



MISSION WEEK

COMPANIONS IN MISSION

◆ CALLED TO BE COMPANIONS IN MISSION

As a mission-driven institution, our mission guides our work and every part of the University. Everyone plays a vital role in animating this mission. Called to be Companions in Mission is an opportunity during Mission Week to reflect on and express how you, your department or your area bring Creighton's mission to life.

We invite you to reflect on how you live out our Jesuit mission and to share your high-level insights by posting them in your office or on your department's social media account, if appropriate, with the hashtag #MissionWeek.

We also invite you to share the results of your reflection to receive a Companions in Mission Certificate. We would love to hear how you believe your area or role supports Creighton's Jesuit, Catholic mission. After reflecting, please share your observations [using this form](#). You have the option to submit photos of yourself or your team.

Please submit your reflections anytime leading up to or during Mission Week.

◆ DEPARTMENT/AREA REFLECTION

Consider beginning a regularly scheduled team meeting with the following:

- I. **PRESENCE** Breathe deeply, gently releasing all that clamors for your attention. Become aware of God present with you, within you, surrounding you. Ask for the grace to engage this brief time of reflection in a spirit of gratitude.
- II. **GRATITUDE** Consider your unique contributions to and experiences at Creighton University. For what are you most grateful? As fully as possible, allow appreciation to well without effort.
- III. **REVIEW** Consider your individual gifts and your distinctive role at Creighton. In what ways do you recognize yourself as meaningfully and concretely contributing to our shared mission? Some questions to consider ... select a couple on which to reflect:
 - a. How do the principles of the Jesuit mission align with the values of your department?
 - b. In what ways do you recognize the Jesuit mission influencing the daily work of your department?
 - c. How does your department stand with and for others?
 - d. How does your department care for members of the Creighton community?
 - e. In what ways does your department strive for "the more"?
 - f. How does your department form agents of change?
 - g. How does your department do things for the greater glory of God?
- IV. **SAVOR**
- V. **SHARE**
 - a. [Complete Response Form](#)
 - b. Share on Social Media

INDIVIDUAL REFLECTION

Participate in the “Presence” and “Gratitude” exercises as listed on the previous page for Department/Area Reflection and then “Review” the following questions, selecting a few for deeper reflection. Finally, “Savor” and “Share” like on the previous page.

- a. How do the principles of the Jesuit mission align with your personal values?
- b. In what ways do you feel the Jesuit mission influences your daily work?
- c. How do you stand with and for others in your role?
- d. How do you care for members of the Creighton community?
- e. In what ways do you strive for “the more” in your work?
- f. How do you see yourself forming agents of change?
- g. How do you strive to do things for the greater glory of God in your work?