



69th National ACRY Metropolitan Orestes Memorial Bowling Tournament Weekend Fri, May 26th – Mon, May 29th, 2017

Hosted by SS. Peter & Paul ACRY Chapter #43 Rockaway

Dear Diocesan Faithful and Friends:

The members of Rockaway Senior ACRY Chapter#43, Junior ACRY CAL #43 along with the parishioners of SS. Peter & Paul Parish are looking forward to being your hosts for the 69th National ACRY Metropolitan Orestes Memorial Bowling Tournament!

First, we would like thank all of you that participated in the Giveaway! It was a success!

We invite everyone to join in the weekend – ACRY members, diocesan family, family and friends – to participate in all of our activities: worship, bowling, and fellowship! You do not have to be an ACRY member to participate. The weekend allows us the opportunity to gather together with fellow Orthodox Christians and friends in hopes of rekindling old friendships and making new ones. It is our hope that we will be able to create many new bonds that will last a long time.

Accommodations

Our headquarters will be the **Hilton Garden Inn Rockaway**. The hotel is only about 5 -10 minutes from bowling and the church. It is right off of Route 80 for easy travel to all events. Being located in the Rockaway Townsquare Mall parking lot means there are many stores, restaurants, and even a movie theater in close proximity.

Hilton Garden Inn Rockaway

375 Mount Hope Avenue
Rockaway, NJ 07866
Phone 973-328-2505 or 1-800-HILTONS
Group Code: **ACRY**

Room rates have been set at **\$119 per night plus tax** for rooms with 1 King Bed or 2 Queen Beds. A limited number of King Suites are available at \$159 per night plus tax. The hotel expects to be hosting weddings this weekend, so please make your reservations sooner than later. After **May 5**, the room block will be released. The room rate is available for Thursday, May 25th for anyone that would like to arrive early.

You can make your reservations in one of 2 ways:

- call the hotel for reservations at 973-328-2505 or 1-800-HILTONS
- use this link to make an on-line reservation:

Your HiltonLink is:

<http://hiltongardeninn.hilton.com/en/gi/groups/personalized/E/EWRROGI-ACRY-20170526/index.jhtml>

riday Night Family Night at SS. Peter & Paul Church 66 Beach Street Rockaway, NJ 07866

After checking in at the hotel, we welcome everyone to stop by our church for food, fellowship, and prayer! Your tickets etc. will be available at the church, so please stop by and register and let us know you are there.

Saturday Morning Breakfast - on your own

Bowling - Bowling events will take place at **Rockaway Lanes** on both Saturday and Sunday.

Saturday's morning bowling events include: Senior Men's Team (4 man roster), Senior Women's Team (4 woman roster), and Junior Mixed Doubles (1 boy 1 girl roster) and Bumpers.

Saturday's afternoon bowling events include: Senior Men's Doubles (2 man roster), Senior Women's Doubles (2 woman roster), Senior Mixed Doubles (1 man 1 woman roster), Junior Boys Doubles (2 boy roster), and Junior Girls Doubles (2 girl roster)

Sunday's events include: Senior Men's Singles, Senior Women's Singles, Junior Boys Singles, Junior Girls Singles and Bumpers

Seniors are individuals 18 years of age or older. Juniors are between the ages of 8 and 18. Bumper bowling is free and open to anyone under the age of 8. **Each senior and junior event is \$14.00 per bowler and includes 3 games and shoe rental.** If you would like to bowl but don't have enough people to form a team or doubles combo, we can help pair you up with other guests.

All bowling entries are available on our National Senior ACRY web-site www.sracry.org and must be mailed with payment no later than **May 5th** to:

69th National ACRY Bowling Tournament Entries
c/o Barbara Fitzgerald, 57 Grandview Drive Woodland Park, NJ 07424

Remember that you do not have to be an ACRY member to participate in any of these bowling events. Trophies will be awarded on the night of each event at the dinner. Also to note, we have sanctioned this tournament so that if a sanctioned bowler has that awesome game or series, it can be reported to the bowling congress.

Saturday Dinner - A Backyard BBQ including a pig roast & fried chicken will be held in our church hall.

Divine Liturgy / Sunday Breakfast - The Divine Liturgy will be held in our church and followed by a delicious breakfast buffet in our hall.

Grand Banquet Sunday Evening - The Grand Banquet & Awards Dinner will be held at the Hilton Garden Inn.

Commemorative Booklet

We encourage everyone to participate in our Commemorative Booklet. Whether or not you can attend the weekend, the booklet provides an opportunity to extend good wishes to those in attendance and promote upcoming events. It will be printed and distributed to bowlers and guests when they arrive. The deadline to submit ads with payment for print is **April 26th, 2017** to:

69th National ACRY Bowling Tournament Booklet
c/o Lauren Brajer 75 Mt. Carmel Way Apt. 2R Ocean Grove, NJ 07756
laurenbrajer@gmail.com

More information will be out with meal plans, golf, etc. shortly. In the meantime updates will be done via e-mail, the National Senior ACRY web site www.sracry.org, the National ACRY Facebook page and SS. Peter & Paul's website www.sppacrod.org.

If you have any other questions, feel free to contact Barbara Fitzgerald 973-742-9275 sheffieldfitz@optonline.net. Looking forward to seeing you over Memorial Day Weekend!

Yours in Orthodoxy,

Barbara Fitzgerald, chairperson & The members of SS. Peter & Paul ACRY #43