

Orthodox Book Club Discussion Sheet

Since the purpose of the monthly book club is to gain a better understanding of the Orthodox faith, the following questions may assist in the generation quality discussions. You may choose to use this as guide.

Questions: As you read the book you may come across passages that will raise questions, concerns or need further clarification. Use the box below to identify the page and to write down the question.

Important Passages: List page numbers of important passages that drive home an important point. Try to come to an understanding as to why a particular passage stands out for you.

Connections: Are there any connections in the book that speak to our modern life? For example, passages may speak about current social issues or current events in society. Or they can speak to a specific situation one has encountered. For example, a passage may speak to married life or parenting.

Images: Many of us think fondly of books not necessarily because they are well written but because we remember certain images or scenes from the book. Have you come across any of them in the reading?

Terms: Are there any terms that think are important or are unaware of? Orthodoxy has been around for thousands of years, some phrases or terms may be hard to comprehend. Specifically, are there terms that deal with Orthodox spirituality in the reading that you would like to know more about?
