

Diocese of Fargo

OCIA Survey

In preparation for the OCIA Training Workshop on July 26, 2025, I am conducting a survey on the use of the OCIA in the Diocese of Fargo. After you complete the following form, save it to your local device and e-mail the document to me. Alternatively, you may complete the survey online: www.fargodiocese.org/ocia-survey. Please complete it by July 3rd. Thank you for your assistance. – Mary Hanbury (mary.hanbury@fargodiocese.org).

Submitted By (your name):

Parish (name and city):

E-mail Address:

- ☐ We never use the OCIA. We never have catechumens or candidates.
- ☐ We never use the OCIA. We just have classes and perform the Sacraments of Initiation.
- ☐ We use the following sections of the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults

If your practices vary (for example, you do things differently for catechumens and candidates; or you do things differently for someone who is brought into the church outside of the Easter season), you may submit this form multiple times.

Circumstances:

Please indicate how you use the Order of Christian Initiation of Adults (check all the apply):

☐ Rite of Acceptance / Welcome

When do you do this? (for example, what day or how many weeks into the program):

☐ Celebrations of the Word (Breaking Open the Word)

Describe:

☐ Minor Exorcisms

☐ Blessing of Catechumens

☐ Anointing of Catechumens

What body parts do you anoint?

☐ Presentation of the Creed

☐ Rite of Sending

☐ Rite of Election / Call to Continual Conversion

☐ Penitential Rite

☐ First Scrutiny

☐ Second Scrutiny

☐ Third Scrutiny

☐ Preparation Rites

☐ We have an OCIA Team

Describe:

☐ We have training / formation for sponsors

Describe:

Other Practices: