

Three join Marianist volunteer program

Noah Iturriaga, a native of San Antonio, and Travis Rindler have joined the Marianist Volunteer Program (MVP) in San Antonio. Another MVP volunteer, Robert Manuel, a native of San Antonio, is serving in St. Louis. All have signed one-year commitments.

Rindler will serve Baptist Child and Family Services (BCFS), a San Antonio-based human services organization with programs in Texas, Eastern Europe, Latin America



Rindler

and Southeast Asia. BCFS offers a wide range of services including education, child care, parenting programs, disaster relief, special needs-care for those with mental disabilities and counseling and psychological services.

Rindler was born and raised in Ohio. He graduated from Chaminade-Julienne High School in Dayton and the University of Dayton, where he earned a degree in sociology. While at the University of Dayton, he worked at the school's Center for Social Concern and volunteered at its Suicide Prevention Center.

Iturriaga will serve the After School Kare (ASK) program at

the San Antonio Urban Ministries. The ministries provide youth and mental health services to the San Antonio community.

The ASK program provides safe, affordable and enriching child care to more than 2,000 area children each year.

He was born in Texas and raised in both Texas and Maryland. He graduated from Clark High School in San Antonio and the University of Maryland, where he earned a bachelor's degree in studio art.



Iturriaga

Prior to joining the MVP, Iturriaga worked as a freelance graphic designer and assisted with page layout at the *Washington Spark*, an independent newspaper.

Manuel will serve North Grand Neighborhood Services in St. Louis, a nonprofit corporation dedicated to developing affordable housing, through both new construction and rehabbing existing homes, and providing community, after-school and enrichment programs for area residents.

He will work in construction and provide after-school care.

God's Handiwork



Manuel was born in Lafayette, La., and raised in San Antonio. He graduated from St. Mary's University, where he earned a degree in philosophy and minored in international relations.



Manuel

The MVP offers volunteers the opportunity to serve those in need, live in community and reflect on the volunteer experience. The MVP has placements in a variety of focus areas.

For more information about the MVP, visit www.marianist.com/mvp. For questions regarding the program, contact Dan Richter, Marianist Volunteer program coordinator, at (314) 533-1207 or drichter@sm-usa.org.