



You're Married — — — Now What?

So you got married—How's it going?

Is it the fairytale you imagined or a lot of hard work?

Did you ever think of throwing in the towel or even looking elsewhere for “happiness”?

Do you wish you could get rid of your kids for a week or two (or three)?

Fact is, most people *get* married with no idea of how to *be* married.

Whether you are preparing to get married, newly married or a long time married, come have dinner and dialogue about marriage and all it entails with His Grace Bishop JOHN. Your spouse and your family deserve it, but most of all you deserve it and will benefit from it.

**Saturday, October 14 following Great Vespers which will begin at 5:00pm.
The dinner and discussion will go from about 6:00pm-8:30pm.**

Bishop JOHN of the Diocese of Worcester and New England was married to his late Khourieh Joanne and is a father of three children. He holds a Doctor of Ministry degree in Pastoral Care from Pittsburgh Theological School and is a member of the American Association of Pastoral Counselors. He was a parish priest for 33 years before being elected bishop in 2012. He has extensive experience in marital counseling.

The cost of the mini-retreat is \$10.00 a person (\$20.00 a couple) and includes your choice of one item from Bedouin Tent per person. Please return the attached form with your registration information, choice of meal and a check (or cash) and give it to Khourieh Claudia during coffee hour after liturgy or mail it in by Sunday, October 8, 2017. P.S. Singles are welcome too!!!!!!!

Name(s): _____

Email: _____

Phone Number: _____

Parish: _____

Choice of Meal from Bedouin Tent. Please circle your choice, one item per person. (if you want more than one thing, just add another \$10.00, depending on the item).

Falafel Sandwich

Chicken Sandwich

Meat Sandwich (Merguez)

Lamb Sandwich

Chicken Pizza

Zaatar Bread

Garlic Bread

Lahamajin

Lentil Soup

Harira Soup

Garden Salad

If you have any questions, please contact Fr. Thomas or Khourieh Claudia at 917.771.4120 or 917.407.6886 or by email at abounathomas@me.com.

Please mail this form with the registration fee to:

St. Nicholas Orthodox Cathedral
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Brooklyn, NY 11209

or return it to Khourieh Claudia in person.