

# *Prayer & Action 2019 Mission Team Application*



Thank you for your interest in being a part of the 2019 Prayer & Action Mission Team! This will be the first summer of this important ministry in the Diocese of Des Moines, and your willingness to be a part of that is much appreciated. Before proceeding with this application, please note a few things:

- All applicants must be 19 years old and one full school year removed from high school as of May 31<sup>st</sup>, 2019.
- Application deadline is January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2019.
  - In-person interviews will be held at a date/time to be determined after initial applications are received, and upon discussion with candidates. If distance is a factor, these may be held remotely.

## **CONTACT INFORMATION**

Name (First, MI, Last): \_\_\_\_\_

Address (House Number, City, State, Zip): \_\_\_\_\_

Primary Phone Number (\_\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Gender: M F Home Parish: \_\_\_\_\_

### SCHOOL INFORMATION (if applicable)

School Attending: \_\_\_\_\_ Year in School: \_\_\_\_\_

Parish at School: \_\_\_\_\_

## **EXPERIENCE**

If you have been involved in similar leadership roles, please list them here, along with when you were involved (camps, retreats, scouting, youth leadership bodies, etc. in which you have participated or led).

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Do you sing or play a musical instrument? If so, please list the instrument and skill level (beginner, intermediate, advanced).

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Do you speak another language in addition to English? If so, please list the language and fluency level.

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Do you have experience with power tools? If so, please explain here.

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## **REFERENCES**

Please list three references who know you well and can offer a reference for you in a work or volunteer setting (youth minister, teacher, work supervisor, etc.) Do not use family members or peers. The first must be your pastor.

Reference Name	Address	Daytime Phone	How long have you known this person?	What is your relationship to this person?
(Pastor)				

## **SHORT ANSWER QUESTIONS**

**Please tell us a bit more about yourself in the following spaces.**

Are you capable of living in different sorts of spaces (i.e., a couple weeks at a time in a parish hall with improvised bedding and living space)?

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Are you capable of functioning without your cell phone for extended periods of time?

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Are you competent in exhibiting personal habits (health, dress, speech) and relationships with other volunteers that serve as a Christ-like model to youth participants?

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Why do you want to be a Mission Team member for Prayer & Action?

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What gifts would you bring to the Team? What challenges would you bring?

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Briefly describe your relationship with Jesus Christ and His Church, and how it impacts your daily life.

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What has been your biggest struggle this year? How has this struggle helped you grow spiritually?

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*Thanks for your application! Please send to Justin White, Director of Youth & Young Adult Ministry, by January 25<sup>th</sup>, 2018.*

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*Questions? E-mail the address above, or call 515-237-5098*