



# ASPIRING MISSIONARY APPLICATION

## BONDS OF MARIAN LOVE

PLEASE ONLY FILL IN THIS APPLICATION ONLY IF YOU ATTENDED THE CONVERSION RETREAT,  
AND ARE CONSECRATED TO THE VIRGIN MARY, OR HAVE BEEN IN THE PROCESS OF  
CONSECRATION FOR AT LEAST THREE (3) MONTHS.

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General Missionary  
  Married Missionary  
  Youth Missionary (Under 13)

Application Date	Day	Month	Year
<b>General Information</b>		<i>Please fill in all information.</i>	
Full Name		Nationality	
Date and Place of Birth		Email Address	
Permanent Address		City, State, Zip Code	
Home Telephone		Cell Number	
Occupation		Work Number	
Select the one that applies best:	<input type="checkbox"/> Single <input type="checkbox"/> Married <input type="checkbox"/> Civil Union <input type="checkbox"/> Other: _____		
Location of Locality		Director of Locality	
Date of Spiritual Conversion Retreat (attended as a participant)		Name of the Retreat Director	
Briefly explain the reasons why you desire to be a missionary:			
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<b>Signature of Consecration Teacher</b>	<b>Signature of Applicant (or guardian of minor)</b>
<b>Printed Name of Consecration Teacher</b>	<b>Printed Name of Applicant (or guardian of minor)</b>

Thank you for your application!

**For Bonds of Marian Love Use Only**

First Interview Date	Day	Month	Year
Name of Missionary Interviewer:			

*I certify that the applicant aspiring to be a missionary of Bonds of Marian Love has completed at least three months of preparation in total consecration to Jesus through Mary, according to Saint Louis de Montfort's teaching, as of the date \_\_\_\_\_*

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Second Interview Date	Day	Month	Year
Name of Missionary Interviewer:			

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Application	<input type="checkbox"/> Approved	<input type="checkbox"/> Denied
<b>Signature of Local Director</b>		
<b>Printed Name of Local Director</b>		

## **Prerequisites For Approval for a Bonds of Marian Love Missionary**

1. The applicant must meet the requirements listed below.
2. You must wait an average of **one to two months** from the date that the applicant provided the application, for a first interview, which will be assessed if the applicant has been complying with these requirements. **(To submit an application, the applicant must be already devoted or in process of consecration for a minimum of 3 months).**
3. **For the second interview**, it is a requirement that the applicant is actively participating in the class for Saint Lawrence, delivered each Monday.
4. After conducting the second interview the **applicant must pass the test at the end of the Saint Lawrence lessons**, to stay registered as an active missionary of the Bonds of Marian Love movement, otherwise, they will continue in Bonds as a candidate.
5. The applicant will receive a welcome letter delivered if they have been accepted as a missionary with the respective resume, which must be completed fully including photograph, and given it to the Local Secretary as soon as possible.
6. Finally, the aspiring missionary must wait until the ceremony of imposition of t-shirts, where shirts and the internal rules of the Bonds of Marian Love movement will be given, to receive a shirt.

### **VIRTUES OF A BML MISSIONARY**

Those who are integrated to the BML movement, renounce vices and strive to cultivate the virtues of charity, humility, obedience, purity, etc. voluntarily submitting to the rules of the community.

### **KINDS OF MISSIONARIES**

- Friends of the community: do not carry distinctive t-shirt from the community
- Participant: light blue shirt (Represents faith)
- Committed: dark blue shirt (Represents hope)
- Consecrated: red shirt (Represents charity)

### **REQUIREMENTS FOR BEING A BML MISSIONARY**

Note: Although the conditions set out below will be met, the choice of the Missionary will be subject to the discretion of the Local Director, who, guided by the Holy Spirit and in consultation with the Local Council, will make the decision.

### **PARTICIPANT**

1. Has attended a BML spiritual retreat. In special cases, the local director shall make relevant decision.
2. To have made a general confession of all their life (we suggest the examination of conscience of the book *Without Prayer There is no Salvation / LAM*).
3. Want to renounce the world to serve God.
4. Must be fully consecrated to Jesus by Mary through the method of St. Louis Mary Grignion de Montfort or to be in preparation for Consecration for a **MINIMUM OF 3 MONTHS**.

### **RECOMMENDED BOOKS FOR CONSECRATION:**

- Preparation for total consecration, Totus Tuus
- Secret of Mary
- Treatise on True Devotion
- Marian Slavery

5. The aspiring missionary must remain in the grace of God, frequenting the Sacrament of Reconciliation.
6. Periodically attend to the different activities of the Community.
7. Have the interviews with the committee in charge, for their approval and fill the respective request.

