

Sisters of St. Francis Sacred Heart Community

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CHARISM STATEMENT

We are Sisters of St. Francis,
a community of minores, rooted in the gospel.
We are changed continually in contemplative stillness
to live simply, to trust serenely
and to treat all creatures with gentle courtesy.

MISSION STATEMENT

Awake to the transforming Love of God throughout creation,
we compassionately serve all as sister and brother by our
contemplation, presence, forgiveness, hope and joy.

DIRECTION STATEMENT

Grounded in the Franciscan spirit of Gospel living,
we commit to listen and support one another
through sacred conversation,
shared leadership, and personal initiative.

Open to all creation as sister and brother, we work inclusively
to achieve a sustainable future in our fragile world
with finite limits.

Trusting in Divine Providence,
we face with courage and compassion,
our global, national, ecclesial, and communal realities,
allowing the Spirit to draw us
toward a new future.

