

What relationship do members have with the local Catholic bishop and other Church structures?

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The relationship of lay members of Opus Dei with their parish priest, bishop and the Pope is exactly the same as that of other Catholics. Just like other Catholics they are bound by diocesan regulations and follow the teachings and guidelines of the

bishop, and participate fully in the life of the parish according to their circumstances. Their commitments to Opus Dei relate to areas, such as spiritual development and apostolic commitment, in which all members of the faithful are free to follow whichever path to holiness they choose.

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