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2025 ICF Convention – Hotel Registration Wyndham Visalia August 29 – 31, 2025

Encourage your Branch Members to make their hotel reservations early!

Our rate is \$109.00 per night for either single or double occupancy. The tax is currently 12.19%. Members have three ways to make their room reservations:

1. Visit this Link:
https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/wyndham/visalia-california/wyndham-visalia/rooms-rates?brand_id=HR&checkInDate=8/27/2025&checkOutDate=9/2/2025&useWRPoints=false&children=0&groupCode=082725cat&adults=1&rooms=1&loc=CHJKYfr04LYIARDkgLAe7jklU&sessionId=1740432014
2. Visit the Wyndham Visalia Website:
<https://www.wyndhamhotels.com/wyndham/visalia-california/wyndham-visalia/overview?CID=LC:46q62bu8ed&x3y:49281&iata=00093796> and enter the Room Block Code: **082725CAT** in the “Special Rates” box.
3. Call the Front Desk: 559-651-5000 and mention the Room Block Code: **082725CAT**.

The deadline for hotel reservations is August 8, 2025. Please do not wait until this date to make your reservations, as the room block may be sold out prior to this date.

Self - Parking: Complimentary!

Convention updates can be found on the I.C.F. Facebook page or in the Bollettino.

Delegate Registration is due to the I.C.F. office by July 1. Registration is \$385 per Delegate.

MEMBERSHIP AS OF 3/31/25

BY DISTRICT	As of 3/31/25	Gain/Loss since 6/30/24
Central Coast	1,044	+ 3
Los Angeles	744	- 24
Santa Clara Valley	677	- 3
Fresno	445	- 25
Contra Costa	559	+ 14
Santa Rosa	446	+ 0
Blessed Sacrament	362	- 3
Stockton	329	- 7
San Mateo	333	+ 8
East Bay	240	- 28
Marin	202	+ 19
Chicago	140	- 8
San Bernardino	120	+ 9
San Diego	85	- 5
San Francisco	40	- 21
Orange	43	- 7
Reno	21	- 3
Total membership as of 3/31/25	5,830	
New Members	434	
Reinstated	18	
Cancelled/Non Payment	423	
Deceased	110	
Dues Not Paid 6 – 8 months	0	
Dues Not Paid 9 – 12 months	4	

Expansion:

We have interest from three parishes for new I.C.F. Branches! Lincoln, Ventura and Long Beach!

Perry Shurko and his committee is actively working to expand our I.C.F.

IN TOUCH

COMMITTEE REQUESTS

I.C.F. 22nd Annual Golf Tournament Friday, July 25, 2025

Northern California Golf Tournament to be held at Bennett Valley Golf Course. Registration Fee: \$180.00 includes Breakfast Burrito & Coffee, Green Fees, Golf Cart, Range Balls, Prize Fund and Buffet put on by Iron & Vine Restaurant. Banquet only: \$50.00.

Check the Bollettino for more information.

Convention Yearbook Submissions Reminder

To help with the timeline for the production of the Convention Yearbook, the Deadline for Submissions is July 1. The materials for the Convention Yearbook are part of the documents for the Quarter ending 12/31/24, that are now available on the Website in the Officers' Portal. Please make sure that you point this out to the Districts and Branches, so that we can all meet this deadline.

Bollettino

The Bollettino E-mail Address is: editor@icf.org.

Reminder to get your articles in by the **10th of the month** for the following month's issue. All image and article submissions need to be sent in an editable electronic format. All Branch and District reports need to adhere to word count requirements (**no more than 250 words**) or they will be shortened or possibly excluded entirely based on the editor's judgement.



WANT TO BE A MENTOR?

District and Branch Mentors are needed. Please ask your District and Branch Members to encourage volunteers. It truly is a rewarding experience. Please contact Lauren Kilcullen for more information.

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR MENTORS TO SPEAK ON AT BRANCH MEETINGS

- Remember that the Per Capita Tax is due when the invoice is received. Make sure the Branch has received the invoice.
- Encourage the Branch to contact Delinquent Members either by letter or by phone.
- Encourage Members to join the Hospitalization Program. There is Open Enrollment throughout 2025.
- Remind Branches that proposals to change Branch By-Laws are due in the I.C.F. Office by April 30th.
- Encourage Branches to increase donations to the 2nd, 3rd and 4th Year Scholarships this year. The need is great for our advanced Scholarship Program.
- Encourage members to make contributions to the Providenza Seminary Fund, Cooley's Anemia, Gifts of Love and Scholarship Programs. Donation cards are available through the I.C.F. office.
- Encourage Branches to prepare Apostolate Reports.
- Encourage Branches and Members to submit Ads to the I.C.F. Convention Yearbook Program
- *Encourage members to attend the Convention.

For more information on these programs and events please see the Bollettino and the I.C.F. Website.

