## 2024 Spiritual Directors Annual Report

I am completing my second year as National Spiritual Director of Via de Cristo. My role is to be a spiritual and theological advisor to the N:S Executive Committee and to assist Secretariats on concerns and issues that arise.

My primary work has been to compose a weekly devotion that is emailed to all subscribers every Sunday and to provide prayers that are posted on Facebook Monday through Friday each week.

I facilitated three Spiritual Directors roundtables the past year on Zoom. This gives SDs an opportunity to share what is happening in the Secretariats they serve and consider any questions or concerns they have.

I contributed seasonal messages for the Conexiones Newsletter.

I attended all of the NLS Executive Committee monthly meetings and attended the Mid-Year Annual Gathering planning meeting in Las Vegas.

Reports from Secretariats indicate more and more weekends have been planned and implemented. One concern many Secretariats seem to have is finding willing Spiritual Directors to serve on their weekends. That is a prayer concern for all of us to share.

I am here to serve and assist Via de Cristo members in the ministries of Via de Cristo. I welcome your questions, concerns, or any ideas you have.

God loves you, and so do I.

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