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Application form to be admitted
as a candidate
in the diocesan House of Discernment

PERSONAL INFORMATION

(Please print or type)

1. Family name:
2. First and middle name:
3. Date of birth:
4. Place of birth:
5. Address:
6. Telephone:
7. e-mail address:
8. Are you a Canadian Citizen?
9. What is your mother tongue?
10. Father's name:.....
Address:.....
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Date of birth:..... Place of birth:
- If deceased, date of death:.....
- Occupation:.....
- Religion:.....
- If a convert, when and from what religion:
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11. Mother's maiden name:.....
Address:.....
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Date of birth:..... Place of birth:

If deceased, date of death:.....

Occupation:.....

Religion:.....

If a convert, when and from what religion:
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12. List your siblings:

No	Name	Address	Age
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PAROCHIAL AND SACRAMENTAL HISTORY

13. Parish of Baptism:

Date:

14. Parish of Confirmation:

Date:

15. Parish of First Communion:

Date:

16. Are you a convert to the Catholic Church? If yes, from what religion?

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Where and when were you received into the Catholic Church?

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17. Names and addresses of parishes you have lived in since you were fourteen years old:

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18. Parish groups and activities in which you participated:

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19. Other organizations and activities in which you participated:

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20. Have you been an altar server?.....

Parish:.....

Dates:.....

21. Where do you presently participate in Sunday Liturgy?
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EDUCATION

22. Name of grade school:
Years attended:

23. Name of high school:
Years attended:
Last grade successfully completed:

24. Names of other schools/colleges:
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Courses taken:
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Degrees or diplomas obtained:
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25. List any languages you are fluent in other than English:

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26. Detail the types of jobs you have had:

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27. Hobbies and sports in which you take an interest:

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HEALTH

28. Detail any defects in your sight (including requirements for glasses):

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29. Detail any defects in your hearing abilities:

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30. Detail any defects in your speaking abilities:

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31. Detail any other physical disabilities or conditions (such allergies etc.):

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32. Detail any serious surgery you have undergone:

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33. Detail any psychological or psychiatric treatment you have undergone:

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34. Detail any history of any mental illness in other family members:

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ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

35. List persons who would know you sufficiently well to provide us with a letter of recommendation:

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36. Give any additional information that would be helpful in considering your application:

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37. Please supply an autobiographical summary in order to help us get to know you better. Your essay should consist of at least one page in length and include the following categories: significant life experiences, work experience and significant religious experiences.

38. Please forward copies of the following with your application:

- recent baptismal certificate (issued within last 6 months),
- confirmation certificate,
- 2 letters of reference
- a letter from your present pastor.

I acknowledge that the facts given in this application and in all accompanying documents requested and submitted for application to the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Peterborough are true and complete to the best of my knowledge. I understand that the information provided in this application is for confidential use of the Diocese of Peterborough.

I hereby apply to the Bishop of Peterborough to be admitted as a candidate for his diocese.

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Date

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Signature

Please note:

By providing the above information you are asking the Vocation Office of the Diocese of Peterborough to assist you in determining whether you have a vocation to the priesthood.

VOCATION PRAYERS

**O Lord Jesus Christ,
you call each of us by name and ask us to follow you.
Bless your Church by raising up dedicated and generous
men and women from our families and parishes
who will serve your people as
priests and deacons, as religious sisters and brothers.
Open the hearts and minds of those you have called,
so that a new flowering of religious vocations
may show forth the fidelity of your love and
make you known
as the light of the world and the hope of eternal life.
Amen.**

**O Lord Jesus Christ,
who said to your Apostles:
“You have not chosen me, but I have chosen you”,
I believe with all my heart that you have planned
that I should live my life with you and in you.
Help me live by that faith,
so that I may never seek any vocation but my true one, nor
ever doubt that by your help I shall find it.
For my part, I promise that
on the day when I learn your holy will,
I will choose it and be faithful to it forever.
Amen.**