

A PARISH CATECHETICAL SERIES

Encountering Orthodoxy

The Living Tradition: An Introduction to Orthodox Christian Faith and Life



Meeting Thursday Evenings @ 7:00 PM • Small Hall, In-Person & on Zoom

Talks for inquirers & catechumens (high school age and up), and anyone with a desire to learn more about Orthodox Christianity.

FALL 2026 — FOUNDATIONS

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| Sept 24 | Introduction: "What is Truth?" — Religion, Revelation, Orthodoxy |
| Oct 1 | Creation, Fall, and the Promise of Redemption |
| Oct 8 | From Exodus to the Fullness of Time |
| Oct 15 | Christ: Incarnation, the Cross, and the Resurrection |
| Oct 22 | Encountering Christ |
| Oct 29 | The Church of the Apostles |
| Nov 5 | The Theological Debates |
| Nov 12 | Holy Tradition — Scripture and the Sources of the Orthodox Faith |
| Nov 19 | The Divine Liturgy: Heaven on Earth |
| Nov 26 | <i>Happy Thanksgiving!</i> — No Class |
| Dec 3 | The Mother of God and Honoring the Saints |
| Dec 10 | Parish & Personal Piety — Expectations for Catechumens: Attendance, Stewardship, Volunteering, Tithing |

WINTER 2027 — SACRAMENTS & PRACTICE

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| Jan 21 | Sacramental Theology I — Temple and Icons |
| Jan 28 | Sacramental Theology II — Baptism, Chrismation, Confession, Eucharist |
| Feb 4 | Western Theology and Patristic Theology |
| Feb 11 | The Worship Cycle of the Church |
| Feb 18 | Faith, Repentance & the Journey of Great Lent |
| Feb 25 | Kingdom of the Heart — Prayer, Fasting & the Ascetic Life |
| Mar 4 | The Church in the World — Nationalism, Globalism |
| Mar 11 | Death, Resurrection & the Kingdom to Come |

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All are welcome. Come and see. — John 1:46

