



Dominican Center
at Marywood

a ministry of Dominican Sisters - Grand Rapids

Spiritual Formation Program
Spiritual Direction Practicum
Application Form – Part A

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email _____ Cell _____

Daytime Phone _____ Evening Phone _____

After thought, discussion, feedback, and prayer, I have decided that I will apply for admission to the two-year Spiritual Direction Practicum of the Spiritual Formation Program.

The Spiritual Direction Practicum has the following formal requirements for admission. Please comment on each. Where do you stand in relation to each of these requirements?

1). Completion of Foundations in Spirituality and not more than two missed sessions:

2). Rooted in a Faith tradition:

3). Willingness to reflect on personal experience and participate fully in the practicum:

Please continue.

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4). Basic foundation in spirituality, theology, scripture, psychology, and/or B.A. degree:

5). Experience as a directee in individual or group spiritual direction for at least two years:

6). Recommendation by others for the ministry of spiritual direction: (Are these completed?)

7). Already approached by others for this ministry:

8). Attendance at all sessions: (Does the program schedule fit your calendar?)

Please continue.

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9. Additional comments/personal observations as to your call and readiness for the Spiritual Direction Practicum:

Please continue.

Please expand your ideas to one page on the following questions. Thank you.

How would you name, image or symbolize the movement of God in your spiritual journey over the past several years? Try not to focus on the external journey. Rather, what have you noticed in your “*interior journey*” and prayer life?

(Please return this completed response with your \$25.00 application fee. In order to be considered for the Spiritual Direction Practicum Program we must also receive 2 Recommendations, Application Form - Part A and Reflection on Spiritual Foundations - Part B.)

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