

Sheptytsky Institute Study Days

July 15 - 18, 2011

True/False? Right/Wrong?

*The Challenge of
Relativism Today*



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SIGN UP TODAY

A conference featuring:

- plenary speakers
- cantor training
- workshops
- liturgical services
- daily youth program
- meal plan at reasonable rates
- accommodation on campus
- opportunity to earn university credits
- community supper

STUDY DAYS SCHEDULE

Friday, July 15 - Monday, July 18

Study Days begin on Friday, July 15 with registration at 5:00 pm. The program starts at 7:00 pm. Study Days end on Monday, July 18 at 1:00 pm.

A detailed schedule will be available by May 16, 2011.

CANTOR TRAINING

Friday, July 15 (9:00 am - 4:00 pm) and
Monday, July 18 (2:00 pm - 4:00 pm)

Using *The Divine Liturgy: An Anthology for Worship*

Beginner session with Fr. Roman Galadza or advanced session with Presvitera Melita Mudri-Zubacz.

Fee \$50 (includes lunch on Friday, July 15)

DAILY YOUTH PROGRAM

For children aged 4-12.

Program is only for children accompanied by parent(s) or guardian(s) who are registered participants.

The youth program is run by **Justine Kruz**, a graduate of the Sheptytsky Institute. She has extensive experience working with children of all ages.

The youth program runs on Friday evening July 15 (7:00 pm to 9:30 pm), Saturday, July 16 (9:45 am to 1:00 pm and from 2:15 pm to 5:30 pm), Sunday, July 17 (10:30 am to 1:00 pm and from 2:15 pm to 5:30 pm) and Monday, July 18 (9:45 am to 1:00 pm).

ACCOMMODATIONS

We invite you to take advantage of the Saint Paul University Residence located on our campus. We have reserved a block of rooms (accommodating up to 4 persons per suite) at the affordable rate of \$89.95 plus taxes (13%) per night. Once these suites are filled, additional suites are available at \$119.95 per night.

You must make your own reservations for accommodations by June 14, 2011 to qualify for the group rate and to ensure availability. Please specify group reservation #021435.

Saint Paul University Residence
201 Main Street, Ottawa, ON K1S 5T8
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EARN UP TO SIX UNIVERSITY CREDITS

Combine Study Days with an additional two weeks of classes at the Institute from Tuesday, July 19 to Saturday, July 30. Choose to take one or both of these courses:

THO 2144 Selected Topics in Eastern Christian Spirituality I: *Logismoi* - The Eight Evil Thoughts (evenings)

Rev. Dr. Andriy Chirovsky

THO 3322 Byzantine Eucharistic Liturgies (mornings)

Dr. Brian Butcher

Note: Students taking credit courses must also participate in the Study Days Program.

Daily Matins, Divine Liturgy and Vespers in the Sheptytsky Institute Chapel are an important component of the credit program.

Credit Course Fee (including conference fee): \$586.66 per course

Bursaries for conference fees or course tuition are available to qualified Ontario residents.

To register for the credit courses contact the Sheptytsky Institute at 613-236-1393, ext. 2332

PLENARY SPEAKERS

Dr. Valerie Karras

Assistant Professor of Church History, Perkins School of Theology Southern Methodist University
TOPIC: Relativism and Culture: Connections and Difference



Dr. Adam DeVille

Graduate of MASI with a PhD in Theology in Eastern Christian Studies and Assistant Professor of Theology, University of Saint Francis



TOPIC: Sentimentality Leads to the Gas Chamber: Emotivistic Relativism and the Slaughter of Innocents

Dr. Peter Bouteneff

Assistant Professor of Dogmatic Theology, St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary
TOPIC: Relativism, Tolerance, and Heresy: Negotiating the Waters



WORKSHOP SPEAKERS AND TOPICS

Dr. Brian Butcher

"Public Work," Private Meaning? (Re)Interpreting the Divine Liturgy in a Post-Modern Age

Father Andriy Chirovsky

Concepts Plundered by Passions: Early Christian Teaching on the Struggle with Tempting Thoughts

Dr. Catherine Clifford

What Happened at Vatican II (1962-1965)? Why is it important for the Eastern Churches?

Father Lucien Coutu

The Jesus Prayer: Getting Centred and Gaining Peace

Father John Jillions

All in the Family: Other Churches and Other Faiths

Father Maxym Lysack

Orthodox Christian Responses to New Age "Spiritualities"

Father Andrew Onuferko

Jesus and Muhammad: "Peace and Blessing Be Upon Them"?

Father Michael Winn

Holiness Unites God's People: Christian Formation in the Age of Relativism

Workshop selections will be sent to you upon receipt of your conference registration form.

HOW TO REGISTER

For the conference and meal plan:

Fill in the attached form and return with payment to the Sheptytsky Institute.

Forms are also available at:

www.sheptytskyinstitute.ca

For credit courses: contact the Sheptytsky Institute

Deadline for all registrations is June 14, 2011

CONFERENCE FEES

Adult: \$190, late registration \$225, daily registration \$70

Family (parents/guardians and youth): \$350, late registration \$425

Students, Seniors: \$120, late registration \$150, daily registration \$40

Student Family: \$220, late registration \$290 (Student family consists of a least one parent as full-time student).

***cost of community supper Sunday evening included in the full conference fee**

Meal Plan: (3 breakfasts, 3 lunches, plus 1 supper)

\$70 per adult; \$45 per child under 12

Individual prices for the community supper: \$15 per adult; \$8 per child

Credit Course Fee: (includes conference fee) \$586.66 per course

Registration is not complete without full payment.

CONFERENCE REGISTRATION FORM

Family Adult Student Senior

Family Name _____

Address _____

City _____

Province/State _____ Postal/Zip Code _____

E-mail _____

Telephone _____

Who will attend?

Adults

Name _____

Name _____

Youth (please include ages)

Name _____

Name _____

Name _____

Students/Seniors (please circle)

Name _____

Total conference cost _____

Cantor Training (\$50.00) _____

Meal Plan # of adults _____ # of children _____

Community Supper

of adults _____ # of children _____

Total Meal Plan Cost _____

TOTAL SUBMITTED _____

HST included in all conference and meal fees (HST # 10816 1282 RT 0001)

No refund after July 1, 2011. Please make cheque or money order payable to "Sheptytsky Institute." Credit cards will be accepted. Advance payment is required. **Please return form and payment by June 14, 2011 to:**

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