

## ABOUT THE FOUNDER



MARCIA E. QUINLAN-ROGERO



The F.I.S.H. logo symbolizes the family's call to evangelize. The fish is the sign for Christianity. It holds the family within. The red within the heart is that of Jesus' redemptive precious blood shed for our salvation. The color blue that surrounds it recognizes the covering of Our Lady. The white within it speaks of the grace that God gives freely to His people. The word itself is black signifying the need to deny self and to live for Christ. The family that is held inside the Sacred Heart is modeled after the Holy Family and viewed as the hope for all mankind signifying the hope for God's Divine Will in family life. All for the purpose of portraying the sacredness and the celebration of life for the glory of God. Ad Maiorem Dei Gloriam!

### About the Founder, Marcia E. Quinlan-Rogero And The Catholic Family F.I.S.H. Ministry

Catholic Family Fellowship Invites Serving & Helping Ministry was founded in 1978. At a time when the changing trends of a society encouraged both men and women in the work force and childrearing at daycare, the family began to dramatically change. For the Catholic family trying to raise children with faith, morals, and values and with a little societal support, the church became a haven of stability.

Marcia E. Quinlan-Rogero founded Catholic Family F.I.S.H. Ministry which allowed her to reconcile her own womanhood with that of choosing the vocation of wife, mother and professional. She envisioned men and women growing in their faith and evangelizing within their own family and celebrating family life with the parish community. The domestic church became a living dynamic reality of the Mystical Body of Christ expounding Gospel values in the practicality of everyday life! Families that have participated in this ministry have a renewed sense of personal stewardship and discover that their time, talents and resources are on loan and to be shared. This ministry, itself, supported and encouraged by Nancy Fisher, an R.N. and past Family Life Director who mentored Marcia during her Pastoral Formation that she graduated from in 1990.

Marcia E. Quinlan-Rogero has a Bachelor of Science Degree and is teacher certified. She and her husband, Michael, have 10 children and 13 grandchildren. They reside in St. Johns, FL.

The available materials are faith based and the ministry itself, parish based.

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