Terms of Membership

ORDINARY MEMBERS

- 1. Members of the Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers (OLOLHNAV) must be practicing Catholics attending Sunday Mass and fulfilling the duties of a faithful Catholic and must be at least 18 years of age. A person becomes a Member by taking the Oath of Membership (see below), registering membership and offering service:
 - In prayer at home, through the Rosary, at Mass, at Adoration or in sacrifice and suffering.
 - By assisting others as airport volunteers, companions, caregivers, housekeepers and as medical professionals.
 - As volunteers at the Sanctuaries, in the Baths, the Accueils, at the trains and at ceremonies.
 - Evangelizing through Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experiences bringing the grace of Lourdes to those unlikely or unable to make the journey to France.
 - In loving each person as Christ, caring as the Blessed Mother would take care for Jesus.
 - Making the mission possible as volunteers, donors, benefactors, sponsors and supporters.
- 2. Members joining after January 1, 2018 must be formally registered: online at the OLOLHNAV website, by postal mail, at a OLOLHNAV pilgrimage, Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience, or other events.
- 3. Members who joined prior to January 1, 2018 are encouraged to register.

ASSOCIATE MEMBERS

- 1. Associate members of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers are Christians who live their faith in Jesus Christ in their Christian communities or churches or are persons of good will and are at least 18 years old and who register as Associates of OLOLHNAV and offer their service:
 - In prayer at home, or in gatherings of the Christian faithful, or in sacrifice and suffering.
 - By assisting others as airport volunteers, companions, caregivers, housekeepers and as medical professionals.
 - As volunteers at the Sanctuaries, in the Baths, the Accueils, at the trains and at ceremonies
 - Evangelizing through Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experiences bringing the grace of Lourdes to those unlikely or unable to make the journey to France.
 - In loving each person as Christ, caring as the Blessed Mother would take care for Jesus.
 - Making the mission possible as volunteers, donors, benefactors, sponsors and supporters.
- 2. Associate Members joining after January 1, 2018 must be formally registered: online at the OLOLHNAV website, by postal mail, at a OLOLHNAV pilgrimage, Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experience, or other events.
- 3. Associate Members who joined prior to January 1, 2018 are encouraged to register.

JUNIOR MEMBERS

- 1. Junior Members of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers must be practicing Catholics attending Sunday Mass and fulfilling the duties of a faithful Catholic and must be between the ages of 12 through 17. One becomes a Junior Member of OLOLHNAV by registering membership and offering service:
 - In prayer at home, through the Rosary, at Mass, at Adoration or in sacrifice and suffering.
 - By assisting others as volunteers at OLOLHNAV events.
 - As junior volunteers at the Sanctuaries in the Accueils and at ceremonies.
 - $\bullet\,$ In loving each person as Christ caring as the Blessed Mother would care for Jesus.
 - Making the mission possible by supporting OLOLHNAV events.
- 2. Junior Members joining after January 1, 2018 must be registered: online at the website, by postal mail, or at a OLOLHNAV pilgrimage, Lourdes Virtual Pilgrimage Experiences or other events.
- 3. Junior Members who joined prior to January 1, 2018 are encouraged to register.

ENDING MEMBERSHIP

- 1. **Resignation**: Members, Associate Members and Junior Members of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers may resign as members by submitting a letter resigning membership by postal mail or e-mail.
- 2. **Suspension**: The President of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers may suspend any membership (Member, Associate Member, or Junior Member) for a just cause. The suspension cannot exceed six months.
- 3. **Revocation**: A member of Our Lady of Lourdes Hospitality North American Volunteers membership (Member, Associate Member, or Junior Member) may be revoked for a just cause by the Board of Directors of OLOLHNAV.

OATH OF MEMBERSHIP

Volunteer Oath

"With the Gift of God's Grace I vow to embrace the teachings of the Catholic Church to honor the sanctity of every human life and to respect the dignity of each person as Christ, with the loving support of my brothers and sisters, so help me, God."

Medical Professional Oath

"With the Gift of God's Grace I vow to embrace the teachings of the Catholic Church to honor, vouchsafe and protect the sanctity of every human life from conception to natural death and to respect the dignity of each person as Christ, with the loving support of my brothers and sisters, so help me, God."

PRIVACY STATEMENT

North American Lourdes Volunteers does not sell or divulge the names, addresses or any other personal information gathered by the Lourdes Volunteers website or mailing list to any third party or company.