the Group Leader is appointed by and reports to the locality representative of the North American area of locality governance.*