

2014 Convention Schedule

Thursday, July 17

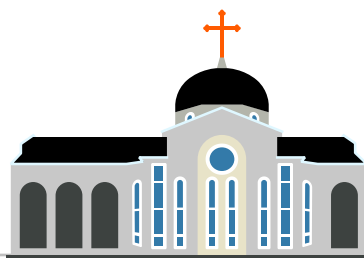
Popadia's Conference

3:30–4:30 p.m.	Wine & cheese reception and registration for Popadias
4:30 p.m.	Vespers
5:15 p.m.	Dinner with Metropolitan Joseph for Priests, Deacons and their wives
6:20 p.m.	Reading of Patriarchal Address to Popadias & Diaconissas
6:30–7:00 p.m.	Opening Address to Popadias & Diaconissas by Metropolitan Joseph

Friday, July 18

Popadia's Conference

8:00 a.m.	Matins
9:00 a.m.	Hierarchal Divine Liturgy
10:30 a.m.	Brunch (\$12)
11:30 a.m.– 2:30 p.m.	Conference Sessions
2:30–4:30 p.m.	“Tea with Dedo Vladika” and Group Photo
4:30–5:00 p.m.	Akathist Hymn



Friday, July 18

General Convention

12:00–6:00 p.m.	Registration for the Convention
6:00–7:00 p.m.	Dinner (\$15)
7:00–9:00 p.m.	Mixed Council Meeting
7:00–9:00 p.m.	Sisterhood Meeting
7:00–9:00 p.m.	Financial/Trustees Meeting
7:00–9:00 p.m.	Presidents & Vice Presidents Meeting
9:00–10:00 p.m.	Combined Meeting
10:00–11:00 p.m.	Diocesan Clergy Meeting

Saturday, July 19

General Convention

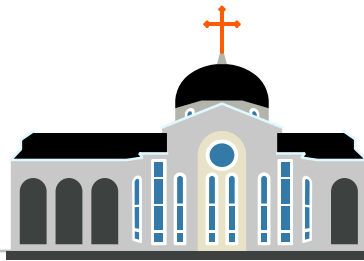
7:30–8:30 a.m.	Breakfast (\$10)
8:30–9:00 a.m.	Te Deum Moleben
9:00–1:30 p.m.	Convention Meeting
1:30–5:00 p.m.	Lunch (\$15) and Free Time
5:00 p.m.	Vespers
6:00 p.m.	Dinner Dance (\$50 adults, \$30 youth)

Sunday, July 20

General Convention

8:00 a.m.	Matins/Confessions
9:30 a.m.	Hierarchal Divine Liturgy
11:30 a.m.	Convention Photos
12:00 p.m.	Farewell Brunch (a la carte menu available)

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Saint Sophia—Des Plaines, IL
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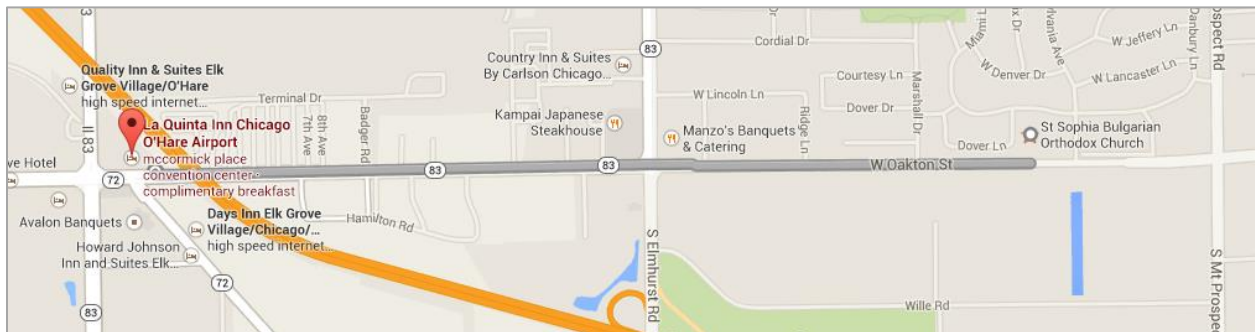
Hotel Information



La Quinta Inn Chicago O'Hare Airport
1900 E Oakton St
Elk Grove Village, IL 60007
Free shuttle to/from O'Hare

Dates of stay: July 17, 18, 19, 2014
Group rate: **\$79+tax** until July 1st.
After July 1st: **\$99+tax**.

Call (630) 440-4681
Ask for Hamida (Manager)



The hotel is a 3-min drive from St. Sophia (located at 404 W Oakton St, Des Plaines, IL 60018)