



## Year 2 Formation- Lay Apostolate

A student's second year of the Missionary Leadership Institute follows successful completion of the Intensive Year and commissioning as a missionary disciple. Lay Apostolate Formation serves those who want to continue growing as leaders who will transform the world for Christ in their particular apostolate.

*"Lay men and women hear and answer the universal call to holiness primarily and uniquely in the secular realm. They are found 'in each and every one of the world's occupations and callings and in the ordinary circumstances of social and family life which, as it were, form the context of their existence. There they are called by God to contribute to the sanctification of the world from within, like leaven, in the spirit of the Gospel, by fulfilling their own particular duties.'" (Co-Workers in the Vineyard of the Lord, USCCB, p. 8)*

### MLI Lay Apostolate Formation Requirements:

- Ongoing Check-ins with Institute staff:
  - Initial - between June and August
  - Mid-Year - between December and January
  - End of year advisement meeting - April
- Completion of a minimum of six online courses or Diocesan workshops
- Fulfillment of the Intercultural Competency course requirement
- Cohort "Night of Learning"
  - Thursday, November 13, 2025, 6:00 PM - 8:30 PM
- Cohort "Dinner and Discussion: End of the Year Celebration"
  - Thursday, April 30, 2026, 6:00 PM - 7:30 PM
- Upon completion, students receive a Certificate of Completion.

The Year 2: Lay Apostolate registration fee is \$50 (scholarships available). The deadline for registration is Friday, August 8, 2025.



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