

ASSOCIATION OF THE SPIRITUAL CHILDREN OF PADRE PIO OF PIETRELCINA

During his life, Padre Pio was the Spiritual Director of many devotees who wished to remain under his special guidance and protection. He called them his “Spiritual Children” and always warned them to behave worthily so that they would “not cause him shame before God.”

Since Padre Pio’s death in 1968, the Santa Maria delle Grazie Convent in San Giovanni Rotondo has extended this privilege to all those who seek to live a life of grace and continually grow in faith through his inspiration.

You too can become a Spiritual Child of Padre Pio.

Conditions to be part of the Association of the Spiritual Children of Padre Pio of Pietrelcina:

1. Live intensely under divine grace.
2. Prove your faith through words and actions, leading a truly Christian life.
3. Desire to remain under the protection of Padre Pio and share in the fruits of his prayers and sufferings.
4. Imitate the virtues of Padre Pio, particularly his love for Jesus Crucified, for the Blessed Sacrament, for Our Lady, for the Pope, and for the entire Church.
5. Have a sincere spirit of charity toward everyone.

If you agree with the above conditions and wish to enroll in the Association of the Spiritual Children of Padre Pio, download the form below. To be registered at Padre Pio’s Convent, send the completed and signed form by mail to:

Convento Santa Maria delle Grazie

71013 – San Giovanni Rotondo, FG

Italy

IMPORTANT: The Santa Maria delle Grazie Convent in Italy requires that the forms be sent in writing and filled out by hand. Therefore, only the person who wishes to become a “Spiritual Child” of Padre Pio may register. You may only enroll yourself and cannot enroll anyone else.