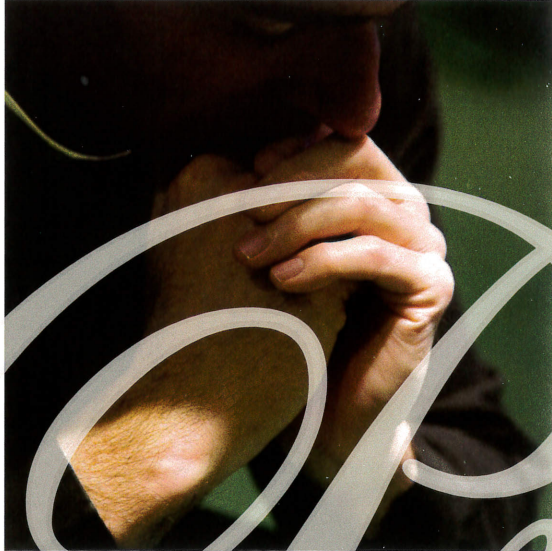


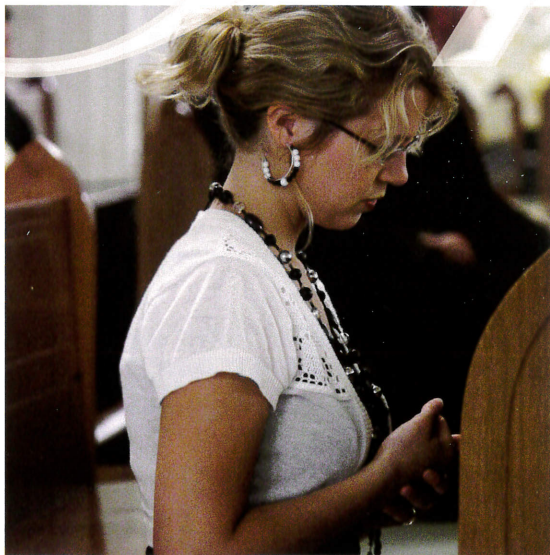
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“This is the confidence we have in Him, that if we ask anything according to His name, He hears us.”

Stephen Golder Photography



## PRAY FOR VOCATIONS



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### Our Goal is Continuous Prayer for Vocations

Invisible Monastery is a free web site that helps organize prayer for vocations. Our goal is to attract enough members to pray for vocations 24 hours a day in every diocese.

### Members of Invisible Monastery:

- Pledge to pray daily or weekly for vocations
- Choose their type of prayer—Mass intention, rosary, private prayer, etc.
- Renew their pledge annually
- Receive a quarterly e-newsletter with prayers, resources, and ideas for promoting vocations
- May receive occasional communication from the diocesan Vocation Director with prayer requests or other information.



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For high quality vocation resources, contact us at  
877-585-1551 or visit [www.vianneyvocations.com](http://www.vianneyvocations.com)*

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## A Pledge to Pray

When you enroll at [invisiblemonastery.com](http://invisiblemonastery.com) you pledge to pray for vocations to priesthood and consecrated life.

The Church's need for priests is growing. As priests die and retire, not enough men are being ordained to replace them. Meanwhile, the Catholic population is growing. This leads to painful parish closings, mergers, and over-worked priests.

Now, more than ever, your prayer is needed.

Members of Invisible Monastery join voices to "beg the harvest master to send more laborers into the harvest." We pledge to pray daily or weekly, offering Mass intentions, rosaries, holy hours, or any other type of prayer members choose.



"Considering that the Eucharist is the greatest gift our Lord gives to his Church, we must ask for priests since the priesthood is a gift for the Church. We must pray insistently for this gift. We must ask for it on our knees."

~ Pope John Paul II

## Litany for Vocations

Lord, have mercy. *Lord, have mercy.*  
Christ, have mercy. *Christ, have mercy.*  
Lord, have mercy. *Lord, have mercy.*  
Christ, hear us. *Christ, graciously hear us.*

God the Father of heaven, *have mercy on us.*  
God the Son, Redeemer of the world, *have mercy on us.*  
God the Holy Spirit, *have mercy on us.*  
Holy Trinity, One God, *have mercy on us.*

Holy Mary, *pray for us.*  
Holy Mother of God, *pray for us.*  
Holy Virgin of Virgins, *pray for us.*  
St. Michael, leader of the heavenly host, *pray for us.*  
St. Gabriel, messenger of the divine plan, *pray for us.*  
St. Raphael, companion for the journey, *pray for us.*  
All you holy angels and archangels, *pray for us.*  
St. Joseph, protector of the Holy Church, *pray for us.*  
St. John Vianney, patron of priests, *pray for us.*  
St. Aloysius Gonzaga, patron of youth, *pray for us.*  
St. Alphonsus Liguori, patron of vocations, *pray for us.*  
St. Charles Borromeo, patron of seminarians, *pray for us.*  
St. John Berchmans, patron of altar servers, *pray for us.*  
St. Maria Goretti, patron of teenagers, *pray for us.*  
All you holy men and women of God, *pray for us.*

Through your mercy,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through your kindness,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through the fervent prayers and sacrifices of your people,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through the power of the Holy Sacrifice of the Mass,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through the intercession of all the saints and angels,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through the sanctification of the family,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*

Through parents being generously open to life,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through the example of priests and religious striving for holiness,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*  
Through a renewed sense of fidelity to our Catholic Faith,  
*send workers into Your harvest, O Lord.*

That young people might seek to live the truth of Christ,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That young people might seek God's will for them in their lives,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That young people might hear the call to give their lives for the mission of the Church,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That all priests and religious might be renewed in the spirit of the new evangelization,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That bishops might be strengthened to be courageous shepherds,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That we may always zealously pray for and promote vocations,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*  
That those who are being called to be priests and religious might respond generously,  
*O Lord of the harvest, graciously hear us.*

Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
*spare us, O Lord.*  
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
*graciously hear us, O Lord.*  
Lamb of God, who takes away the sins of the world,  
*have mercy on us.*

The harvest is great but the laborers are few. We beg you, Lord:  
*send out laborers for Your harvest.*

## Closing Prayer

O God, who chose the apostles to make disciples of all nations and who by baptism and confirmation have called us to build up your Holy Church, we implore you to choose among us, your children, many priests and religious who will love you with their whole hearts and will gladly spend their lives making you known and loved by all. Through Christ our Lord. Amen.



"It would be good... to organize an 'invisible monastery' in which many persons, day and night, are committed to continuous prayer for priestly vocations."

~ From the Vatican's *Pastoral Guidelines for Fostering Vocations to Priestly Ministry*