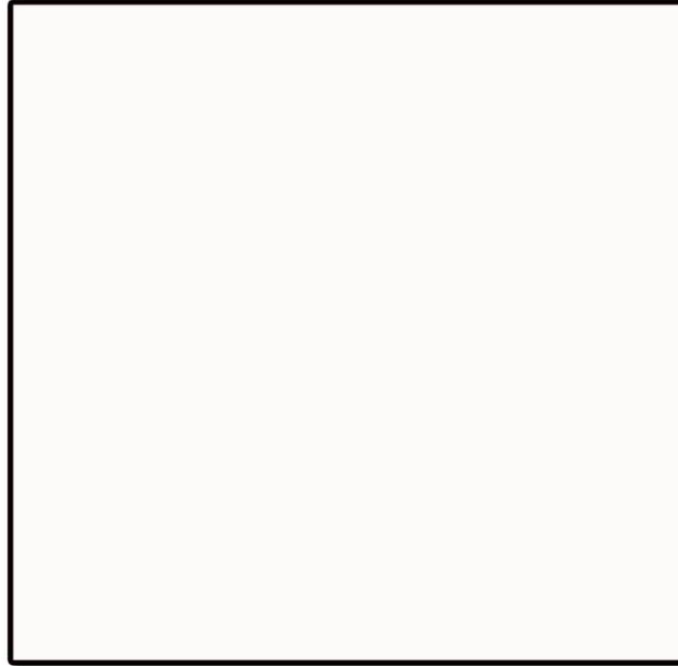


My Marian Consecration Badge Submission



Name: _____

Age: _____ email: _____

Address: _____

Behold Christ Catholic Club Leader name:

Where is your group located? _____

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In this month of October dedicated to the Holy Rosary, we would like to honor the Blessed Mother with a new badge contest for a Marian Consecration. This type of consecration is an act whereby you, along with your family, strive to take Mary into your home just as the beloved disciple John did at the foot of the the cross (Jn. 19:27) through specific actions, prayers, reading and more.

Many of our Catholic Club families have already done a Marian Consecration through such organizations as the Legion of Mary or through reading such books as St. Louis DeMonfort's True Devotion to Mary or Fr. Michael Gaitley's 33 Days to Morning Glory, A Do-it-Yourself Retreat in Preparation for Marian Consecration.

We also have our own act of consecration (highlighted in an upcoming issue of St. Mary's Messenger magazine) <https://stmarysmessenger.com/> as does Holy Heroes. These were both specifically developed for young people and their families.

Our newest contest will be the creation of a badge to publicly and formally recognize our commitment to Mary as our Mother here on earth and our Queen in Heaven. Sewn on your sash, a tote bag or even your favorite jacket it is proof of your work towards consecration and announces to the world how much you love her. It is a clear "Thank You" for how much she loves us and prays for us.

Once the badge is available, we'll let you know, and you can plan a special badge ceremony to either kick off a consecration effort or give them to all those who have completed their consecration. Details on how to complete a consecration and ideas for planning such a wonderful party/ceremony will be included with each badge.

Ideas for the badge itself might include an image of Mary as a queen, or an image of one of her many honored titles; maybe a representation of one of her approved appearances.

Entries must use the official entry form found on the Behold Publications, LLC website (www.beholdpublications.com) or can be obtained by emailing joan@beholdpublications.com

Entries must be postmarked by December 31, 2018 and sent via email to the above address or by USPS to: Behold Publications, LLC 4503 Mattingly Ct., Suite E, Buckner, KY 40010.

Top two winning entries will receive \$25 Gift Certificates to Behold Publications. Top winner will have their design embroidered into a special limited edition Behold Christ Club patch that all Club members can earn. Top winner will also be featured in our monthly newsletter and blog. Top winner will also receive their Marian Consecration badge free for themselves and their immediate club members.

Criteria for judging patches:

*Design should be easily embroidered

*Design should illustrate the theme and include the words: Marian Consecration Catholic Clubs

*Design should be appealing to all Behold Christ Clubs

*Design should be unique to the designer

*Design must be submitted on official form found on the website (or attached)

Behold Publications and the creator of Little Flowers Girls' Club, Rachel Watkins, and their families will judge the designs. We will get input on the finalists through social media, but the ultimate decision will be with Behold Publications. All decisions are final. Winners will be announced March 1st, 2018.