

Blessed are you, Mary Virgin, infinite of heart. With the intuition of a Mother help each person to realize the profound longings and true meaning of their own Call. Encourage with your Motherly heart the deep desire of every person who offers themselves as a gift in the service of the Church. Give us your assuring hand when the path of choice becomes difficult and troubled. Give us your transparent faith, when our hearts are doubtful and restless. Give us some of your confidence in prayer, to understand, to start afresh, to serve. Virgin Mother, simple of heart, Virgin Sister, support us on the way, Virgin Friend, infinite 'Yes' of Love, we ask through your intercession, for Holy Vocations, the joyful gift of the Love of God. Amen

Jesus, Son of God, in whom the fullness of the Divinity dwells, You call all the baptized to "put out into the deep", taking the path that leads to holiness. Waken in the hearts of young people the desire to be witnesses in the world of today to the power of your love. Fill them with your Spirit of fortitude and prudence, so that they may be able to discover the full truth about themselves and their own vocation. Our Saviour, sent by the Father to reveal His merciful love, give to your Church the gift of young people who are ready to put out into the deep, to be the sign among others of Your presence which renews and saves. Holy Virgin, Mother of the Redeemer, sure guide on the way towards God and towards neighbour, you who pondered his word in the depth of your heart, sustain with your motherly intercession our families and our ecclesial communities, so that they may help young people to be generous in answering the call of the Lord. Amen

*Jesus
Light of the world
my baptismal vocation
my religious vocation*



2014-2015 Year of Vocation
2015-2016 Year of the Consecrated Life

In each District and Community, each Sister gives thanks to the Lord for her call, spending time in:

- Adoration, periods of reflection and liturgy centered on 'call' (eg Abraham, Esther)
- Praying together one of the chosen prayers
- Making a pilgrimage to significant places related to our vocation: Rovereto, Stresa, Baceno, Locarno, Domodossola, Borgomanero, Loughborough... &/or Marian shrines
- Living positively and offering the difficulties of everyday community life
- Praying for the different communities, creating knowledge and friendship
- Having a day/time to share our charism and our service in the Church, in school, in the parish ...
- Sharing in the website: www.rosminiane.org with -witness and experience -thought for the week on vocation
- Organizing or taking part in: a Day, weekend ... for young people and laity on the theme of vocation



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They went and saw and stayed with Him. (Jn 1:39)
Year of vocations 2014-2015



A vocation flows from the heart of God and blossoms in the good soil of faithful people, in the experience of fraternal love.
Pope Francis

Our Christian, Rosminian Vocation

I invite you to listen to and follow Jesus, and to allow yourselves to be transformed interiorly by his words, which "are spirit and life" (Jn 6:62).
 Mary, the Mother of Jesus and ours, also says to us: "Do whatever he tells you" (Jn 2:5)...
 With him we can walk, be disciples and witnesses of God's love, open our hearts to great ideals, to great things...
 Pope Francis



In these situations we are called to be living sources of water from which others can drink.
 (Evangelii gaudium No 86)



Learn how to appreciate your vocation which calls you to help the world. Remember what Jesus said to his disciples: 'This is my commandment that you love one another as I have loved you'.
 (Jn 15:12) Rosmini

If our heart invites us to consecrate ourselves to him, why look for anything else? So take courage and serve the Lord confidently with a simple conscience.
 Rosmini

Do all out of love certainly in this way we will reach our goal.
 sr M. Giovanna



Think that you act, speak and think for by with and in Jesus. He is your model, your Father, your Guide, your ALL.
 sr M. Agnes



The Gospel tells us constantly to run the risk... which challenges us:
 in pain... in joy...
 in interaction...
 in faith...
 in self-giving...
 in community...
 in service...
 in reconciliation.
 The Son of God, by becoming flesh, summoned us to the revolution of tenderness.
 (Evangelii gaudium No 88)

This is what God asks of you only this:
 to act justly,
 to love tenderly
 and to walk humbly
 with your God.
 (Micah 6,8)

Love for one another and the joyful atmosphere in which the community lives and works are aids to the development of our own consecration.
 Cost 41

In the exercise of the threefold form of ministry – spiritual, intellectual and temporal – we feel a sense of unity with all God's people, because we share, by virtue of our baptismal vocation, in the ministry of Christ, since our aim is:

- to offer ourselves, together with our brothers and sisters, as a living sacrifice pleasing to God
- to illuminate hearts with the prophetic word of truth
- to put material things at the service of our neighbour under the kingly rule of Christ.

Cost 120

Catechumenate

This time of our Rosminian living is a new "catechumenate" for us, where we individually begin our pilgrim journey, undergoing a process of discernment and formation in a spirit of renewed joyful living:



Christian calling:
 being baptised in the new water



religious calling:
 listening to the invitation of Jesus and staying with him



mission:
 following in his footsteps

It also means belonging to a "group of people", who offer support, encouragement, guidance and challenge to one another and who together form a worshipping community.

In this way we "rediscover the beauty of the journey of faith begun on the day of our Baptism, which made us children of God and brothers and sisters in the Church. A journey which has as its ultimate end our full encounter with God, and throughout which the Holy spirit purifies us, lifts us up and sanctifies us, so that we may enter into the happiness for which our hearts long".
 Pope Francis

The foundations of
**ROSMINIAN
 SPIRITUALITY**

HOW DO I LIVE?
FAITH IN PROVIDENCE
DEPENDENCE ON THE GRACE OF JESUS CHRIST
JUSTICE: SAYING "YES" TO THE WILL OF GOD
THE LOVE OF GOD