

16th All-American Council Pre-Registration for Working Groups

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A major part of the 16th All-American Council will be dedicated to an in-depth discussion of the Strategic Plan which has been in development since the last AAC. There will be two sessions in which delegates and observers will divide into working groups based on the Strategic Plan. Participants will remain in the same working group for both sessions. As part of the pre-registration process of the 16th All-American Council, each delegate and observer is requested to indicate their first, second and third choices as to the working group they would like to participate in. The Preconciliar Commission will do its best to honor preferences and will inform each participant of which working group they were assigned prior to the AAC. Participants may be given additional study material prior to the Council. Please complete and mail this form with the registration material, including one form for each delegate or observer. For a more detailed description of each working group, see the Strategic Plan that is published on the OCA website.

Please choose only three of the following groups in order of preference (1, 2, or 3) in the space provided:

- _____ **Parish Development:** develop a Christ-centered, healthy growing parish
- _____ **Diocesan Relationships:** revitalize our diocesan-parish relationships
- _____ **Young Adults:** more fully involve our high school and college age members in the life of the Church
- _____ **Leadership & Management:** improve the leadership and management skills at all levels in the Church
- _____ **Theological Education:** establish a vision for theological education for the Orthodox Church in America
- _____ **Continuing Education:** provide for continuing education of clergy and laity
- _____ **Inter-Orthodox Relations:** nurture strong inter-Orthodox relations
- _____ **Funding:** transition to a sounder way of funding the Church
- _____ **Evangelization:** better equip our Church for the ministry of Evangelization
- _____ **Contemporary Issues:** address contemporary cultural/moral/social issues

Mailing Instructions:

This document (one per delegate/observer) must be mailed with the registration forms by **August 1, 2011** to:

Orthodox Church in America
 Preconciliar Commission
 PO Box 675
 Syosset, NY 11791-0675

Quick Survey

In the form above you have indicated your preference for the working group in which you would like to participate. This may or may not align with what you see as the most critical needs for the Church. Using the categories from above (for example: Parish Development) please indicate what you believe are the top three priorities for the Church to focus on. Please feel free to write in an area not on the above list if you feel it is a top priority.

1st Priority: _____

2nd Priority: _____

3rd Priority: _____