

DISCERN A DIRECTION FOR LIFE.

IT'S YOUR CALL.

WHAT'S A LIFE FOR?

Put simply, it's your call:

- > Just call to say hi and start a conversation**
- > Come and visit us**
- > Attend a discernment weekend retreat**
- > Volunteer as a short term lay missionary**

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HAVE YOU CONSIDERED VOLUNTEERING YOUR TIME AS A **SHORT TERM LAY MISSIONARY?**

People of goodwill are striving to create a better global society with and through the Missionaries of the Sacred Heart.

What about overseas?

Australians have a proven track record of distinguished service in developing countries. Each year hundreds of people go to many countries, and do remarkable work.

Why short term?

Many people do not have the time or the opportunity to work overseas for six months or more. Also they can contribute in a significant way, especially if they have an expertise which is not available in developing countries.

The MSC Mission Office began in June 1998, and since then over 80 people have availed themselves of the short term Missionary experience with us.

Five of our Lay Volunteers have joined the Seminary.

 **Missionaries of
the Sacred Heart**

Since the commencement of the Mission Office, we have had lay volunteers go overseas with the following skills:

- Architect who designed a cathedral
- Surveyor who did work in PNG and Kiribati
- Nurses
- Teachers
- Plumbers
- Builders
- Rotarians
- Members of the Society of St Vincent de Paul
- Seminarians
- Administration/Accountants

We have a youthful spirit open to the cry of the poor. Although our spirit and motivation is Catholic, we have a history of co-operating with all people of good will.

Members of Rotary, the Society of St Vincent de Paul, Seminaries for the priesthood, as well as Parish groups have worked happily with us.

Our spirit is one of hospitality, good cheer and mutual support.

Why not contact us? Just for a chat? There's no obligation – just have a go!

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