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To the Venerable Clergy, Parish Councils, and Faithful of the Eastern Eparchy, UOCC

Glory to Jesus Christ!

With this letter we inform you that with the blessing of His Eminence, Metropolitan Yurij, and His Grace, Bishop Andriy, this year's Eastern Eparchy Conference (EEC) will be held on Friday, the 10th and Saturday, the 11th of November. The EEC will be preceded by the Clergy Conference on Thursday, the 9th of November.

The conference will be held at the Ukrainian Orthodox Sobor of St. Demetrius the Great-martyr, 3338 Lake Shore Blvd. West, in Etobicoke. The proposed agenda for the conference is attached.

Registration will be \$50 for delegates and guests, \$100 for members of the clergy, and the registration cost includes all meals. Every parish is responsible for covering the registration and travel expenses of their delegates and clergy. There will be no travel equalization.

All parishes are kindly asked to make sure that their parish levies for the 2016/17 fiscal year are paid up in advance of the conference, and to pay their 2017/2018 levy either in full, or by post-dated cheques, at the conference itself. PLEASE NOTE THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH OUR EPARCHIAL POLICY DELEGATES OF PARISHES WHOSE 2016/17 LEVIES ARE NOT PAID IN FULL MAY NOT SPEAK OR VOTE AT THE EEC. Cheques for overdue levies, current levies, registration expenses and gifts of love for the eparchy should be submitted to the financial secretary of the eparchy upon registration if they have not been submitted in advance with the parish questionnaire.

Enclosed please find the agenda of the conference, the minutes of the 65th Conference, "Guiding Principles" for the conference, and the annual parish questionnaire. We kindly request that the questionnaire be filled out and returned to the eparchial office no later than November 6th.

You will note that due to the 75th anniversary celebration of the Ukrainian World Congress, which takes place on Saturday the 11th, our conference will end after lunch on Saturday.

We sincerely ask that you inform your membership about our upcoming 66th Eparchial Conference and encourage them to attend. We thank you in advance for your support and cooperation.

In Christ the Lord,

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