CO-CATHEDRAL of the **SACRED HEART**



Archdiocese of Galveston-Houston

Social Media Community Guidelines

By the grace of baptism, we belong to the Body of Christ, the Church. We are adopted sons and daughters of God who are built up as a family through the Body and Blood of Christ. This is true in a mystical sense and also in a very human, institutional sense as we belong to the Church and to our parish family. This app is a tool for our parish to continue building our parish family even while apart. Using this app and taking part of an online small group does not fully constitute belonging to the Body of Christ or our parish. Instead, this online community is meant to supplement ongoing parish community.

We have created this online community for us to gather and share information, ask questions, or provide information that is helpful to the Co-Cathedral community. Posts to this group should reflect the core of our Catholic values and be written with kindness and respect for one another. Any questions or concerns should be directed to the Administrators by emailing office@sacredhearthouston.org. Any inappropriate posts may be subject to deletion by group administrators. All posted photos and comments are for this community only and are not to be shared. Do not post anything confidential on the main page or smaller closed groups.

We do not expect any member to be a "perfect" Catholic. We are all real people and we honor the fact that we are all on different places in our spiritual journey. Sincere questions and exploration of issues are permitted, but ranting, trolling, and attacks on other users will not be permitted. That being said, we do not allow any post linking to anti-Catholic sources, or any post trying to support acting contrary to the teaching of the Catholic Church. Such posts are immediately removed with no warning.

By taking part of this online community, you are agreeing to assume that others have good intentions and are typing with a positive tone. Do not post anything that you would not be okay with a child reading. By participating in communications in our group, you agree that you will not post any material which is knowingly false, defamatory, abusive, vulgar, obscene, threatening, or in violation of any law. Spam and solicitations are also not permitted. Violation of these standards may lead to the revoking of participation privileges.

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