

## SAY 'YES' TO GOD!

How will you serve Him?

ord Jesus Christ, people of African descent have been an integral part of your Church since its beginning. They have joined people of every race, ethnicity, and nation to proclaim your Gospel and to build your Church.

We thank you for those who have accepted their vocation from you to serve as consecrated religious women and men, deacons, and priests.

With the intercession of the Servants of God Mother Mary Lange, Sister Thea Bowman, and Julia Greeley, and the Venerables Mother Henriette Dellille, Father Augustus Tolton, and Pierre Toussaint, we pray that those whom you are calling to holy orders and the consecrated religious life will recognize it and accept it. Raise us up to support them.

You live and reign with the Father in the unity of the Holy Spirit, God, forever and ever. Amen.

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