

## SCHOOL OF DIACONAL FORMATION



"I have always felt a calling to serve the Church. Now, as I find myself studying for the School of Diaconal Formation at the seminary, I ask myself why I am choosing this path. The answer lies in finding Christ as a steadfast anchor. I want others to encounter Him in their lives, to see the transformative effect He can have.

My wife accompanied me on this journey, attending classes and discerning alongside me. None of this would be possible without the amazing professors at the seminary. They are a tremendous gift; they help me comprehend the teachings of Scripture and tradition and show how they apply to today's world, enabling me to incorporate them into my ministry.

Our faith is more than just attending Church on Sundays. As Deacons, we are actively involved in the world outside of Sunday, working with our families and engaging with others. If you are searching for a place where your faith can be nourished and where you can contribute to the faith of others, supporting the Seminary Appeal will assist men in discerning their calling." – Jaime Gandara



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