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# Hispanic Faith and Family (Familia y Fe Hispana) Track



This track addresses the much-needed and rapidly developing area of ministry to Hispanics in the United States and Canada. Rather than merely adapting content from an English-language version, the material and teaching of these workshops is inculturated already and is *first* developed in Spanish by veteran Hispanic diocesan, school, and parish officials. Offering substantive and specific help to dioceses on Hispanic outreach, with a host of pragmatic workshops, this track speaks to the needs of not only lay ecclesial ministers, but also pastors, parents, school leadership, homeschoolers, parish volunteers, and more.

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## Year One Certification (10 hrs + 2 electives)

### FOUNDATIONS

1. A New Beginning: Summary of Priorities in Hispanic Ministry
2. The Vocation of the Laity Within Hispanic Context

### PRAYER LIFE

3. Introduction to the Vocation of Prayer
4. Practical Ways to Pray as a Family

### FAMILY LIFE

5. The Role of Parents as Missionary Disciples Within the Family
6. How to Pass the Faith to Your Children in the United States

### SACRAMENTAL LIFE

7. The Sacraments: Graces for Our Every Need
8. The Eucharist at the Center: Why the Mass Matters

### CULTURAL LIFE

9. Hispanic Adult Ministry Strategies: Where to Begin
10. Understanding Cultural Differences Among Hispanic Groups

## Year Two Certification (10 hrs + 2 electives)

### FOUNDATIONS

1. The *Kerygma* Within the Context of the Hispanic Family
2. Forming Catechists Within a Hispanic Ministry Context

### PRAYER LIFE

3. Keeping Jesus at the Center
4. Mary Our Mother & Star of the New Evangelization

### FAMILY LIFE

5. God the Father & the Vocation of Fatherhood in Family Life
6. The Church as Mother & the Vocation of Motherhood in Family Life

### SACRAMENTAL LIFE

7. The Joy of Confession & the Act of Faith
8. Sacramental Preparation Within a Hispanic Catechetical Context

### CULTURAL LIFE

9. Venerating Mary in Light of Jesus Christ
10. *Quinceañera*: A Historical Perspective

Individuals taking this two-level certification are required to take a total of four electives from the lists below but may take as many as they wish at no additional cost. All the workshops listed on this page will be available to take as enrichment by individuals in any other course or track.

### ELECTIVES: SPECIAL TOPICS

1. The Vocation of the Catechist
2. Scripture, the Heart of Catechesis
3. Child Catechetical Methodologies & Learning Styles
4. Adult Catechetical Methodologies & Learning Styles
5. Pedagogy of Revelation & the Response of Faith
6. Liturgy & Catechetical Methodology
7. Applying the Catechumenal Model to Children Within a Hispanic Setting
8. The Gifts of the Spirit: God's Gifts of Love to the Church
9. Understanding Proper Christian Devotion vs. Superstition
10. Ignatian Prayer & Discernment
11. Hispanic Adult Ministry Strategies: Going Deeper
12. Formation Work With Hispanic Men
13. Formation Work With Hispanic Women
14. Formation Work With Hispanic Teens
15. Faith in Hispanic Families
16. Accompaniment: How Christian Friendship Can Transform Your Family, Community, & the World
17. Historical Development of the Catholic Faith in New World Cultures
18. History: Roots of a Culture of Death

### ELECTIVES: DOCTRINE

1. The Existence of God
2. The Problem of Evil
3. The Trinity
4. The Father: Origin & Desire of All Souls
5. Christ: His Person & Works
6. The Holy Spirit
7. The Church: Dispenser of the Mysteries & Guardian of the Deposit of Faith
8. Revelation: Scripture & Tradition
9. Salvation
10. The Sacramental Economy
11. Ten Commandments & Beatitudes
12. Catechesis on Creation
13. The Four Last Things
14. Sin & Virtue
15. The Blessed Virgin Mary
16. Catholic Social Teaching
17. Apostolicity & Authority in the Church
18. Freedom & Conscience

### ELECTIVES: PARENTING

1. The Human Person: God's Masterpiece
2. Fostering Vocations at Home
3. Ways to Evangelize the Family Through Scripture
4. Parental Fortitude & Sunday Spirituality
5. Godly Discipline in Family Life
6. How & Why to Talk to Your Kids About Sex
7. Counterfeit Forms of Femininity
8. Counterfeit Forms of Masculinity
9. Helping Engaged Couples
10. Helping New Parents
11. Crisis & Conflict
12. Depression & Suicide
13. Addiction & Alcoholism
14. Ecumenism, Interreligious Dialogue, & the Family
15. Child Saints
16. A Family Vocation to Homeschooling