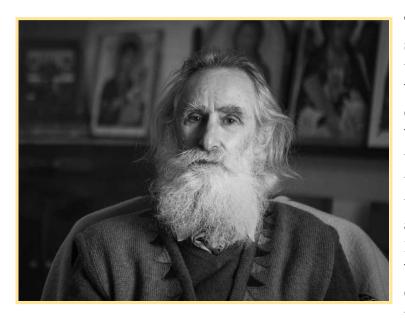
School of Iconography and Iconology Prosopon

Iconology. Sacraments (tainstva) and Sacred Actions (tainodeistvia) of the Church



Iconology course with Vladislav Andrejev



The Prosopon School is offering a series of lectures by the founder of the school, master icon painter Vladislav Andrejev. This series will continue the course in iconology. Vladislav will offer meditations on the meaning of the feasts, rooted in the tradition of the Church, and the traditional sacraments (tainstva) and sacred actions (tainodeystvia). In the context of iconology, Vladislav proposes to consider a connection of each liturgical feast to the general life of the Church

and the specific sacraments and liturgical sacred actions. Iconological reflection during the lectures will be, as before, visually supported by corresponding icons and original diagrams. Although iconology study is primarily curated for students of iconography, it may also be of interest to those who have never held a brush but are inclined to meditate on an idea of the image within spiritual and religious context. The unique approach of Vladislav Andrejev's teaching aims to explore the inner connections between daily life and our most deeply rooted Christian beliefs. Lectures are available to students of the Prosopon School of all levels, as well as to those who are interested in the interpenetration of art and religion.

Course Description

The course consists of nine online lectures. Each lecture will last approximately two hours and will focus on one of the topics listed below. There will be 30 minutes of questions and answers at the end of the lectures. Lectures are scheduled for the following Mondays from 12.00 to 14.30 eastern time zone (USA, New York):

March 6 - Introduction.

Liturgy of the Way: awakening-movement-action-secret action - sacrament - ecstasis of communion (ecstasy, exit from "oneself", or from the "somatics of consciousness"). Illustration and ontological connection of the Sacraments with the Lord's Feast Days (sacred actions *tainodeystvia* of Christ and the Holy Spirit). Feast Day iconography.

March 13 - 1. Sacrament of Baptism

Denial of Satan (the mystical sacrament of "circumcision"); Feasts of the Annunciation, Christmas (mystery of the element "earth and water")

March 20 - 2. The Sacrament of Confirmation

The Feast of the Epiphany (the secret of the elements of "air" and "fire")

March 27 - 3. The sacrament of the Eucharist

The Feast of the Transfiguration (the mystery of the element of "light")

April 3 - 4. The Sacrament of Repentance (metanoia)

The Feast of the Entry into Jerusalem, the Week of the Adoration of the Cross: the Cross-ark of the Shekinah, the Crucifixion (the secret of the sacred "will")

April 10 - 5. Sacrament of the Priesthood

The Feast of the Resurrection (the secret of the sacred "wisdom")

April 17 - 6. Sacrament of Marriage

The Feast of the Ascension (the secret of the sacred "love")

April 24 - 7. Sacrament of Unction, anointment

Healing "(bio"-religious-spiritual) - the Feast of Pentecost (the iconological Triad of the life-giving Grace of Light, Seed, Fire)

May 1 - 8. Sacrament of the future age: Hypostatic Deification:

Logos Emmanuel - Son of Man;

Logos Jesus Christ - the Son of God;

Logos of Hosts - Lord of Powers: "Ancient of Days";

Iconological and theological dimension: the essential Image and Likeness;

Deity-Life (statis-dynamis-energy) of the Trinitarian God.

Registration

To register, please contact Dmitry Andreyev @ <u>prosoponweb@gmail.com</u>. Include your preferred email address. This address will be used to send the invitation to Zoom meetings. Make sure to save the invitation, as it will give you access to each of the nine lectures in the course.

The cost of the course (9 lectures and access to recordings of all the lectures and complementary material used in the lectures with no time limit) is:

\$300

Payment can be made by writing a check out to

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Payments can also be made within the US through Venmo: @Melanie-Andrejev (Please simply put "thank you" as a comment in the reason section and do not mark it as a business transaction to avoid extra fees taken by Venmo.)

Outside the US please use PayPal: andrejevmelanie@gmail.com. Please check the fees PayPal collects for international transactions and adjust the amount accordingly. Please send an email to Melanie Andrejev (andrejevmelanie@gmail.com) notifying her that you are submitting an electronic payment.

We are looking forward to seeing our regular returning students as well as new participants at these meetings.

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