

Spiritual Directors' Training Program

Application Process – Information – May 2022 - November 2022

Part 1: Application Form: Complete the information, sign it, and include a \$50 non-refundable deposit. Send to Sr. Kathleen Donnelly, SU (see address below) by **March 31, 2022. (If you have questions, please call Sr Kathy at 845 876 4178 X305)**

Part 2: Personal Reflection Form: Answer the reflection questions. If not accompanying the application form, the material may be completed on-line and emailed to Kathleen Donnelly, SU (kdonnelly@st-ursula.org) or mailed to her at Linwood.*

Part 3: Reference Form: Give the reference form to two (2) persons who are in a position to assess your spiritual suitability for the training program, preferably one being your spiritual director. Have them complete the form, sign it and then mail it directly to Kathleen Donnelly, SU at Linwood.*

Personal Interview: You will be contacted about scheduling a personal interview with the team. We will be conducting the interviews on zoom sometime in April 2022 to assist you in your discernment. Interviews will be informal and will last no more than 30 minutes. You will receive an email confirmation of your appointment time. Be sure to send us your email address so we may set up the zoom conference.

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Deadline for submission of the completed application form: **March 31, 2022.**
Total cost of program: \$2,800.00. Limited partial scholarships are available.
Application fee: a \$50.00 non-refundable fee must accompany the application.
Upon acceptance into the program, the fee will be applied to total program cost.
Checks should be made out to **Linwood Spiritual Center.** (Checks are preferable to a credit card due to a separate bank account for the program.)

All forms will be found on the Linwood website: www.linwoodspiritualcenter.org. **If you cannot download the forms contact Sr. Kathy directly- 845 876 4178 x305**

*** All parts of the application must be received no later than March 31, 2022.**
Send completed forms to:
Kathleen A Donnelly, SU
Spiritual Directors' Training Program
Linwood Spiritual Center
50 Linwood Road
Rhinebeck, NY 12572

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This application process invites you to discern how God might be calling you to the ministry of spiritual direction. A \$50 non-refundable fee must accompany this application. Upon acceptance into the program, the fee will be applied to total program cost. Checks should be made out to *Linwood Spiritual Center*.
Deadline for application: **March 31, 2022**

Please respond *thoughtfully* to the following questions. After you've completed your answers, please choose either "Save as a WORD document" & submit document as an attachment by Email or "Print" and send by regular mail.

*Attached additional pages if you need more space.
Please use at least a 12-14 font size.*

Part 1 Personal Information Form

Name:	
Address:	
Phone: <small>(Indicate home, cell, or work)</small>	
Email Address:	
Religious Tradition:	
Current occupation or ministry:	

Degrees, courses or programs you have taken relating to spirituality, theology, psychology, etc.

What is your experience in spiritual direction? (Ex. 5 years with the same director; four retreats each with a different director, etc.)

Personal Interview: You will be contacted about scheduling a personal interview with the team. We hope that the interview (which will be scheduled for April 2022) will help you in your discernment. Interviews will be on zoom and will be about 30 minutes. You will receive a zoom link via email the day of your interview.

I prefer my interview on a (choose one):

_____ weekday morning or _____ a weekday afternoon.

Please indicate any weekday that is out of the question for an interview:

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Part 3 Personal Reference Form 2022

References are due: **March 31, 2022**

Please address each question indicating your judgment of the applicant's suitability for this training program for furthering his/her spiritual life. After you've completed your answers, please choose either "Save as a WORD document" & submit document as an attachment by Email or "Print" and send by regular mail.

Attached additional pages if you need more space.

Please use at least a 12-14 font size.

Candidate's Name: _____

1. For how long and in what capacity have you been acquainted with the applicant?
2. What is your appraisal of the candidate's level of spiritual and psychological maturity?
3. What is your assessment of the candidate's ability to listen deeply to her own or others' religious experience?
4. Please mention at least one area of the candidate's life or ministry which you feel is in need of growth.
5. What other important information about the applicant do you wish to share?

Send by e-mail to kdonnelly@st-ursula.org

Send by snail mail to: Kathleen A Donnelly, SU

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