10 Reasons Why to See a Chaplain

SPIRITUAL HELP: Nothing is more central to your Chaplains' work than assisting people in their relationship with God. We have skills and knowledge that can be of assistance to you in understanding your relationship with God.

DECISIONS: The big decisions of life are so important that they need to be talked about and prayed about. God never intended that we should make these decisions alone. Your Chaplains can possibly point out additional dimensions of the decision to be made that had not been considered. We are ready to discuss your difficult decisions in an atmosphere of confidence and friendship and to pray with you for God's guidance.

PRESSURE: Your Chaplains can help you ease the inner pressure and frustrations that your duties and / or separation adjustments may bring. We can also offer advice and alternatives of which you may not have been aware.

PROBLEMS: There are times when we need someone to talk to about life and its consequences, guilt that we carry, or just things that are 'bugging us.' We will hear you in a non-judgmental and confidential atmosphere, and will stand ready to pray with you regarding your situation.

WEDDINGS: Weddings are considered acts of worship by the Chaplains and as such have spiritual and religious meaning for the participants. Preparation is most important for this special service so it is necessary to contact us at least 12 weeks prior to the planned date of your wedding to allow time for pre-marital counseling.

BIRTHS: When a baby is born your Chaplains would like to call when the mother is still at the hospital. The visit could also be a time to begin planning for the new child's baptism, christening or dedication. We will not know about the birth unless you inform us.

MARRIAGE PROBLEMS: When a marriage falls on hard times couples often do not seek help until it is too late. Your Chaplains are trained in marriage counseling and can help you to work through your problems or guide you to other sources of professional help.

HOSPITALIZATION: Let your Chaplains know if you or a member of your family is admitted to the hospital. We would like to bring the comfort of God's word and love to your hospital room, especially prior to surgery.

DEATH: When death comes to a member of the family, to a close friend, to someone you love, or to a comrade in arms your Chaplains can offer you comfort, help you to work through your grief, and also help you in your faith.

DRUG & ALCOHOL ABUSE: Your Chaplains are trained in many areas of counseling, to include Drug / Alcohol related problems, and stand ready to assist you in dealing with these problems. We can direct you to sources of help as well.

USAG Bavaria Military Community Religious Support Teams

Chapels

Tower Barracks Chapel 475-1570 Rose Barracks Chapel 476-1570

Unit Ministry Teams / Chaplains

USAG-B Garrison Chaplain	569-7051
USAG-B Family Life Chapel	475-8597
USAG-B Tower Bks Chaplain	475-7142
USAG-B Rose Bks Chaplain	476-3340
18TH MP BDE Chaplain	475-4355
709TH MP BN Chaplain	475-6438
1-91 CAV SQDN Chaplain	475-9719
4/319 FA Chaplain	526-3370
15TH EN BN Chaplain	475-9943
44TH EXP SIG BN Chaplain	475-4624
18TH CSSB Chaplain	475-9883
7TH ATC Chaplain	526-2600
2 CR Chaplain	476-5616
1/2 CR Chaplain	476-5219
2/2 CR Chaplain	476-5510
3/2 CR Chaplain	476-5128
4/2 CR Chaplain	476-5332
FA/2 CR Chaplain	476-5853
RSS/2 CR Chaplain	476-5997
RES/2 CR Chaplain	476-9035
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	

Religious Education

Director of Religious Education 569-7051
Catholic Parish Coordinator dallykatz@yahoo.com

After Hours Emergencies and Weekends
On-Call Duty Chaplain 0162-296-0838

Your Unit Ministry Team (UMT)

Each Unit, Army Headquarters, Garrison, Brigade, Battalion, and Detachment has a Unit Ministry Team (UMT) that consists of a Chaplain and Religious Affairs Specialist. Together, they minister to promote your spiritual, relational, and moral well-being. To accomplish this mission, the UMT performs, or provides religious education and worship services, conducts counseling, and offers training events, such as Suicide Intervention, Coping Skills, Prayer Luncheons or Strong Bonds Enrichment Conference.

Have a problem? Don't hesitate to contact your UMT. We exist to serve you! To contact your UMT, consult the roster above.

As of 26 January 2017



How Chaplains and Religious Affairs Specialist Can Serve You!!

The Bavaria Spiritual Resilience Community offers The Army's Most Vibrant Garrison Religious Support Programs in all of Germany, if not, the entire US Army. It's variety of over 100+ exciting Worship and Religious Education programs will meet your spiritual and social needs. This brochure summarizes the services and ministries currently offered. It will help you contact your Unit Chaplain and Religious Affairs Specialist to assisting you and your Family in pursuing spiritual growth at in USAG Bavaria. There are Three (3) Spiritual Resilience Centers in the Grafenwoehr Area: Tower Barracks, Netzaberg and Rose Barracks that serves as platforms for all our Religious Support Services and Education in Three Chapels and a Family Life Center.

