
Office of the College Chaplains

Inspired by our Jesuit heritage, the mission of Campus Ministry at Holy Cross is evangelization: to proclaim that faith which is operative in love of others and to promote justice which is indispensable to it.

Our ministry is guided by seven principles or values:

Community recognizes the interconnectedness of each person and accepts that we are at one and the same time children of God and brothers and sisters of one another.

Prayer, both corporate and private, to which we bring our joys and challenges, shapes who we are and what we do.

Dialogue demands that campus ministers listen, revere, and include the experience of the culture and the tradition of the other person.

Sabbath is a time to come apart and rest awhile from the busyness of life in order to reconnect with the creator and creation.

Leadership that is visionary and focused in a particular way on mentoring students, models shared responsibility, is Gospel-centered and is courageous enough to be prophetic.

Solidarity is learned through contact with the injustices others suffer which then gives rise to intellectual inquiry and moral reflection.

Stewardship of the earth in light of the environmental crisis of our day constitutes an exceptional call to conversion: as individuals and as a community we need a change of heart to protect God's creation for our children and generations yet unborn.