



Are You Being Called to Be a Deacon?

Minister of the Word · Minister at the Altar · Minister of Charity

The Archdiocese of Philadelphia invites you to its
2017 Permanent Diaconate Information Night

Thursday, April 20, 2017

7:00 PM – 9:00 PM

Saint Charles Borromeo Seminary

Vianney Auditorium

100 East Wynnewood Road

Wynnewood, PA 19096

While all of the baptized are called to share in the mission of Jesus Christ according to the gifts of the Holy Spirit, those who are ordained also offer service in a way proper to the Sacrament of Holy Orders.

A deacon's ministry entails proclaiming, preaching and teaching God's Word, assisting the bishop and priest at the Liturgy, assisting at funerals, ministering to the sick and dying, leading the community in prayer and in sacramental liturgies, baptizing, witnessing marriages, and exercising administrative leadership in the Church.

A permanent deacon, who may be married, is a member of the clergy and shares in the hierarchy of the Sacrament of Holy Orders. Through the Sacrament of Holy Orders, the deacon is configured to Christ the Servant. It is Christ the Servant who acts through the ministry of the deacon.

Learn More... Thursday, April 20, 2017

REGISTRATION REQUIRED

To register or for more information, email Laura Nimmons at
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**If married, those attending the Information Night must do so with their wives.*