

The Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary,
Incorporated
5109 N Broad St
Philadelphia, PA 19141

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ENTITY NUMBER: 4362514

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Articles of Incorporation-Nonprofit
(15 Pa.C.S.)

Domestic Nonprofit Corporation (§ 5306)
 Nonprofit Cooperative Corporation (§ 7102B)

Name		
Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary, Incorporated		
Address		
5109 North Broad Street		
City	State	Zip Code
Philadelphia	PA	19141

Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Articles of Incorporation-NonProfit 7 Page(s)



Fee: \$125

In compliance with the requirements of the applicable provisions (relating to articles of incorporation or cooperative corporations generally), the undersigned, desiring to incorporate a nonprofit/nonprofit cooperation corporation, hereby state(s) that:

1. The name of the corporation is:
The Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary, Incorporated

2. The (a) address of this corporation's current registered office in this Commonwealth or (b) name of its commercial registered office provider and the county of venue is:

(a) Number and Street	City	State	Zip	County
5109 North Broad Street	Philadelphia	PA	19141	Philadelphia

(b) Name of Commercial Registered Office Provider _____ County _____
c/o: _____

3. The corporation is incorporated under the Nonprofit Corporation Law of 1988 for the following purpose or purposes.
Religious Evangelization and Education. The Corporation provides spiritual works of mercy and prayer.

4. The corporation does not contemplate pecuniary gain or profit, incidental or otherwise.

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5. Check one of the following:

The corporation is organized on a non-stock basis.

Option for Nonprofit Cooperative Corporation Only: The corporation is organized on a stock share basis.

6. For Nonprofit Corporation Only:

~~(Strike out if inapplicable):~~ The Corporation shall have members.

~~(Strike out if inapplicable):~~ The incorporators constitute a majority of the members of the committee authorized to incorporate.

7. For Nonprofit Cooperative Corporation Only:

Complete and strike out the inapplicable term: The corporation is a cooperative corporation and the common bond of membership among its members is: Catholicism.

8. The name(s) and address(es) of each incorporator(s) is (are) (all incorporators must sign below):

Name(s)	Address (es)
Frank Klusek	5109 North Broad Street – Philadelphia, PA 19141
Margot Osorio, Esq.	5109 North Broad Street – Philadelphia, PA 19141

9. The specified effective date, if any, is:

May	30	2015	
month	day	year	hour, if any

10. Additional provisions of the articles, if any, attach an 8½ x 11 sheet.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, the incorporator(s) has/have signed these Articles of Incorporation this

17 Day of MAY, 2015.

Francis Klusek

Signature

Margot Osorio

Signature

Signature

NONPROFIT CORPORATION ARTICLES OF INCORPORATION

Pursuant to Title 15 §5303 of the Consolidated Statutes of Pennsylvania the undersigned majority of whom are citizens of the United States, do hereby submit these Articles of Incorporation for the purpose of forming a nonprofit corporation.

ARTICLE 1 - Name

The name of the corporation is:

Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary, Incorporated

ARTICLE 2 - Existence

The corporation shall have perpetual existence.

ARTICLE 3 - Effective Date

The effective date of incorporation shall be:

Upon filing by the Secretary of State – Commonwealth of Pennsylvania

ARTICLE 4 - Members

The corporation is a pious association of Catholic laity whose members practice their religion and are in communion with the Holy See. Persons who wish to join the Legion must apply for membership in a praesidium (the local affiliate), and complete a satisfactory probationary period of three months.

ARTICLE 5 - Type of Nonprofit Corporation

The Corporation is organized exclusively for religious and educational purposes to provide spiritual assistance and comfort. And as specified in Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, including for such purposes, the making of distributions to organizations that qualify as exempt organizations under Section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code. The object of the Philadelphia Senatus

of the Legion of Mary is the glory of God through the holiness of its members developed by prayer and active co-operation, under ecclesiastical guidance, in Mary's and the Church's work of crushing the head of the serpent and advancing the reign of Christ.

The Corporation shall not be conducted or operated for profit and no part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of any individual, nor shall any of the profits or assets of the Corporation be used other than for the purposes of the corporation.

ARTICLE 6 - Exemption Requirements

At all times the following shall operate as conditions restricting the operations and activities of the Corporation:

1. No part of the net earnings of the Corporation shall inure to the benefit of, or be distributable to its members, trustees, officers, or other private persons, except that the Corporation shall be authorized and empowered to pay reasonable compensation for services rendered and to make payments and distributions in furtherance of the purposes set forth in Article Five.
2. No substantial part of the activities of the Corporation shall be the carrying on of propaganda, or otherwise attempting to influence legislation, and the Corporation shall not participate in, or intervene in (including the publishing or distribution of statements) any political campaign on behalf of or in opposition to any candidate for public office.
3. Notwithstanding any other provision of these articles, the Corporation shall not carry on any other activities not permitted to be carried on by: (a) a corporation exempt from federal income tax under section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or (b) by a corporation, contributions to which are deductible under section 170(c)(2) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code.

ARTICLE 7 – Dissolution

In the event of liquidation, dissolution, or winding up of the Corporation, whether voluntary, involuntary, or by the operation of law, the property or other assets of the Corporation remaining after the payment, satisfaction, and discharge of liabilities or obligations, shall be distributed for one or more exempt purposes within the meaning of section 501(c)(3) of the Internal Revenue Code, or the corresponding section of any future federal tax code, or shall be distributed to the federal government, or to a state or local government, for a public purpose.

Any such assets not so disposed of shall be disposed of by a Court of Competent Jurisdiction of the county in which the principal office of the corporation is then located, exclusively for such purposes or to such organization or organizations, as said Court shall determine, which are organized and operated exclusively for such purposes.

ARTICLE 8 – Directors/Members

The Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary, Incorporated shall have voting members who are officers and/or appointed from the subordinate affiliates supervised by the Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary. Subordinate affiliates include: Regia, Comitia, Curiae, and Praesidia. The management and affairs of the corporation shall be at all times under the direction of the corporation's officers and Board of Directors, whose operations in governing the corporation shall be defined by statute, the corporation's by-laws and The Official Handbook of the Legion of Mary. No Director or officer shall have any right, title, or interest in or to any property of the corporation.

ARTICLE 9 – Debt Obligations and Personal

No member, officer or Director of the Philadelphia Senatus of the Legion of Mary, Incorporated shall be personally liable for the debts or obligations of this corporation of any nature whatsoever, nor shall any of the property of the

members, officers or Directors be subject to the payment of the debts or obligations of this corporation.

Article 10 - Incorporators

The incorporators of this corporation are:

Francis Klusek - Registered Agent
5109 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, PA 19141

Margot Osorio, Esq.
5109 North Broad Street
Philadelphia, PA 19141

The undersigned incorporators certify either that we execute these Articles for the purposes herein stated, and that by such execution we affirm the understanding that should any of the information in these Articles be intentionally or knowingly misstated we are subject to criminal penalties for perjury.

Francis Klusek, Date 5-17-2015

Francis Klusek - Registered Agent

Margot Osorio, Esq., Date 5/17/15

Margot Osorio, Esq.