

## **MEMBERSHIP REGISTRATION FORM 2023-2024**

## Membership Meetings

BAAM Retreat – April 2024 – Date and Location TBD BAAM Meetings – September 20, November 15, March 20, May 15

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.

## BAAM Dues - \$40.00 / Person (FY 2023-2024) >>> Make Checks Payable to: BAAM

**DISCOUNT for 2023-2024:** Members with their **photo** <u>and</u> **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:

mpleted form (below) to:Steve CosentinoSt. Mary ParishSt. Mary ParishN89W16297 Cleveland AveMenomonee Falls, WI 53051

PLEASE PRINT or TYPE - Thank you.

Parish/School/Employer Replacing member name (if applicable):

Name

Address

City

Title

Zip

Email Address

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/

See next page for Membership Benefits  $\rightarrow$ 



## **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 schools, such as health insurance, archdiocesan assessment, long-term planning, and more
- Professional development
  - o 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:
      - Leadership skills in parish administration
      - Affordable Care Act reporting
      - Charitable gaming in Wisconsin
      - Labor laws, workplace harassment
      - Energy efficiency in buildings
      - Verbal defense and de-escalation
      - The future of Catholic schools
    - Occasional group lunches, book groups, and other ways to grow professionally and spiritually
- 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
  - 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

- Proxies
- Sales tax
- Cybersecurity
- Crisis communication
- Restricted Funds
- Planned giving
- Facilities management