We are here to support you with **Five Ingredients of Spiritual Resiliency**



Religious Services

Worship, Funerals, Memorial Ceremonies and Services

Rites, Sacraments, Ordinances

Marriages, Burials, Baptisms, Confirmations, Sacraments, Blessings, Ordinances, Daily Prayers; other Ministrations and Religious requirements

Pastoral Care

Visitation, Counseling, Care to Casualties and Caregivers; Religious Support to Survivors, Critical Events Debriefings

Religious Education

Study of religious teachings that includes Activities of Faith Sustainment, Marriage Enrichment, Problem Solving, Communication Skills, Parenting Skills, Youth Programs, Religious Literature.

Institutional Ministry

Preserving Soldiers' fighting strength by maintaining their health and supporting Family members. Institutional ministry occurs in hospital and confinement or correction facilities.

Worship Services

Page Parrocks Changl

Rose Barracks Chapel

Women's Bible Study

Protestant Women of the Chapel

Protestant Women of the Chapel

Catholic Men of the Chapel

Rose Barracks Chapei	(4/6-15/0)	
(bldg. 218)		
Collective Protestant	SUN	0930
Catholic Confession	SUN	1110
Catholic Mass	SUN	1130
Catholic Daily Mass	WED	1205
Seventh Day Adventist	SAT	1030
(bldg. 219)		
Liturgical Protestant (ELCA)	SUN	1030
Tower Barracks Chapel (475-	1570)	
(bldg. 142)		
Catholic Confession	SUN	0730

Catholic Confession	SUN	0730
Catholic Mass	SUN	0800
Collective Protestant	SUN	1045
Gospel Service	SUN	1300
Church of Christ	SUN	1530
Catholic Daily Mass	M/T/TH	1205

Religious Education

(476-1570)

0900

1730

0900

1800

WED

WED

THU

3rd THU

(bldg. 218)	·	
Protestant Children's Church Catholic CCD Men's Bible Study Protestant Women of the Chapel Men's Discipleship Group Catholic Women of Chapel	SUN SUN WED TUE TUE THU	0930 1015 1130 0930 1130 0930
Tower Barracks Chapel (475-15 (bldg. 140)	570)	
Gospel Children's Church Protestant Kids of the Chapel Gospel Bible Study	SUN SUN TUE	1300 1500 1830

Please contact the USAG Bavaria Religious Support Office at 569-7051 for other faith group opportunities not listed.

Ministry Contacts

Protestant Kids of the Chapel (AWANA)

A weekly, fun, biblically based spiritual growth and character development program just for kids. POC: Frank Boulet, frank.boulet@gmail.com

Protestant Youth of the Chapel (PYOC)

Fun and meaningful weekly ministry to teenagers. POC: Kate McMath-Dorman, Director of Religious Education, katherine.d.mcmath-dorman.civ@mail.mil

Protestant Women of the Chapel (PWOC)

A weekly, active, and inspirational women's gathering designed to encourage and inspire. Tower Barracks POC: Rebecca Avergas, ravergas 13 @gmail.com Rose Barracks POC: Brittany Weiss, brittanyweiss07@gmail.com

Protestant Men of the Chapel (PMOC)

Fun. relevant men's gathering designed to develop strong men, strong homes, and strong churches. For more information, contact your community Chaplain.

Gospel Service Religious Education

Religious education opportunities for adults, teens, & children. POC: SFC Kvran Adams. Kvran.v.adams.mil@mail.mil POC: SFC Justina Emmanuel, Justina.i.emmanuel.mil@mail.mil

Catholic Youth of the Chapel (Life Teen)

Faith formation with fun youth activities. POC: Jeff Fox, jeffandivory@gmail.com

Catholic Women of The Chapel (CWOC)

A weekly, supportive and inspirational gathering of Catholic women. POC: Ashley Basileo, graf.vilseck.cwoc@gmail.com

Catholic Men of the Chapel (Knights of Columbus)

Catholic men's gathering for service and spiritual depth. POC: Richard Pierce, GrafKofC @gmail.com





USAG BAVARIA CHAPLAIN'S PAGE https://www.facebook.com/#!/USAGBCH

For Emergencies ONLY **On-Call Duty Chaplain 0162-296-0838**