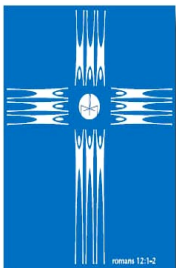


What is CLC?

CLC

- ◆ Is a group of people committed to the service of the Christian church and the world.
- ◆ Is a way of life that promotes prayer and small group sharing so that as members, we learn to discern the will of God for humanity.
- ◆ Assists us, through small groups, with our growth spiritually and communally as well as promotes a deeper awareness about justice issues in the world.
- ◆ Values both contemplation and action. We understand mission as central to what we do and as our action are inspired and directed through our contemplation.



The Christian Life Community is a great opportunity to connect with others in a deeper way. CLC fosters trusting relationships grounded in faith and a supportive environment. We encourage each other along our journey of faith by living out the values of spirituality, community and service.

The Christian Life Community (CLC) of Canada invites you to encounter God in all the various aspects of your everyday life.



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“In God we live and move and have our being.” Acts 17:28

CHRISTIAN LIFE COMMUNITY

CLC is a world community of small groups of committed Christians whose mission is to follow Jesus and proclaim the gospel of love.



CLC IS A WAY OF LIFE

CLC follows the knowledge and wisdom that comes from the Scriptures. It also has as its specific source of inspiration the **Spiritual Exercises of St. Ignatius of Loyola**. St. Ignatius is the founder of the Society of Jesus (Jesuits).

CLC members strive to find God in all things and to discover their calling in life.

This vision is shared with members of CLC in Canada and 60+ countries around the world.



*“And what does the Lord
require of you
but to do justice, and to love
kindness and to walk humbly
with your God?”*

Micah 6:8

CLC : a way of life

CLC invites you to encounter God in all aspects of everyday life, reflect on these experiences, become more aware of God’s activity in these experiences, and respond in ever more authentic ways to God’s desire.

What makes CLC different from other ways of following Christ?

Finding God in All Things

CLC means openness to God in every situation and experience of one’s daily life. This is a central element in the CLC way of life.

Following the Spirit

CLC members learn to hear and respond to the callings of the Trinity. This means attentiveness to the flow of interior stirrings, desires or feelings and the thoughts that accompany them.

Collaboration with Jesus

Following Jesus is a desire for a person rooted in the knowledge and love of the Trinity. Collaborating with Jesus in his struggle leads to intimacy with Him. This in turn deepens our capacity to love.

Ordering Relationships

God has created us to be in relationship: with the Trinity, other persons and



creation and the universe. Christian Life Communities are to be part of God’s continuing involvement in creation.

*“The Mission of CLC
is to proclaim
the Reign of God
by being discerning
apostolic lay communities
in action!”*