

Exorcism Intake Questionnaire

The following questions are suggested possibilities when approached by someone who believe they are suffering from extraordinary demonic activity:

1. A person is asked to share their basic background, including marital status, age, religion and so on.
2. Please describe the experience or experiences which lead you to believe that you are being affected by the presence of evil. What has been the frequency and duration of time that these experiences have occurred?
3. Is there an event or series of events which create the impression of evil?
4. Please describe your psychological history: Have there been any periods of psychotherapy and if so, about what issues? Are you currently under the care of a psychiatrist or any other type of therapist? Are you currently taking any medication prescribed by a doctor? If so what kind and type? Have you discussed these occurrences with a therapist? (The priest may want to ask for permission from the individual to speak with the therapist).
5. Have you had any history with chemical addiction or abuse with drugs or alcohol?
6. Have you had any history with the use of pornography through the media, internet, magazines, television, etcetera? What kind of music do you listen to? Frequency?
7. What kind of movies and / or television programs do you watch? Frequency?
8. Have you had any experience or history of engaging in the occult: witchcraft, magic, magicians, fortune tellers, crystals, wizards, or game boards that are linked to the occult?

9. Have you had any relationships or contact with people who are associated with the occult or satanic practices?
10. Have you ever attended a satanic black mass or other satanic ritual? Have you ever tried to communicate with spirits, demons, or the devil itself?
11. To the best of your knowledge, has anyone ever placed a curse on you?
12. Do you have any aversion to sacred objects or rituals that have become part of your personal experience?
13. Has anything strange ever occurred in your life for which you have no logical explanation?
14. Have you read any books or done any research on the topic of exorcism?
15. Have you been “prayed over” or “exorcised” by an individual or group? Have you turned to someone else for help before seeking help from the Church?
16. How would you describe your own personal self-discipline? How do you deal with personal limits?
17. What avenues of healing have you already sought?
- Spiritual
 - Medical (including any therapy and medication)
 - Counseling
18. Has anyone involved in the occult ever given you anything that is still in your possession?
19. Do you truly want to be free of the evil influences you believe are presently affecting you? Will you do what must be done?