

Adult Education Class

Syllabus Week #1

Chapter 1 The Life of the World

Text: For the Life of the World, Alexander Schmemmann \$15.00 from the bookstore.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Readings</u>
Nov 9	Chapter 1
Nov 30	Chapter 2
Dec 7	Chapter 3
Dec 14	Chapters 4-5
Dec 21	Chapter 6-7
Jan 4	Appendices

Questions to consider for week #1

Section 1

1. What is the difference between what is called "spiritually" and what man is called to, as Adam was, when God placed him in the Garden?

Section 2

2. How is man to be different than all the other creatures who partake of what God has given?
3. What is it for Adam to name the creatures God places before him?
4. What is it for man to be Priest? (I don't mean a Priest)

Section 3

4. How would the Orthodox articulate the Fall of Adam?

Section 4

5. What does it mean when we say Christianity is the end of religion?

Section 5

6. Contrast the Western and Eastern view of Sacraments.