

# The 70th Annual Ukrainian Orthodox League Convention

Hosted by:

St. Michael Ukrainian Orthodox Church

Woonsocket, RI

July 26th–30th, 2017

“Declare among the nations, His works”—Psalm 104:1



Honored Hierarchs, Reverend Clergy, Brothers and Sisters in Christ,

*Christ is Risen! Indeed He is Risen!*

St. Michael Ukrainian Orthodox Church in Woonsocket, RI is looking forward to hosting the 70<sup>th</sup> Annual Convention of the Ukrainian Orthodox League. Our theme, “Declare among the nations, His works” (Psalm 104:1) is a call to be a witness to the beauty and wisdom present in all of God’s creation. It is a call to “Be bold!” and to share His Word with everyone we meet, from the farthest reaches of the world, to the “biggest little state in the union.”

Speaking of being bold, we hope that you have been reading the UOL Bulletin articles about “Little Rhody” and all the fun events we have planned for the 2017 Convention; a Newport mansion tour; a clambake by the bay in Jamestown; a pirate themed theatre show with Northern RI’s famous “family-style chicken,” among other activities. We hope to bring you the full “Ocean State” experience in between our business meetings!

As the article in the recent UOL Bulletin mentioned, this is an “all-inclusive” Convention. The rate has gone up a little bit from last year, but all of your meals and busing to events will be covered in the cost of the registration. We hope that you will appreciate not having to leave the hotel in a rush to find food between sessions, and enjoy spending more time with your family and UOL friends!

In this packet you will find the following:

- Convention Registration form (with list of individual ticket prices)
- Sponsor-a-Seminarian information
- Yearbook ad sponsorship information

Just one more note. This year’s service project will be dedicated to providing backpacks filled with school supplies to underprivileged students in the Woonsocket school system. Your chapter can assist with this project by taking a collection or holding a small fundraiser. Once collected, checks can be made out to: St. Michael UOC, and sent to:

Back Packs  
c/o St. Michael UOC  
74 Harris Avenue  
Woonsocket, RI 02895

We hope you will find this year’s business meetings fruitful, the liturgical services renewing, and our planned events entertaining. Our guest speaker will be Dr. Gayle Woloschak who no doubt will have some very important information to share about Orthodoxy and the world we live in!

See you all in Rhode Island!

Yours in Christ,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Erika Ida Namaka".

Erika Ida Namaka  
Chapter President, St. Michael UOC