

# Rule of Life of the Society

Members of the **Society of Sacramental Socialists** commit to work together for the flourishing of Christ's Kingdom on earth through 'prayer and righteous action'.

To this end, we require of ourselves and of each other:

## **Commitment to the Catholic Faith**

- ★ To be a committed member of a local church or Christian community
- ★ To engage with Holy Scripture
- ★ To participate regularly in the Sacramental life of the Church
- ★ To uphold Catholic teaching and theology

## ★ **Commitment to Socialist Praxis**

- ★ To be active in local, national, international or global struggles for justice and liberation
- ★ To seek solidarity and partnership with other Socialist organisations of good will.
- ★ To actively oppose oppressive systems of power or government
- ★ To engage and develop appropriate contextual and liberating theology that informs our action.

## ★ **Prayer**

- ★ To pray regularly morning and evening;
- ★ To pray the prayer of the Society daily
- ★ To pray for each other daily, through the Society Cycle of Prayer
- ★ To pray for justice and liberation for all God's creation

## ★ **Personal Integrity**

- ★ To use our resources, time and money for the Kingdom of Christ
- ★ To work for the aims of the Society in work, Church and personal life
- ★ To be accountable for our actions, and to seek accountability from others

## ★ **Commitment to the Society**

- ★ To participate in the life of the Society through national events, local groups and cell groups
- ★ To attend the Annual Meeting of the Society if at all possible
- ★ To renew the Rule of Life each year at the Annual Meeting, either in person or in a written statement of intent

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