



NPM/AGO COLLEAGUE CERTIFICATE



Members in good standing of the National Association of Pastoral Musicians and the American Guild of Organists are invited to obtain joint-certification with the Colleague Certificate (CAGO)

WHY CERTIFY?

- Sharpen your skills as an organist in your parish.
- Receive affirmation for your ministry.
- Grow as an organist and service player.

ELIGIBILITY

Members in good standing of both NPM and AGO.

DATES

CAGO Exam sections administered by AGO: November 13, 2020; May 7, 2021; November 12, 2021

Liturgy Exam administered by NPM: January 15, 2021 and June 18, 2021

REQUIREMENTS

Successful candidates must pass the playing portion, which is administered by the AGO. Please see the Professional Certification Requirements on the AGO website, which are updated annually at www.agohq.org. Candidates desiring joint NPM/AGO Certification must select the NPM-specific options when completing the exam.

and

The Liturgy portion which is administered by NPM. Please see the NPM website for information on the liturgical knowledge portion of the exam.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

For the playing exam, please apply via the AGO (agohq.org). To take the Liturgy Exam, please complete the application on the following page and mail to:

National Association of Pastoral Musicians
attn: Certification
962 Wayne Avenue, Suite 550
Silver Spring, MD 20910



NPM/AGO COLLEAGUE CERTIFICATE

Application Date: _____

Member or Group Number: _____

NPM ORGAN COLLEAGUE CERTIFICATE (JOINT NPM/CAGO) APPLICATION

Title (Mr., Ms., Rev., etc.) First

Middle

Last

Suffix

Name as you would like for it to appear on the completed certificate

Mailing Address

City

State/Province

Zip

Preferred Phone, Home or Cell (include area code)

Preferred e-mail address

Parish/Organization Name

Parish/Organization Mailing Address

City

State/Province

Zip

EXAMINATION DATES

Please list the date the AGO portion of the CAGO exam will be taken: _____

Please list the date the Liturgy Exam will be taken:: _____

PAYMENT (\$50)

Check # _____ enclosed. Make payable to **NPM** in US Dollars.

I authorize NPM to charge my: MasterCard VISA AMEX Discover

Credit Card Number

Expiration Date

Name on Card (Please print clearly)

Cardholder Signature

Date of Signature

Security Code (3 digits located on back, or 4 digits on front for AMEX)

Billing Zip Code