

It is with great heartfelt joy that we inform you that **Danilo Simich has completed the Hellenic College Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology Diaconate Program** and will be receiving his certificate of completion from Fr. Stephen at the end of Divine Liturgy this Sunday, Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>.

The Diaconate Program at Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology (HCHC) is open to all those who feel called to the diaconate office and have the Hierarch's blessing to be tested as a candidate as stated in the Holy Bible in 1 Timothy 3:10.

This certificate signifies he has completed this critical academic and formational step of being tested.

We would like to recognize Danilo for all the Liturgical Service support he offers our Priest, Fr. Stephen Karcher, and for all the ministry work he does outside of services as a humble servant to our community. May God guide his future service to the Church!

If you would like to learn more about the Program see the HCHC Diaconate Program website <u>https://www.hchc.edu/certificate-programs/diaconate-program/</u>

