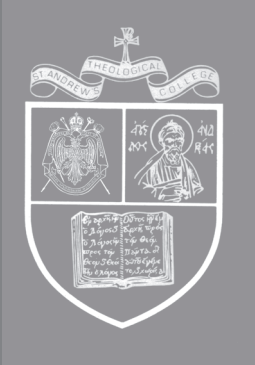




St Andrew's
Greek Orthodox
Theological College
Sydney



OVERVIEW

St Andrew's Theological College was officially opened on 23 February 1986. It was established in order to provide tertiary level education and training of Christian Orthodox clergy, theologians, lay teachers and ministers in order to meet the catechetical and pastoral needs of the Orthodox Church in Australia.

Membership of the Sydney College of Divinity (www.scd.edu.au), an Australian University College accredited by TEQSA, guarantees for St Andrew's a high standard of scholarly excellence and civil accreditation by the Australian Government.

OUR MISSION

Through faithful adherence to the Orthodox Christian Tradition, the College strives to serve the Church and the broader community through theological education in the following ways:

- On-campus and online programs for candidates to the priesthood, scholars, teachers and lay people
- Promotion of in-depth theological research and reflection, including publication of the academic journal, *Phronema*
- Lectures, research seminars, workshops, conferences and retreats
- Scholarly and popular publications through St Andrew's Orthodox Press and other online resources.



COURSES OF STUDY

St Andrew's delivers a variety of accredited courses at both undergraduate and postgraduate level.

- **Bachelor of Theology** (4 years)
- **Diploma of Christian Studies** (1 year)
- **Diploma of Liturgical Music** (3-4 years)
- **Graduate Diploma of Theological Studies** (1 year)
- **Master of Theological Studies** (2-3 years)
- **Master of Divinity** (4 years)
- **Modern Greek Classes** (in Sydney)
- **Clinical Pastoral Education** (in Sydney)
- **Cross-Institutional and Audit Study Options**

Classes are offered in person on campus (day & evening) and streamed via Zoom video conferencing.



LIBRARY

The College library contains over 17,500 monographs, a growing collection of ebooks and online databases, and 200 periodicals, available in English and Greek.

It specialises in (Greek) Patristic texts, Eastern Orthodox doctrine and spirituality, and Byzantine music resources. The catalogue may be accessed online via the College website.

ENQUIRIES ARE WELCOME

St Andrew's welcomes applications for admission to its courses from qualified students who wish to prepare themselves for priesthood or other forms of ministry in the Orthodox Church, such as teaching, chaplaincy, social welfare.

Persons wishing to pursue theological education for the sake of personal enrichment, or in order to discern a vocation, are also welcome.

If you are finishing Year 12 or a tertiary course of study in the near future, or looking for a new and meaningful

path, why not consider applying for theological studies at St Andrew's. Current university students may also enquire about cross-institutional enrolment.

CAMPUS VISITS & OPEN DAY

Come along and visit the Theological College; attend our annual Open Day Information Session via Zoom by joining our mailing list or following our Facebook and Instagram pages.

JOIN OUR MAILING LIST



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There is no greater joy—indeed there is nothing more awe-inspiring and blessed in this life—than seeking an encounter with our risen Lord Jesus Christ, which is the ultimate end of all theological education; then actively striving to follow Him in our life, and making Him present to those around us. We invite you to ‘come and see’ and consider studying theology.

*His Eminence Archbishop MAKARIOS of Australia
College President and Dean*



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