



A Guide to Acronyms & Organizations

AHLMA	Asociación de Hermanas Latinas Misioneras en America
CARA	Center for Applied Research in the Apostolate
CCLV	Clergy, Consecrated Life and Vocations, USCCB Committee
CCMA	Catholic Campus Ministry Association
CICLSAL	Congregation for Institutes of Consecrated Life and Societies of Apostolic Life
CLINIC	Catholic Legal Immigration Network, Inc.
CMSM	Conference of Major Superiors of Men
CMSWR	Conference of Major Superiors of Women Religious
CPA	Catholic Press Association
CWR	Communicators for Women Religious
CVN	Catholic Volunteer Network
EVS	European Vocation Services
FOCUS	Fellowship of Catholic University Students
GV	Giving Voice
HORIZON	The Quarterly NRVC Journal for Vocation Ministry
IRF	Institute of Religious Formation Program
LCWR	Leadership Conference of Women Religious
MACC	Mexican American Catholic College
NAACYMN	National African American Catholic Youth Ministry Network
NAVFD	National Association of Vocation and Formation Directors (Canada)
NBCC	National Black Catholic Congress
NBCCC	National Black Catholic Clergy Caucus
NBSC	National Black Sisters Conference
NCCW	National Council of Catholic Women
NCCYM	National Conference on Catholic Youth Ministry
NCDVD	National Conference of Diocesan Vocation Directors
NCEA	National Catholic Educational Association
NCSW	National Catholic Sisters Week
NCYC	National Catholic Youth Conference
NFCRV	National Fund for Catholic Religious Vocations
NFCYM	National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry
NIX	Richard Nix, Founder of Conference and Meeting Management Service
NRRO	National Religious Retirement Office
NRVC	National Religious Vocation Conference
NVAD	National Vocation Awareness Division (J.S. Paluch)
RBC	Religious Brothers Conference
RFC	Religious Formation Conference
RCRI	Resource Center for Religious Institutes
USCCB	United States Conference of Catholic Bishops
VISION	Catholic Religious Vocation Discernment Guide
WYD	World Youth Day