



About LAMP

Members of LAMP (Lay Apostolic Ministries with the Poor) Catholic Ministries support and strengthen the spiritual lives of the materially poor. LAMP Missionaries live together in community, sharing in daily Mass, Adoration, prayer, and service. By witnessing to God's unconditional love, LAMP Missionaries help those crushed in spirit rediscover their dignity, goodness, and ability to better their lives.

Through God's grace, countless people served by LAMP Catholic Ministries have experienced the love of Jesus.

"The worst discrimination which the poor suffer is the lack of spiritual care."

Pope Francis,
Evangelii Gaudium

Is God calling you to minister with the materially poor?

To learn more about serving as a LAMP Missionary, contact:
mission@lampcatholicministries.org
or submit an inquiry form at
lampcatholicministries.org.

Support LAMP

To donate to LAMP Ministries today:

- visit the Donate tab on **lampcatholicministries.org**,
- send a donation to
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A community of Catholic lay adults who share in the call to provide the materially poor of New York City and beyond with the message of God's love.



“Our encounters are moments that can affect others for eternity.”

Lyn Scheuring (+2018), Co-Founder and Co-Director



LAMP's Spirituality

LAMP Missionaries grow in holiness by learning to move with the compassionate Heartbeat of Jesus and Mary for the poor and forgotten. This is their courage and consolation as they serve the spiritually hungry.

LAMP offers the opportunity for Catholic lay adults to grow in caring about others, which is crucial formation for growth in holiness and one's humanity, leading to a further life of self-giving, whether one is single, married, or enters religious life.

Who Does LAMP Serve?

LAMP Missionaries accompany and serve the poor and homeless by:

OFFERING a Catholic faith presence to *homeless families* through prayer, children's and mother's-based faith-sharing groups, Scripture, and connecting families to the local parish.

MINISTERING in *materially poor parishes* through youth ministry, apartment visitation, adult religious education, and more.

BRINGING lunches, prayer, and the tender love of Jesus to the hungry and homeless through a mobile street canteen, *LAMPcafé*.

PROVIDING crisis pregnancy support, sidewalk counseling and prayer for mothers considering abortion through *LAMP for Life*.

VISITING the *sick and imprisoned* through ministry to hospitals, nursing homes, the homebound, and a local youth detention center.