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Adult Religious Knowledge



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Faith and Fellowship for all Ages
January—May 2024

Wednesday “NITE” Life Program:

Classes will take place via Zoom or in person as indicated in the description.

During Great Lent: 9th Hour and Presanctified Liturgy in the Cathedral 5:00-6:30PM followed by a Lenten Speaker.

Click the link below for the **Where are They Now** course. For all other classes, a link will be sent once you have completed the on-line registration.

Choose from a Variety of Classes:

(Wednesdays) Where are They Now? (6:00–7:00PM): This course is designed follow the life of the twelve disciples and to learn what happened to them after their encounter with Christ. Click [HERE](#) to join the discussion.

Rev. Fr. Paul A. Kaplanis & Rev. Fr. Christos P. Mars

(Wednesdays) Road to Orthodoxy (7:00–8:00PM): This course is designed for those who are interested in embracing the Orthodox Faith as well as for those who would like to “brush up” on their rudimentary knowledge of the Orthodox faith. Click [HERE](#) to register.

Mr. Scott Davenport

(Tuesdays) Journey to Oneness Part I (6:15–7:15PM): This course is designed for all those who are coming to the Orthodox Church to be married or for those who wish to freshen up on what it means to be married. Its main focus is on the Sacrament of Marriage and the role that Christ plays in marriage. It is part one of a four-part course. (See back panel for dates) Click [HERE](#) to register.

Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA

(Tuesdays) Parents/Godparents Seminar (6:15-7:15PM): This course is designed for parents and Godparents who are anticipating having their children baptized in the Orthodox Church. Its main focus is the role that Godparents play in the life of the child and how they assist the parents in the spiritual upbringing of that child. This course is mandatory for those seeking to be a Godparent in the Orthodox Church. (See back panel for dates) Click [HERE](#) to register.
Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA

(Wednesdays) Saint Lazarus Bereavement Ministry (7:00-8:00PM): This ministry is set-up as an eight-session course (See back panel for dates) based upon the book *Memory Eternal: Living with Grief as Orthodox Christians* by Dr. Sarah Byrne-Martelli and published by Ancient Faith Publishing. Participants in this class are asked to purchase and read the book and will be working with a carefully designed bereavement curriculum designed by Dr. Byrne-Martelli.
Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA



Wednesday “NITE” Life Class Schedule:

Classes every Wednesday from January 10th to February 7th.

NO CLASS on February 14th (Valentine’s Day)

Classes every Wednesday from February 21st to March 13th

SPECIAL PRESENTATIONS by guest speakers between March 20 to April 24th (A separate list of guest speakers and their topics will be made available at the beginning of March.)

NO CLASS on May 1st (Holy Wednesday)

NO CLASS on May 8th (Bright Wednesday)

Classes every Wednesday from May 15th to May 22nd.

Journey to Oneness (Part 1 of 4)

Held on Tuesdays via Zoom

Class is designed for people getting married in the Orthodox Church.

January 9th

March 5th

May 15th

Facilitator: Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA

Godparents Seminar

Held on Tuesdays via Zoom

Class is designed for parents and Godparents.

February 6th

April 3rd

July 17th

Facilitator: Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA

Saint Lazarus Bereavement Ministry

Held on Wednesdays in person

- Session 1: January 10
- Session 2: January 17
- Session 3: January 31
- Session 4: February 7
- Session 5: February 14
- Session 6: February 21
- Session 7: February 28
- Session 8: March 6

Facilitator: Dr. Nickitas Demos, DMA