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## **APPLICATION**

### **STS. BENEDICT & SCHOLASTICA FORMATION PROGRAM**

Human and Spiritual Formation Program designed to be completed alongside the [Academic and Spiritual Formation Program](#) through St. Thomas More College, upon acceptance of this program. For more information visit [stmcollege.ca](http://stmcollege.ca) or call 306-966-8900.

Please submit this application with supporting documents to [mtibayan@rcdos.ca](mailto:mtibayan@rcdos.ca).

PERSONAL INFORMATION			
NAME (Last, First, Middle)			
Phone		Email	
Mailing Street Address		P.O. Box	
City		Postal or Zip Code	
Province		Country	
Current Parish		Current Pastor	
Place of Birth		Date of Birth	
Social Insurance Number			
Country of Citizenship		Immigration Status	
Primary Language		Student Visa (attach)	
Secondary Language		Other Languages	
FATHER'S INFORMATION			
Name		Catholic	
Occupation			
MOTHER'S INFORMATION			
Name		Catholic	
Occupation			
FAMILY INFORMATION			
Date of Marriage		Place of Marriage	
Name of Church		Denomination	
Number of Brothers		Age of Brothers	
Number of Sisters		Age of Sisters	
Additional Comments			

FAITH AND SPIRITUAL LIFE			
Baptism Information (attach Certificate)			
Parish of Baptism		Date of Baptism	
City/Town of Baptism		Country of Baptism	
Parish Involvement			
(Catechist, Volunteer, etc.)			
Spiritual Advisor (if applicable)			

ACADEMIC HISTORY			
<b>HIGH SCHOOL</b>		Grade Completed	
Name		Last Year Attended	
Location			
<b>MOST RECENT</b>			
Name of Institution			
Location			
Years Attended			
Level of Achievement			
Program or Faculty			

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Location			
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*Additional records on Curriculum Vitae.*

WORK HISTORY	
<b>MOST RECENT</b>	
Job Description	
Years Employed	
Employer Name	
Contact Information	
Job Description	
Years Employed	
Employer Name	
Contact Information	

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Have you ever applied to another diocese, seminary or religious order? If yes, attach details.

Have you ever been married or lived common law? If yes, attach details.

Do you or your family members struggle with mental illness? If yes, attach details.

Have you ever been addicted to drugs or alcohol? If yes, attach details.

REFERENCES (One Clergy and One Other)			
Name			
Address			
Phone		Email	
Name			
Address			
Phone		Email	

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**SIGNATURE OF APPLICANT**

**DATE**

Document Checklist	
<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Application Form and Recent Photo
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certificate of Baptism
<input type="checkbox"/>	Certificate of Confirmation
<input type="checkbox"/>	Completed Confidential Health Form
<input type="checkbox"/>	High School Transcripts
<input type="checkbox"/>	Post-Secondary Transcripts
<input type="checkbox"/>	Employment History with Contact Information
<input type="checkbox"/>	Testimonial Letter and Reference Letter to be provided directly to Sr. Malou Tibayan at <a href="mailto:mtibayan@rcdos.ca">mtibayan@rcdos.ca</a> . References will be contacted with this request. <sup>1</sup>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Curriculum Vitae <sup>2</sup>
<input type="checkbox"/>	Personal Essay <sup>3</sup>

<sup>1</sup> The reference should outline the following:

- 1) How long the individual has known the Applicant and the nature of relationship.
- 2) Character traits, skills and intellectual abilities that are personally known by the individual.
- 3) Volunteer or paid pastoral ministry experience along with an evaluation of that ministry.
- 4) A statement about the Applicant's aptitude for ministry.
- 5) Judgements regarding motivations, capabilities, strengths and weaknesses and ability practical judgement or prudence.
- 6) Any traits with respect to the human maturity of the Applicant as well as spiritual formation and active faith.

<sup>2</sup> A Curriculum Vitae (CV) should outline:

- 1) Full identification and contact information
- 2) Education History
- 3) Training, internships, practicums or field certificates
- 4) Employment History
- 5) Community Service and Ministry
- 6) Professional Associations and Organizations
- 7) Leisure

<sup>3</sup> The personal essay should outline why you are applying for this Religious Vocations Academic Human Spiritual Formation Program. Please include:

- 1) Describe your family life and their practice of faith.
- 2) Describe your faith journey and your current practice of faith.
- 3) Highlight the specific and significant events that led you to apply for this program.
- 4) Why you are choosing this program at this time of your academic and vocational journey.
- 5) Any significant contributing features of your discernment to date.

### Application, Tuition and Fees

Fees for the accompanying program with St. Thomas More are in accordance with the University of Saskatchewan tuition fees.

The program fee for the Sts. Benedict and Scholastica Formation House which includes room and board, formation program and activity fee, is payable to the Diocese of Saskatoon. The full fee schedule will be provided upon application.

For the launch of this program, male candidates will be accepted for the residential program beginning September 2021. Female candidates will be accepted for the residential program beginning September 2022, however, applications are being accepted for a non-residential program for 2021.

For more information contact Sr. Malou Tibayan at [mtibayan@rcdos.ca](mailto:mtibayan@rcdos.ca). Partial bursary opportunities are available upon application.