

Mission Statement

Our goal at St. Xenia Orthodox Camp is to provide a fun and spiritual retreat from the daily pressures of contemporary society for our campers by offering them a one-week experience in the secure atmosphere of an Orthodox village. Our counselors and staff are carefully selected to receive the rewarding opportunity of serving as role models and spiritual mentors while dedicating their week to the supervision and sustenance of an enjoyable and spiritually driven camp environment.

As an Orthodox community, St. Xenia Orthodox Camp will provide a full week of fellowship, prayer, and instruction in Holy Tradition that each camper can carry with them throughout their lives.

Camp Activities

- **Calisthenics**
- **Morning Prayers**
- **Arts and crafts**
- **Swimming**
- **Canoeing**
- **Hiking (with extensive hiking in the scenic White Mountains for the Older Group)**
- **Soccer**
- **Group Field Games**
- **Daily Chapel Services**
- **Inspirational talks and discussions**
- **Campfires**
- **Talent Night**
- **Festivities on the Green**
- **And much more!**

Camp Location & Description

The thirteenth annual St. Xenia Orthodox Church Camp will be held once again at Camp Forest Acres -- a beautiful summer campsite that has been in use since the 1920's. It is situated in picturesque Fryeburg, Maine bordering the scenic White Mountains of western Maine and New Hampshire.

The campsite includes accommodations for up to 100 campers comfortably. Cabins are fitted with bathrooms and electricity. The camp also has a spacious indoor gymnasium, a theater building, and extensive facilities for crafts. Outdoor facilities include an Olympic size pool, tennis courts, a huge activity field, the neighboring Saco River for canoeing, campfire areas, and much more.

Overall, the camp offers a diverse array of enjoyable options for indoor and outdoor activities in an attractive setting.

Forest Acres is approximately three hours driving distance from Greater Boston, a ride that is scenic and easy following the directions included in the registration material.

Campers:

St. Xenia's camp welcomes boys and girls, ages 8-16, who are looking for a fun-filled, wholesome, and memorable week in an Orthodox camp setting. Registration forms will be available on-line.

Camp Tuition

\$350.00 for the first camper
\$325.00 for the second camper per family
\$300.00 for the third camper per family
\$275.00 for the fourth or more

An "Orthodox Village" Environment

The staff and volunteers of St. Xenia Orthodox Church Camp work hard to develop and maintain a wholesome environment that fosters fellowship amongst campers, who develop friendships that carry well beyond the camp experience. The presence of visiting clergy, the active leadership of the Camp Chaplain, as well as staff and volunteers that are driven by a common mission and spirit, help to nurture an environment that is likened to an "Orthodox village"—a true home away from home!

Counselors Needed

Men and women who are interested in assisting, supporting, and mentoring our youth are encouraged to apply, reaping great rewards in knowing that young lives are positively impacted. Young men and women ages 19 and older are needed as Senior Counselors, while those 17-18 are encouraged to apply for the position of Junior Counselor. Junior Counselors will be working closely with Senior Counselors and campers, building important leadership skills.

Certified Lifeguards and Nurses Needed

Please submit credentials to
Kostas Kontogiannis

**Have questions?
Need more information?**

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St. Xenia Orthodox Church Camp



Summer Camp 2013

August 18th – 24th

St. Xenia Orthodox Church Camp
Under the auspices
of the Eparchial Synod
of the G.O.C. of America
With the blessing of
His Grace, Demetrios
Bishop of Boston and New England

**On-line registration material will
be available at the camp website
soon...**

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