



The Orthodox Church in America The Diocese of Washington and New York

Workshop for Church Singers, Directors and Readers

Subject: "Conducting and Singing Chant: A Hands-On Workshop for Choir Directors"

Instructor: Mark Bailey

Date: Saturday, March 21, 2009

Place: St. Nicholas Church, 14-65 Clintonville Street, Whitestone, NY 11357
(Fr. Konstantin Gavrilkin, 718-767-7292, kgavrilkin@yahoo.com)

Time: 9:30 am – 3:00 pm (registration begins at 8 am)

Fee: \$20.00 (includes workshop materials and lunch)

Course Description: Conducting and singing music, such as the stichera at Vespers and the antiphons at Liturgy, which has no time signature, is one of the more difficult things a choir director needs to master. However, once the director knows some of the 'tricks of the trade' this kind of music becomes less of a challenge.

Throughout the workshop, Mark Bailey will teach, explain and demonstrate various essential techniques to understanding and singing un-metered music. With Mark's guidance, participants will also be given an individual hands-on opportunity to perfect their ability to conduct this style of music. *A working knowledge of basic conducting technique is preferred.*

In order to assure the viability of this workshop, pre-registration is essential. A registration form and map to the workshop location are below for your convenience. Check should be made payable to the *Diocese of Washington and New York* and mailed with your registration form to Bailey Workshop, c/o 38 Pearl Street, New Hyde Park, NY 11040.

Name:	
Contact Address	
Phone	
E-mail	
Parish / Jurisdiction	
Role (Director, Reader, and/or Voice Part)	

Note: Print Neatly! Please complete one form per person registering. Thank you.

Map and Directions to St. Nicholas church

By Public Transportation - Take the Number 7 Subway to Main St Flushing station, then the Q15 (Beechhurst) bus to Clintonville St/Cross Island Parkway stop.

From the Bronx - Take I-80 east to the Cross Bronx Expressway (95) north. Stay right on to Exit 6A (Bronx Whitestone Bridge). Cross Whitestone Bridge in the left lane and exit to the Cross Island Parkway south. Turn right on to exit 35 (14th Ave, Francis Lewis Blvd). DO NOT TURN at the traffic light. Stay straight on the service road, passing 2 traffic lights (149th and 150th streets). Turn left at the next traffic light onto Clintonville St. The Church is one block up, on the right.

From Long Island - Take the Long Island Expressway (LIE, Rt 495) or Grand Central Parkway west. Exit right to Cross Island Parkway and follow towards Throgs Neck Bridge north. After Throgs Neck Bridge exit, bear right onto exit 34 (Utopia Parkway). Turn left at end of exit, go one short block, and turn right onto Cross Island Parkway service road. Turn right at the traffic light after the shopping plaza onto Clintonville St.

From Manhattan or Brooklyn - Take the Brooklyn-Queens Expressway (278) to the Grand Central Parkway east to the Whitestone Expressway (678) north. Take the Whitestone Expressway north, exit left onto the Cross Island Parkway south, and turn right onto exit 35 (14th Ave, Francis Lewis Blvd). DO NOT TURN at the traffic light. Go straight on the service road past 2 traffic lights (149th and 150th Sts). Turn left at the next traffic light (Clintonville St). The Church is one block up, on the right.

