

# PERSONAL RECOMMENDATION

[TWO RECOMMENDATIONS ARE REQUIRED – NEITHER ARE TO BE FAMILY MEMBERS – EITHER CAN BE FRIENDS OR COWORKERS]

\_\_\_\_\_ has expressed interest in the Permanent Diaconate by entering the Aspirancy Path to continue discerning his call to ordained service in the Church. Please complete the following form and return it to inquirer in a sealed envelope or send it directly to **Deacon Tim Chriswell, Director of Deacons, Formation Center 795 Main Street, Buffalo, NY 14203.** Thank you for your time.

How long have you known this man? \_\_\_\_\_

How well do you know the Inquirer? \_\_\_\_\_

In what capacity have you known him? • \_\_\_\_\_

What personal qualities of this man do you think are assets to his involvement in service to the Church?

From your personal knowledge of this man, please comment on the following key aspects of one inquiring about the permanent diaconate:

Follows through on tasks \_\_\_\_\_

Ability to work as a team member \_\_\_\_\_

Interaction with those in authority \_\_\_\_\_

Typical way of relating with others \_\_\_\_\_

Interest in well-being of others \_\_\_\_\_

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Your Name \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_

**FEEL FREE TO USE THE REVERSE SIDE FOR ADDITIONAL COMMENTS**