

Archdiocese of Dublin

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Baptism Calling

Lay Ministry Programmes

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‘Through ministry
formation and
training we can make
a difference together.’

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What We Currently Offer

You can take part with others from our network of parishes in a lifelong journey of formation through the Archdiocese of Dublin's Office for Mission and Ministry. All courses are designed to deepen your faith and equip you for ministry.

- + **Diocesan Certificate in Catechesis:** Deepen your accompanying skills to share the richness of faith effectively with adults, children and groups.
- + **Servant Leadership Course:** Exploring and growing the skills and practice of servant leadership in parish life and ministry.
- + **Pathways:** Explore and nourish your faith and understanding of ministry, with others, in an environment appropriate to adult learning and faith development.
- + **Funeral Ministries and Leadership:** Equipping teams to work together to support grieving families and lead meaningful liturgies of consolation.
- + **Confirmation Connect:** Enabling leaders to offer a parish-based process to support and accompany families preparing to celebrate the Sacrament.
- + **Youth Ministry Training:** Equipping those called to accompany youth and young adults with the skills to lead this important ministry in parishes.
- + **Laudato Si' Awards:** Training to accompany youth and young adults to live out their calling to protect and care for God's creation through the parish.
- + **Training for Pastoral Councils:** Developing pastoral leadership, vision and prayerful decision making for the parish community.
- + **Training for Ministers of Holy Communion:** Understanding the importance of ministry and Eucharist to enable best practice.
- + **Training for Ministers of the Word:** Embracing what it means to effectively proclaim God's word through a deeper understanding of ministry.

We offer flexible learning options that include evening and weekend sessions, as well as local training.