

## **MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM 2021-2022**

## Membership Meetings

BAAM Retreat – July 21, 2021, at Christ Church, 13460 N. Port Washington Rd, Mequon BAAM Meetings – September 15, November 17, March 16, May 18

We expect all meetings to be held in-person, but may hold some meetings virtually in case of dangerous weather, public health emergencies, etc.

In-person meetings are held at Our Lady of Lourdes Parish, 3722 S. 58<sup>th</sup> St, Milwaukee, from 9:00 am to noon. Virtual meetings are held via ZOOM from 9:00 to 10:15 am.

## **Additional Events**

**Email Address** 

Annual Professional Development Conference – Date and details TBD

BAAM Dues - \$40.00 / Person (FY 2021-2022) >> > Make Checks Payable to: BAAM

**DISCOUNT for 2021-2022:** Members with their **photo and personal biography uploaded** to the BAAM website get a \$30 discount, making your membership dues for the year **only \$10.00**!

Membership is per person (not employer), guests are always welcome. Membership year is July through June.

Please mail your check and completed form (below) to:

Steve Cosentino
St. Mary Parish
N89W16297 Cleveland Ave
Menomonee Falls, WI 53051

PLEASE PRINT or TYPE – Thank you.

Parish/School/Employer

Replacing member name (if applicable):

Name

Title

Address

City

Zip

PLEASE UPDATE ANY NEW INFORMATION IN YOUR PROFILE AND INCLUDE A PHOTO AND PERSONAL BIO ON THE WEBSITE. IT'S WORTH A \$30 DISCOUNT ON YOUR MEMBERSHIP DUES!

http://www.milwaukeebaam.org/



## BENEFITS OF MEMBERSHIP

Members of BAAM enjoy networking and learning opportunities including:

- Connection to the Archdiocese of Milwaukee
  - Speakers at meetings from Chancery, Communication Office, Development and Stewardship, Human Resources, Lay Pension, Parish and School Financial Consulting, Safe Environment, Catholic Mutual Group and others
  - Updates at BAAM meetings for important topics that impact parishes and school, such as health insurance, archdiocesan assessment, long-term planning, and more
- Professional development
  - Access to the secure sections of the BAAM website (www.milwaukeeBAAM.org)
    - Member directory with contact information
    - Knowledgebase, where members ask questions and get answers which are saved in a searchable online library
    - Vendor database with recommendations from other BAAM members
    - Resource library with presentations and handouts from BAAM meetings, as well as other shared resources from the Archdiocese of Milwaukee and other sources
  - Regular membership meetings
    - Gather at Our Lady of Lourdes at 8:45 for fellowship, with program from 9 to noon.
    - Guest speakers who are experts in their field. Previous topics include:
      - Planned giving
      - Affordable Care Act reporting
      - Restricted funds
      - Labor laws, workplace harassment
      - Crisis communication
      - Verbal defense and de-escalation
      - The future of Catholic schools
      - Proxies
      - Sales tax
      - Charitable gaming in Wisconsin
      - Energy efficiency in buildings
    - Occasional group lunches, book groups, and other ways to grow professionally and spiritually
  - Specialized workshops at the annual BAAM Professional Development Conference.
- Spiritual growth
  - Guest speakers from around the Archdiocese of Milwaukee, on topics such as:
    - Serving with a Missionary Heart
    - Spirituality of Stewardship
    - Evangelization in Everyday Life
  - o Annual retreat An opportunity to "Come away...and rest a while." (Mk 6:30)
    - Gather with other members of BAAM to pray together, acknowledging the spirituality of administration, and how your ministry works with others