

Columbus Diocesan Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry
Catholic Committee for Girls in Scouting

For Girls Ages 7-9



Family of God Medal and Patch

Religious Recognition #1, the *Family of God Program*, is the official religious recognition program of the Roman Catholic Church for children ages 7-9 who are enrolled in the Girl Scouts, Camp Fire Boys and Girls, and other Catholic youth organizations. The *Family of God Program* is a bilingual activity series developed to complement the catechetical efforts of the parish and families with children in the second and third grades. Revised and transliterated into Spanish in July 2004, the program helps children discover the presence of God in their daily lives as members of their family and parish. The six chapters are titled: I Am Special to My Family, I Am Special to God's Family, I Belong to My Family, I Belong to God's Family, I Can Help My Family, I Can Help God's Family.

Medal Price: \$6 Patch Price: \$4 Medal/Patch Combo Price: \$9

For Girls Ages 9-11



I Live My Faith Medal and Patch

Religious Recognition #2, the *I Live My Faith Program*, is designed to help Girl Scouts and Camp Fire members, ages 9-11, appreciate more deeply the place that God and religion occupy in their daily life. The action-oriented activities focus on developing awareness within the individual of his/her potential as a growing person, friend, family member, citizen, and a participant in the community of faith. The program is divided into three chapters, "Stretching," "Seeking," and "Finding," each of which blends the dimensions of discovery, prayer, service, and sacrament into a unified whole. The *I Live My Faith Program* complements and supports the more formal religious education provided in Catholic schools and parish programs.

Medal Price: \$6 Patch Price: \$4 Medal/Patch Combo Price: \$9

For Girls Ages 12-14



Mary, the First Disciple Medal and Patch

"My being proclaims the greatness of the Lord, my spirit finds joy in God my Savior ... " (Luke 1:46-47)

Religious Recognition #3, The Mary Medal, is designed for young Catholics in Girl Scouts and Camp Fire, ages 12-14, to enable them to "proclaim the greatness of the Lord." This is accomplished by actively involving the participants in an understanding of Mary as a model of openness and spirituality—a woman of the church. Through various projects, discussions, and liturgical celebrations over a period of months, the participants are provided with a unique opportunity to develop new insights into their personalities, friends, parents, and the world around them.

Medal Price: \$10 Patch Price: \$4 Medal/Patch Combo Price: \$13

For Girls Ages 14-16



The Spirit Alive Medal and Patch

Religious Recognition #4, The Spirit Alive Program, is designed for Catholic youth in high school who are in the Senior level of Girl Scouts or Horizon Club members of Camp Fire Boys and Girls. It assists them in discovering how the Holy Spirit moves in their lives, calling them to greater participation in the church's The program addresses these topics: The Holy Spirit Alive in Scripture, The Holy Spirit Alive in the Catholic Church, The Holy Spirit Alive in Prayer, and The Holy Spirit Alive in Your Life. Activities are an integral part of *The Spirit Alive Program* process. Because different people have different learning styles, there are four categories of activities to choose from for chapters 1-3: written, artistic, interactive, and digital. The activity in Chapter 4 is the service component of the process.

Medal Price: \$12 Patch Price: \$4 Medal/Patch Combo Price: \$15



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2010 Religious Recognitions Order Form

Program Books

Program books may be purchased online from the online store of the National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry. A link to the online store is available at:

www.nfcym.org

Or you may call the Office of Youth and Adult Ministry to see if we have Program Books in stock; we only keep a small number in stock. Each program book contains an application to receive the religious recognition from the diocese. A completed original application form must be included with your order form for every medal/patch ordered. Please ensure that the information on the application form is legible.

Program Medals and Patches

Program medals and patches are ordered after completion of the program book and must be ordered from the Diocesan Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry using this form.

Quantity	Item	Price	Total
	Family of God Medal	\$ 6.00	
	Family of God Patch	\$ 4.00	
	Family of God Medal/Patch Combo	\$ 9.00	
	I Live My Faith Medal	\$ 6.00	
	I Live My Faith Patch	\$ 4.00	
	I Live My Faith Medal/Patch Combo	\$ 9.00	
	Marian Medal	\$10.00	
	Marian Medal Patch	\$ 4.00	
	Marian Medal/Patch Combo	\$13.00	
	The Spirit Alive Medal	\$12.00	
	The Spirit Alive Patch	\$ 4.00	
	The Spirit Alive Medal/Patch Combo	\$15.00	
		Total:	

Cost should never be an impediment to any child who wishes to earn a religious recognition.

Please contact the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry for information on financial assistance to families in need.

Shipping charges may be avoided by making an appointment to pick-up materials at the Office of Youth and Young Adult Ministry.

Shipping and Handling Charges (Medals and Patches) Order Total: \$ _____

● Add 10% of total order

Shipping: \$ _____

Grand Total: \$ _____

Orders require 14 business days to fill. Orders must be prepaid.

Make Checks Payable to the:
 E-Mail: office@cducation.org
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