



ROAMIN' CATHOLICS NORTHWEST

Roamin' Catholics Northwest (RCNW) was chartered in June of 2003 at the northwest area rally in Albany, Oregon, through the efforts of George and LJ Gurney and Bob and Sylvia Gummersall.

George and LJ traveled to all area rallies and national conventions during 2003 and 2004 recruiting Catholics to start chapters in their own areas. Their efforts succeeded in adding chapters in the Western, Rocky Mountain, Mid-Western, International, and South-Eastern areas. There are now four active Roamin' Catholic chapters in the FMCA.

Along with meaningful chapter rallies, Roamin' Catholic chapters organize and provide Mass at area rallies and national conventions whenever possible. In addition, members commit to posting a notice on campground bulletin boards showing the address, phone numbers, and times of liturgies of the local Catholic church. RCNW rallies are usually held at Catholic locations and are organized to enhance spiritual growth and the development of nurturing relationships. Mini-retreats, visits to shrines, talks by spiritually stimulating persons are typical items on our rally agendas. Father Ralph Carney, a member of RCNW, and now Chaplain for National FMCA, frequently travels with us.

All practicing FMCA Catholics are invited to join Roamin' Catholics Northwest. We encourage you to fill out the attached Registration, and mail it to the address shown or hand it to one of the RCNW Chapter representatives at the rally. Interested persons are welcome to come to any of the Chapter rallies as guests if they wish to meet some of the Chapter members before joining. Our web page is <http://www.fmcanw.org/rc/>.

Registration:

First Names: _____ Last Name: _____

Street Address: _____ City, State, Zip _____

Phone Number: _____ Email: _____

FMCA Number: _____ Coach License: _____

Coach Make and Model: _____

Send \$10 check made out to RCNW to George Prusynski, 3584 NE Brogden, Hillsboro, OR 97124