## Basic Knowledge of a Bonds of Marian Love Missionary

*THESE QUESTIONS CAN BE ASKED IN THE INTERVIEWS*

<b>1. What is the sign of the Holy Cross?</b>	<p>“By the sign of the holy Cross, deliver us from our enemies, Oh Lord our God”</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- On our head to liberate us from all our bad thoughts</li> <li>- On our mouth to liberate us from bad conversations and bad words</li> <li>- On our chest to liberate us from other bad actions and desires</li> </ul>			
<b>2. What is the Signum Crucis?</b>	<p>To make the sign of the Cross- “In the name of the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit”</p>			
<b>3. What is the Persignarnos?</b>	<p>To make the signs of the cross on our Head, Mouth and Chest- By the sign of the Holy Cross, deliver us from our enemies – followed by in the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Spirit.</p>			
<b>4. Why is there one Church?</b>	<p>The Church is one because and head and funder who is Jesus Christ, one soul the Holy Spirit. One faith, one sacramental life and apostolic succession, one common hope and the same charisma.</p>			
<b>5. In what sense is the Church holy?</b>	<p>The Church is Holy because God is the author, Jesus Christ has given himself for her to make her holy and blessed. The Holy Spirit vivify with charity. Sainthood is the vocation of each of its members and in the end of all its activity.</p>			
<b>6. Why we say the Church is Catholic?</b>	<p>The Church is catholic, is saying it's universal in which Christ is always present. Saint Ignacio de Antioquia says “Where Jesus Christ is, the Catholic church is” The Church announces the total and integrity of the faith. Given the mission to all towns and whatever time or culture.</p>			
<b>7. Why is the Church apostolic?</b>	<p>The Church is apostolic through its origin. Constructed fundamentally with the apostles through their teachings. Through its structure, which was instructed, made holy and governed by Jesus Christ.</p>			
<b>8. What are the four Marian Dogmas?</b>	<b>Dogma</b>	<b>Definition</b>	<b>Pope</b>	<b>Year</b>
	Divine Maternity	Jesus is truly God and Mary is truly Mother of God	St. Celestine I	431
	Perpetual Virginity	Mary was a virgin before, during and perpetually after she gave birth	Martin I	649
	Immaculate Conception	Our Holy Mother’s conception was free from the stain of sin	Pius IX	1854
	Assumption	Was elevated body and soul to celestial glory (Heaven)	Pius XII	1950
<b>9. What is the Communion of Saints?</b>	<p>The communion of saints exists in union with the good spirit among the members of different parts of the church, of the church triumphant who are already in Heaven; those who are in Purgatory, and the militia on Earth.</p>			



<b>10. What are the Last Things (the last realities for humans)?</b>	1. Death	2. Judgment	3. Hell	4. Heaven (Glory)
<b>11. What are the three enemies or cancers of the soul?</b>	1. World	2. Devil	3. Flesh	
<b>12. How many books are in the Bible?</b>	46 books in the Old Testament	27 books in the New Testament	73 books total	
<b>13. What are the four gospels?</b>	1. Matthew	2. Mark	3. Luke	4. John
<b>14. What are the ten commandments?</b>	1. You shall love God above all else. 2. You shall not take the Lord's name in vain. 3. You shall keep the Sabbath day holy. 4. Honor your father and your mother. 5. You shall not kill.		6. You shall not commit adultery (impure acts). 7. You shall not steal. 8. You shall not bear false witness against your neighbor. 9. You shall not covet your neighbor's wife. 10. You shall not covet your neighbor's goods.	
<b>15. What are the five precepts of the Catholic Church?</b>	1. Attend mass on every Sunday and all day Holy Days of Obligations 2. Confess all mortal sins at least once a year and in risk or threat of death and before receiving Holy Communion 3. Receive Holy Communion at least during the Easter Season 4. You shall observe the days of fasting and abstinence established by the Church. 5. You shall help to provide for the needs of the Church			
<b>16. What are the seven Sacraments?</b>	1. Baptism 2. Confirmation 3. Holy Communion 4. Reconciliation (Confession)		5. Anointing of the Sick 6. Holy Orders 7. Holy Matrimony	
<b>17. What are the seven gifts of the Holy Spirit?</b>	1. Wisdom 2. Understanding 3. Counsel 4. Fortitude		5. Knowledge 6. Piety 7. Fear of God	
<b>18. What are the twelve fruits of the Holy Spirit?</b>	1. Love/Charity 2. Joy 3. Peace 4. Patience 5. Kindness 6. Goodness		7. Generosity 8. Gentleness 9. Faithfulness 10. Modesty 11. Self-control 12. Chastity	
<b>19. What are the three theological virtues?</b>	1. Faith	2. Hope	3. Charity	
<b>20. What are the four cardinal virtues?</b>	1. Prudence	2. Justice	3. Fortitude	4. Temperance



<b>21. What are the seven spiritual works of mercy?</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. To teach the ignorant</li><li>2. To counsel the doubtful</li><li>3. To admonish sinners</li><li>4. To forgive injuries</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>5. To console the afflicted</li><li>6. To bear wrongs patiently</li><li>7. To pray for the living and the dead</li></ol>
<b>22. What are the seven corporal works of mercy?</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. To feed the hungry.</li><li>2. To give water to the thirsty.</li><li>3. To clothe the naked.</li><li>4. To shelter the homeless.</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>5. To visit the sick.</li><li>6. To visit the imprisoned, or ransom the captive.</li><li>7. To bury the dead.</li></ol>
<b>23. What are the seven capital sins?</b>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. Pride</li><li>2. Greed</li><li>3. Lust</li><li>4. Wrath</li></ol>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>5. Gluttony</li><li>6. Envy</li><li>7. Sloth</li></ol>
<b>23. What are the Beatitudes?</b>	<p>“Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.</p> <p>”Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted.</p> <p>“Blessed are the gentle, for they shall inherit the earth.</p> <p>“Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied.</p> <p>“Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy.</p> <p>“Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God.</p> <p>“Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God.</p> <p>“Blessed are those who have been persecuted for the sake of righteousness, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven.</p> <p>“Blessed are you when <i>people</i> insult you and persecute you, and falsely say all kinds of evil against you because of Me. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward in heaven is great; for in the same way they persecuted the prophets who were before you.</p> <p style="text-align: right;">(Mt 5:3-12)</p>	