

**Diocese of Duluth**  
**RELIGIOUS EMBLEM COUNSELOR APPLICATION**  
(Please type or print legibly)

Name\* \_\_\_\_\_ Primary phone\* \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_ Work \_\_\_  
Address\* \_\_\_\_\_ Other phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home \_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_ Work \_\_\_  
City/state/zip\* \_\_\_\_\_ Email address\* \_\_\_\_\_

\*Required Field. Primary phone and email address indicate how a scout should contact you.

**To qualify as a religious emblem counselor, you must**

- Be at least 21 years old and of good character
- Be recognized by parish priest as having the skills and education to counsel a religious emblem program
- Be registered with the Boy Scouts of America
- Complete Diocese of Duluth Safe Environment Certification ([www.dioceseduluth.org/SA](http://www.dioceseduluth.org/SA))
- Complete BSA Youth Protection training ([myscouting.scouting.org](http://myscouting.scouting.org))
- Be able to work with Scout age youth
- Complete the training module for which you are asking approval.

**As a religious emblem counselor, I agree to**

- Obtain and read the Youth Manual and Counselor Guide
- Follow the requirements of the religious emblem guide. Making no deletions or additions, ensuring that the completion standards are fair and uniform for all Scouts
- Have a scout accompanied by their buddy during all instructional sessions
- Keep my Youth Protection training and Safe Environment Certification current
- Renew my registration annually if I plan to continue as a religious emblem counselor

<p>I request approval to counsel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Ad Altare Dei Award _____ Date _____</li> <li>• Pope Pius XII Award _____ Date _____</li> </ul>	<p align="center">Pastor's Approval</p>
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- Attached this form to the BSA Adult Application.
- Attach the BSA Youth Protection training certificate
- Attach the Diocese of Duluth Safe Environment certificate.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

<p align="center"><b>Diocese of Duluth Scout Chaplain Approval</b></p> <p>Signature _____</p> <p>Date _____</p>
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**RETURN THE COMPLETED APPLICATION TO THE DIOCESE OF DULUTH SCOUT CHAPLIN AT THE VAC SERVICE CENTER**  
**3877 STEBNER ROAD**  
**HERMANTOWN, MN 55811**