

Orthodox Church in America
On-line Course Instruction
Choral Conducting for Beginners

Name _____

Address _____

Email _____

Phone _____

Parish _____

Choral singer _____: Soprano _____ Alto _____ Tenor _____ Bass _____

Choir directing experience: None _____ Little _____ Currently directing _____

Sight-singing experience: None _____ Little _____ Formal training _____

List any academic classes in music: _____

Choral Conducting for Beginners is a conducting course for beginners or those who are currently conducting a choir but have not completed a formal conducting course. The class sessions are devoted to demonstrating basic conducting technique, beginning with elementary conducting patterns and concluding with an emphasis on conducting liturgical chant.

Each learner will be required to meet interactively with the instructor via **Skype** for a thirty-minute session each week. These sessions will provide an opportunity for each individual learner to demonstrate his/her comprehension of each session and the ability to perform the conducting exercises correctly. At these interactive meetings the learner will receive necessary feedback from the instructor together with helpful suggestions for improvement. Such one-on-one real time Skype sessions will also enable the instructor to provide extra help, if necessary, and answer specific questions.

Students registering for the class will need the following:

- 1) Up-to-date computer that will run Skype – <http://www.skype.com/intl/en-us/get-skype>
- 2) Web cam with microphone
- 3) Internet connection that is not dial-up

First session will be available on September 23, 2013.

Course Fee \$125. Payable to: Orthodox Church in America, DLM

Payment Method:

Check Enclosed, payable to "The Orthodox Church in America", with DLM on the notation line.

Credit Card: We Accept Mastercard, VISA, Discover and American Express

Card Number: _____

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Please e-mail completed registration form to: mringa@oca.org, or fax to [516-922-0954](tel:516-922-0954), attn Melanie Ringa

If you are paying by check, please mail registration form and check to:

The Orthodox Church in America
PO Box 675
Syosset, NY 11791
Attn: Melanie Ringa:

Upon receipt of completed registration form, applicant will receive *password and directions for accessing the course.*