

Assembly of the Diocese of New York and New Jersey
Most Reverend MICHAEL – Archbishop of New York – Orthodox Church in America
Holy Trinity Orthodox Church – East Meadow, New York
Thursday, October 31, 2024

9:00 AM **Celebration of the Divine Liturgy,
by His Eminence, Archbishop MICHAEL**

Following the Liturgy: Lunch for Delegates, Observers and Guests, in Holy Trinity Church Fellowship Hall

1:00 PM **2024 Diocesan Assembly Called to Order**

AGENDA

Opening Prayer and “Eternal Memory...” for Departed Clergy

Appointments of Assembly Officers

Appointment of one Clergy and one Lay Vice Chair
Appointment of Secretariat of one Clergy and two Lay
Appointment of Credentials Monitor
Appointment of Ballot Tabulators

Address of the Diocesan Hierarchy

Approval of the Minutes of the 2023 Diocesan Assembly

Report of the Credentials Monitor

Old Business

Report of the Treasurer – Jan VanDuyn
Report of the Diocesan Auditors – Archimandrite Joseph (Hoffman), Dn. David Maliniak, and Elizabeth Anghel
Presentation and Approval of 2024 Financials

Guest Presentation:

“Thinking Orthodox”: Presvytera Jeannie Constantinou, Ph.D.

Reports of Diocesan Officers, Departments and Institutions

Floor is open for questions regarding the following reports, which delegates are to read online in advance:

Report of the Chancellor – Mitred Archpriest Joseph Lickwar

Reports of the Deans

New Jersey – Archpriest Gary Breton
New York City – Archpriest Wiaczeslaw Krawczuk
New York State – Archpriest Alexey Karlgut

Reports from the Diocesan Missions and Mission Stations

Metropolitan Council Representatives – Archpriest David Garretson and Mitchell VanDuyn

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Reports of the Diocesan Departments and Institutions

Office of Communications – Archpriest Volodymyr Zablotskyy
Commission on Liturgical Music – Archpriest Stephen Evanina
Commission on Mission and Evangelism – Archpriest Eric George Tosi
Department of Youth Ministry – Archpriest Martin Kraus
Department of Christian Education – Matushka Tamara Cowan
Spanish Language Outreach – Catechist Jose Ioannis Sanchez
Diocesan Publication, *Jacob's Well* – Presbyter Matthew Brown
Saint Andrew's Camp – Daria York
Diocesan PSP Compliance Report – Presbyter Joel Brady
Parish Communication Liaisons – Trudy Ellmore

New Business

Adoption of the 2025 Budget – Diocesan Treasurer, Jan VanDuyn
Diocesan Charity Appeal for 2025
Other New Business
Appointments by the Archbishop
2025 Diocesan Assembly: Wednesday – Thursday, November 5-6, 2025; SS. Peter and Paul Church, Endicott, NY
Motion to Close

After Adjournment: Dinner for Assembly Attendees, in the Fellowship Hall of Holy Trinity Church