

# AGENDA FOR THE 46<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL ASSEMBLY OF THE DIOCESE OF EASTERN PENNSYLVANIA

FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup> AND SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>, 2009  
SAINT NICHOLAS ORTHODOX CHURCH    BETHLEHEM, PENNSYLVANIA

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## FRIDAY, DECEMBER 4<sup>TH</sup>

3:00-4:00 P.M.      CHECK-IN AT BEST WESTERN HOTEL  
REGISTRATION AT ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH HALL

4:00 P.M.            VESPERS AT ST. NICHOLAS CHURCH

### OPENING SESSION

5:00 P.M.            FORMAL OPENING OF ASSEMBLY  
*PRESENTATION OF AGENDA*  
*REPORT OF CREDENTIALS COMMITTEE*  
*ELECTION OF ASSEMBLY OFFICERS*  
*APPROVAL OF MINUTES OF 45<sup>TH</sup> DIOCESAN ASSEMBLY*

NOMINATIONS FOR DIOCESAN COUNCIL AND METROPOLITAN  
COUNCIL ELECTIONS

6:00 P.M.            DINNER IN CHURCH HALL

### SESSION I: THE YEAR IN REVIEW

7:00 P.M.            DISCUSSION OF REPORTS  
*DIOCESAN BISHOP*  
*DIOCESAN CHANCELLOR*

7:45 P.M.            PRESENTATION BY ARCHPRIEST JONATHAN IVANOFF  
*"DO YOU WANT TO BE MADE WELL?": HOW TO RELEASE  
THE GOD-GIVEN POTENTIAL THAT EXISTS IN EVERY  
PARISH*

## SATURDAY, DECEMBER 5<sup>TH</sup>

8:00 A.M.            READING OF THE HOURS

8:30 A.M.            DIVINE LITURGY

10:00 A.M.          BRUNCH

### SESSION II: OUR PRESENT REALITY

10:30 A.M.          DISCUSSION OF REPORTS  
*DIOCESAN TREASURER*  
*AUDITORS*  
*DIOCESAN COUNCIL SECRETARY*  
*DIOCESAN DEANERIES*  
*METROPOLITAN COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVES*

SESSION III: LOOKING AHEAD

12:00 P.M. ELECTIONS OF DIOCESAN & METROPOLITAN COUNCIL MEMBERS

MISSIONS AND OUTREACH  
*HOLY APOSTLES MISSION*  
*AGIA SOPHIA: AN ORTHODOX COFFEEHOUSE*

EDUCATION  
*OFFICE OF CHURCH SCHOOL PROGRAMS & CURRICULUM*  
*OFFICE OF YOUNG ADULT ACTIVITIES*

2:00 P.M. PROPOSAL OF BUDGET FOR 2010

OLD BUSINESS

NEW BUSINESS  
UPCOMING DIOCESAN EVENTS  
ADOPTION OF DIOCESAN ACTION STATEMENT

3:00 P.M. CLOSING PRAYER AND DEPARTURE