

2010 Bishop's Awards

Honoree Criteria and Categories

General Criteria for all Categories

- Must be Catholic
- Live within the Diocesan boundaries
- Must be in continuous good standing with the Church throughout one's life
- Must have pastoral approval and support from current parish
- Has demonstrated a "*lifelong*" commitment to serving others through Christ's teachings

Life of Community Service

- Deeply committed as a Catholic to the larger Community
- Utilizes time, talent and treasures to support the Community at large
- Epitomizes the Catholic way of life through community service

Life of Religious Service

- Respected religious leader – Lay, Religious or Ordained
- Demonstrates a deep commitment to the mission of the Church
- Respected as a religious leader by the Catholic Community

Life of Service to the Poor

- Utilizes their knowledge, expertise and resources to support the less fortunate
- Makes a measurable impact on improving the lives of individuals in our diocese
- Dedicated to living for others

Life of Youth Service

- Witnesses to the relevancy of faith in the lives of young people
- Actively worked with youth in the Catholic Community
- Respected by children and young people who are now adults

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Request for Honoree Nomination
Nominations Deadline is **May 13, 2010**

The Bishop's Award is presented annually to individuals who are in continuous good standing with the Catholic Church throughout one's life and have demonstrated a "*lifelong*" commitment to serving others. The four categories in which to choose from are listed below. You may nominate one or more names. Please make your nomination based on the criteria within that category. Letters of recommendation are acceptable. Limit these to two (2) per nomination and no more than 250 words per letter. Please do not send articles or pictures. Typed format preferred. **All forms need the Pastor's signature from the nominee's current parish for the nomination to be valid.**

Name of person/persons being nominated _____

Address _____

Telephone Number _____

Parish _____

Category _____

Person submitting suggestion _____

Position _____

Signature _____

Pastor's Approval (from current parish) _____

Please attach a brief biography highlighting exactly how the person/persons you are nominating have made a "*lifelong*" commitment in the category that best suits their service to the Church. It should be at least one typed page with the nominee's qualifications, contact information and approximate age or you may use the included form. Please make copies of this form if you are nominating for more than one category. If you have any questions, please call Rebecca Glissman at 472-1008 ext. 20. You may also nominate someone posthumously in any of the categories.

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