



# Southern California Deanery St. Nicholas Camping Program Winter Camp

(For Campers in Grades 7 - 12) #

February 15 - 18, 2019

**REGISTRATION:** Please go to [www.campstnicholas.com](http://www.campstnicholas.com) to register for Winter Camp. **After registering, return the second page of this document. If payment was not made during online registration, please include the full payment or a \$50 non-refundable deposit, and any transportation costs, made payable to St. Nicholas Camping Program. Please send a completed form for EACH CAMPER.** The camper fee is \$195/camper for the entire weekend if registered by January 15. Any registrations after January 15 will cost \$220. Please make all payments in U.S. Funds only. Balance of payment is due before or upon arrival. All balances will be billed to the camper's parents, regardless of any parish subsidies. Campers are registered in the order in which completed registrations are received either by online or mail in registration. Winter Camp is currently limited to 100 campers. A limited amount of scholarship funds are available for Winter Camp and may be requested by completing the Winter Camp Assistance Request Form, noting the specific circumstances of need.

**REGISTRATION EXPIRATION:** If a payment is not received within 7 days following registration, the registration will expire and a camper will need to register again if space is still available.

**CANCELLATION:** We appreciate prompt notification if a camper must cancel. Refunds of deposits and other payments may be requested in writing and will only be granted if it is requested no later than the previous Friday before the event, except in cases of emergency.

**BUS TO CAMP:** The St. Nicholas Camping Program will be offering optional bus transportation from and to the Los Angeles and Orange County areas for a fee. The Los Angeles bus will depart from the Home Depot parking lot (1200 S. Flower St., Burbank) at 3pm. The Orange County Bus will depart St. Luke Orthodox Church in Garden Grove at 2pm. Buses will return on Monday, Feb. 20 at 12pm and 1pm, respectively.

**CHECK-IN / OUT:** Check in at camp will begin at **5pm on Friday, Feb. 15** and all campers must arrive by **7pm**. Arrival after 7pm must be approved before hand by the Camp Director, Katrina Bitar: [director@campstnicholas.com](mailto:director@campstnicholas.com). Check-Out will take place between **10am - 11am on Monday, Feb. 18**.

**COUNSELORS:** Winter Camp Counselors must apply using the Winter Camp Counselor Application Form.

**CHAPERONES:** Winter Camp Chaperones must fill out and submit our chaperone registration form.

**INSURANCE:** All campers should be covered by their family policy. Any costs incurred by the Camp in providing required medical treatment such as hospital and/or doctor's appointments, prescriptions, etc., will be billed to the parents.

**MEDICATIONS:** Any prescription medication brought must be in its original labeled prescription container. All medications will be collected and dispensed by a nurse.

**WHAT TO BRING:** *Please bring either a sleeping bag or sheets & blanket along with a pillow, and towels.* These items will not be provided. Please remember to pack toiletries & personal items, warm casual clothes for the weekend, and a nice outfit for Divine Liturgy on Sunday morning. There is always a chance of rain and snow at camp, so remember to bring a warm winter jacket, gloves, winter hat, scarves, and winter boots. Be sure to check the weather report!

**DO NOT BRING:** Please do not bring alcohol, narcotics, weapons, iPods, CD/MP3 players, electronic games. We will provide all the elements that you will need to have a safe, fun, and spiritual weekend.

**UPON REGISTERING:** After submitting your paperwork and payments you may log into your online camp account at [www.campstnicholas.com](http://www.campstnicholas.com) to confirm that your payment was received. Any additional information will be sent out by email.

