

## THE LA SALETTE PRIEST.

A vocation as a La Salette Priest is somewhat different from other types of priesthood. It is a vocation, first of all, to the witness of Mary's instructions at La Salette to "make this message known to all my people." This message is a message of reconciliation, conversion, and harmony between God and his people, a message that is at the heart of what it means to be a priest in itself.

As a member of the La Salette community, a candidate for priesthood will first experience the formation process of religious life: postulancy, novitiate, and theological studies. During this time, he will adapt to life in a communal setting, learn more deeply about the missions and charism of La Salette, and receive fundamental training to be a minister of the Church and its people.

Time in formation is an opportunity for the La Salette Missionary to grow, reflect, and be inspired to his particular call to mission. The skills and insights he gathers during this time will foster an attitude of pastoral care and dedication to the public that will remain vital to him throughout his priesthood.



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## MODERN MEN.

The Missionaries of Our Lady of La Salette were formed in 1846 in response to Mary's plea to proclaim the Good News of Reconciliation between God and His people. Her prayer has become our mission: "Do not be afraid... make this known to all my people." As a result of the message given during the apparition, the Bishop of Grenoble, France established the community to carry out this ministry of reconciliation. Since that time, we have worked as priests and brothers to spread the Good News of God's mercy throughout the world.

The mission of the La Salette Community is prophetic and evolving: reflecting on the needs of the changing times to better serve all generations of the faithful. Our work has expanded overtime, calling upon our missionaries to be creative and energetic as they venture into new areas of the spiritual life.

## THE LA SALETTE COMMUNITY

The message and influence of the La Salette charism has spread to diverse cultures of the world. We minister to communities in Europe, North and South America, Africa, and Asia. Our service reaches the people in the form of shrines, parishes, retreat houses, and academic settings.

La Salette missionaries live a lifestyle that is both apostolic and reflective, consisting of various pastoral ministries as well as a life of communal prayer and Sacrament. We live together as brothers and priests, each with unique but collaborative calls to continue Mary's vision of worldwide reconciliation and lifegiving service. Both priests and brothers are educated in philosophy and theology, and are encouraged to pursue further training for the ministry of their personal choice and talents.

The message and gifts that are the legacy of the La Salette apparition continue to thrive and increase after nearly two centuries, and through the work of our missionaries, God wishes to give them an even more dynamic life. A man following this call can be assured of rewarding work, deepening faith, and encouraging fraternity. This call can be your call. Reach out to us! Upon religious profession, those who have opted for priesthood enter into



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*-OUR LADY OF LA SALETTE  
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a program of ongoing development which will help to deepen their spiritual and human maturity and develop their talents for their services of God's people through the La Salette Community. Those who choose to pursue their studies for the priesthood, enter a graduate studies program in theology. During this period of preparation, each priesthood candidate experiences many of the works in which he may be called to serve after ordination.

