

WHAT IS THE G.S.S. ?

The Guild of Servants of the Sanctuary is a Guild of Altar Servers which seeks to deepen the spiritual life of its members and to help them to become more worthy of their high office.

It is entirely a society of lay people but welcomes Bishops, Priests and Deacons as Associate Members.

Altar Servers from many parishes meet at their Chapter and Festivals for Worship and Fellowship, often providing support for servers who may be the solitary server at their church.

There are Chapters throughout England, Wales and overseas.

OBJECTIVES

1. To raise the spiritual tone of Altar Servers
2. To promote a conscientious performance of the duties of Altar Servers
3. To encourage more frequent attendance at the Holy Eucharist in addition to times of duty

WHO MAY JOIN?

1. Any server who unreservedly accepts Traditional Catholic Faith and Practice, and is engaged about the Altar in any permanent capacity.

HOW TO BECOME A MEMBER

1. Fill in this application form and take it to your Parish Priest or Priest in Charge for their signature.
2. Forward the form to the Secretary General through your Local Chapter Secretary or direct to the Secretary General where there is no chapter, with an initial fee of £20.00
3. The Council reserves to itself the power of removing from the roll, without reason given, the name of any member whose conduct is, in its opinion, inconsistent with the objects of the Guild.



APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP OF THE GUILD OF SERVANTS OF THE SANCTUARY

April 2026

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APPLICATION FOR MEMBERSHIP

I, _____ Roll No. _____
Mr. Mrs. Miss, Ms (or other) _____ (for Head Office to allocate)

Christian Names: _____

Surname: _____

Being a Server at the Church of:

at _____

*and unreservedly accepting **Traditional Catholic Faith and Practice**, do apply for membership of the Guild of Servants of the Sanctuary, and concur in the Objects, Rules and Recommendations of the Guild. I am/am not confirmed.*

Signature _____

Date of Birth _____

Address _____

Postcode _____

Telephone No. _____

E Mail: _____

Date: _____

Local Chapter to which it is desired to be attached:

Chapter No. _____

Chapter Secretary: _____

Incumbent / Chaplain _____

Address: _____

A remittance of £20.00 (£25.00 for overseas members) made payable to Guild of Servants of the Sanctuary, [free to under 21s] must be sent with this form to cover:-

Entrance Fee & First Year Annual Membership Subscription
Guild Manual, Guild Medal
The Server Magazine for 1 year,

When completed, return to the local Chapter Secretary.
or to the Secretary General, GSS Mail, PO Box 9728, Ferndale, CF43 9AT

Annual Membership Subscription - £15 [free to under 21's] ,includes The Server magazine mailed direct.

DATA PROTECTION: The Guild complies with its obligations under the 'GDPR' by keeping personal data up to date and by protecting it securely. Personal details will not be shared with any other organization unless we have your specific authorization. Further information is available on our website under 'DATA PRIVACY NOTICE'.