

Orthodox Church School Teachers

are invited to the training event

The Light of Christ Illuminath All: Reading The Old Testament in the Light of Christ

a weekend of fellowship and learning
sponsored by the
Antiochian Archdiocese
Department of Christian Education.



Invest in your ministry!



November 4-5, 2016
St. John Chrysostom Mission
Littleton, Colorado

Event Information

Join Dn. Elisha Long and Vasiliki Oldziej for their presentation on Christ in the Old Testament. Dn. Elisha will help you discover how Christ was proclaimed in the stories of the Old Testament. He will also introduce his curriculum "Promise and Preparation." Vasiliki will provide a teacher training workshop on Saturday morning.

*Course descriptions
are on the back of this brochure.*

PRE-REGISTRATION IS REQUESTED.

You may pre-register by mail, email, or phone. There is no attendance fee, however, a free-will offering may be collected. Lunch is provided.



*Fr. Seraphim Gisetti and the
parishioners of St. John Chrysostom
extend a cordial invitation to this event
for all involved in
Church School Ministry!*

Schedule

Friday, November 4

7:00 p.m. Keynote with Dn. Elisha Long

Saturday, November 5

8:30 a.m. Registration, pastry and coffee

9:30 a.m. Teacher Training - Vasiliki Oldziej

12:00 p.m. Break for lunch

1:00 p.m. *Promise and Preparation* -

Dn. Elisha Long

4:30 p.m. Closing

5:00 p.m. Vespers

Registration Form

Pre-registration is requested for planning purposes.
Lunch is provided. Please mail this form to the address
on this of the panel.

Name: _____

Email: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

Parish: _____

Mail Form To:

St. John Chrysostom Mission
5514 S. Ward Way
Littleton, CO 80127-9522

To register by email or phone,
contact Fr. Seraphim at:
Email: vrevsg@comcast.net
Call: 720-938-1302



Deacon Elisha Long was ordained to the Holy Diaconate by His Grace Bishop BASIL on the Sunday of the Veneration of the Cross during Great Lent, 2016. Dn. Elisha, Shamassy Selina

(Nina), and their two sons live in Webberville, TX, where they raise chickens, turkeys, pigs, sheep, bees and goats. Dn. Elisha has worked with teens for over 25 years. He currently teaches middle school at a private, classical school in Austin, TX. He also serves as the Church School Director for St. Elias Orthodox Church in Austin.

Teacher Training Presentation

Vasiliki Oldziewy, a certified OCEC trainer, and Christian Education Coordinator for the Diocese of Wichita and the West, will present a workshop for Church School teachers and assistants on teaching techniques for the Church School classroom, including lesson planning, classroom management, and educating ourselves in order to teach.



Christ In The Old Testament Presentation

During his Friday night Keynote, Dn. Elisha Long will examine several stories from the Old Testament to see how Christ is proclaimed in them, how the Church has understood them and what they teach us about living out our faith. During his afternoon session on Saturday, he will present the curriculum he wrote on the Old Testament entitled *Promise and Preparation*, which is a two-year Church School program.



Of all the holy works, the education of children is the most holy.

-Saint Theophan the Recluse

*Are you involved in the education of children?
Open this brochure for a special invitation!*