



Residence Hall Chaplain Program

Bringing A Ministerial Presence Into the Residence Halls

Why Live-In Chaplains?

The Chaplain program is a longstanding collaboration between of the Department of Residential Life and Campus Ministry. Both Jesuits and lay ministers live among our students in the residence halls, serving as additional supports and resources for our students.



Chaplains participate in meetings with hall staff and hall government, offer programs to promote hospitality and spirituality, organize Catholic masses in the hall chapels, and are available as conversation partners for students.

Who Are They?

Freshman Communities:



Ed Nuñez *Degelman Hall*



Fr. Romero, SJ *Swanson Hall*



Fr. Amidon, SJ *Kiewit Hall*



Fr. Kestermeier, SJ *Gallagher Hall*

Sophomore Communities:



Fr. Flecky, SJ *McGloin Hall*



Riley Dunn *Heider Hall*



Fr. Merkel *Kenefick Hall*

Upperclassman Communities:



Sr. Tucci, OSF *Opus and Davis*

How Do They Get Involved?

Our Chaplains are encouraged to participate with our students in their own way. This may include, but is not limited to, the following:

1. Facilitating a reflection or meditation at the beginning of a staff meeting.
2. Greeting students with candy or snacks in the hall lobby.
3. Inviting students to lunch or dinner in their apartment or Creighton Hall.
4. Engaging with students in the hall lounges about theology, transitions, or life issues.
5. Being present for a student receiving news about an ill or deceased family member.

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