



We are looking for a
new home
Can you help?

Franciscan Congregation of Divine Mercy

Merciful Heart of Jesus Farm

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Please help us help others!

The Franciscan Congregation of Divine Mercy is a new community with statutes approved by Bishop William P. Callahan of the Diocese of La Crosse, Wisconsin in 2020.

We are seeking to find a community of people who would be willing to donate or purchase land and donate funds so we could be established in or near their community. We are in need of help to buy a place with adequate land and buildings to begin our motherhouse and to build facilities for our apostolates. We need your help because as is normal for religious communities, we are not supported financially by the Diocese or any individual parish. We live entirely off free will offerings.

We are looking for at least 100 acres (150 would be much better) suitable for building a monastery and for building or remodeling associated buildings such as a barn, indoor arena, meeting and teaching rooms. We are looking for land that is only lightly wooded and relatively flat, suitable for gardens, pastures and a hayfield. It would be best if this land were close to a well kept road. We would like to stay in the Diocese of La Crosse, if at all possible.

What do we have to offer a local community that would support us financially?

We would contribute to the building up of their community by prayer and sacrifice on behalf of them, on behalf of the church and the whole world.

We help people free of charge to attain peace and healing through living mercy in their daily lives and the reconciliation of their relationships with self, others and God.

We do this through offering spiritual direction and catechesis particularly geared toward:

- ❖ Knowledge of their Catholic Faith and how to live it
- ❖ Knowledge of how to attain healthy relationships and a balanced emotional and spiritual life
- ❖ Knowledge of the laws by which God made man to function and how to cooperate with them

We also do this through animal-assisted therapy with horses, dogs, and cats. Our farm setting provides a safe and natural place for children and families to play, do crafts, enjoy recreation together, and bond as a community. We also offer people an opportunity to be around Sisters living a fervent and joyful religious life.

We aid people to grow in love and union with God as they work through:

- Struggles in married life and parenting
- The death of a loved one
- Difficult diagnosis
- Trauma
- Tendencies to self-hatred and self harm
- And more!

Any financial gift, however small, is deeply appreciated. The Franciscan Congregation of Divine Mercy is a 501(c)3 not for profit corporation. If you cannot help us monetarily, could you please help us by prayer?

May God bless and reward you all! Please know we are praying for you always!