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CASE STATEMENT

MISSION STATEMENT

International Liaison of Lay Volunteers in Mission (ILLVIM) is the U.S. Catholic Network of Lay Volunteer Mission Programs. Challenged by the message of the Gospel, we promote and assist member programs serving in the U.S. and throughout the world. We are a resource for lay people who are discerning a call to service. We advocate an increased role for lay women and men and greater use of their gifts in service to the Church and the World.

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INTERNATIONAL LIAISON OF LAY VOLUNTEERS IN MISSION

U.S. Catholic Network

Celebrating
30
Years of Service
1963 - 1993

AN INVITATION

International Liaison of Lay Volunteers in Mission (ILLVIM) invites you to JOIN US in our mission by sharing your

TIME

TALENTS

FINANCIAL RESOURCES

SERVICES/PROGRAMS

1. Widespread **RECRUITMENT** of volunteers for service among the poor as well as those who are experiencing any form of injustice. The volunteers serve on most continents.

2. **RESPONSE**, annual directory published and distributed free of charge to facilitate recruitment effort. Currently 70,000 RESPONSE directories are in print, listing over 150 volunteer programs. The volunteer programs offer placements for periods from 2 weeks to 4 years worldwide.

3. **TOLL-FREE 800** number to the ILLVIM National Office providing access to firsthand information and advice regarding volunteer options and support for the over 150 member volunteer programs.

4. **HOW CAN I HELP?**, bi-weekly (every two weeks) newsletter announcing congressional involvement and National Office news. Attached to newsletter sent to member volunteer programs is a listing of potential volunteers who have contacted the ILLVIM office by phone or letter requesting information about volunteer opportunities.

5. **COORDINATION AND FACILITATION** of education/formation opportunities through two workshops offered for those looking to begin a volunteer program. A third workshop provides spiritual renewal of volunteer programs. An annual Celebration Conference enables networking among Directors of Volunteer programs as well as an introduction to lay volunteerism.

6. **CONSCIOUSNESS RAISING** through publication and distribution of brochures inviting persons of all ages to discern the call to serve others through volunteerism; involvement in Mission Appeals in parishes throughout the U.S.

7. **NETWORKING** with the U.S. Catholic Bishops Conference, U.S. parishes, religious congregations of women and men, National and Diocesan Propagation of the Faith offices, and collaborative agencies.

GOVERNANCE AND NATIONAL OFFICE TEAM

A fifteen member Board governs the mission, purpose, policies, plans and financial stability of ILLVIM. The membership consists of volunteer program directors and persons with specific expertise from the general public. The Board meets twice a year and members are encouraged to serve on committees throughout the year.

National office team is administered and managed by an Executive Director. The team consists of four members, volunteer and paid, as well as volunteer consultants sharing the responsibilities of the office.

An Episcopal Advisor guides ILLVIM and its efforts.

FINANCIAL SUPPORT

General operations are supported through membership fees; contributions from individuals; dioceses/parishes; religious organizations/groups; foundation/corporation grants; in-kind volunteer services; donations from families, friends, and supporters of ILLVIM's mission.

"Yes, it has been a year of faith and service. Instead of seeing my beliefs enhanced by my work, I saw them challenged. Instead of having my faith answered through my service, it was questioned. However, during the course of this year, I have come to embrace my faith more fully."

Theresa Vithayathil

ILLVIM TODAY

ILLVIM can boast of many blessings during its thirty (30) years of service. It was established in 1963 as an independent not-for-profit affiliate of the National Conference of Catholic Bishops for the purpose of facilitating the Spirit's urging among Catholic women and men toward involvement in "mission activities" worldwide. ILLVIM has promoted and facilitated the establishment and operation of many volunteer programs. These in turn have made it possible for thousands to experience personal transformation through activating their baptismal call to serve others in need throughout the world. ILLVIM presently continues as a viable membership service organization, promoting and enabling all persons to find a way to put their faith into action.



ILLVIM TOMORROW

Thirty years is only the beginning. ILLVIM continues to move forward promoting lay volunteerism. Our primary goals for the future include greater collaboration with other networks, higher visibility, increased services to member programs and greater endowment. We envision together "a new generation of missionaries" --our laity in mission.

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