

# Being A Christian In A World Gone Mad

An Autumn Retreat  
November 5 & 6

St. Michael Orthodox Church  
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ABBESS AEMILIANE

*"A time is coming when men will go mad, and when they see someone who is not mad, they will attack him, saying, 'You are mad; you are not like us.'" St. Anthony the Great*

## **FRIDAY, November 5**

5 PM Vespers

5:30 PM Light Supper

6:30 PM Session 1

## **SATURDAY, November 6**

9 AM Matins / Coffee

10 AM Session 2 / Break

11:15 AM Session 3 & Closing

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## ***Our Retreat Leader Abbess Aemiliane***

Abbess Aemiliane, of the Sacred Monastery of St. Nina, in Union Bridge, MD, is a native Kansan. She did her doctorate at Harvard Graduate School of Education. She first encountered Orthodoxy and monasticism in the person of her Spiritual Father, Elder Dionysios, when he was invited to America by Archbishop +Iakovos and sent by his Elder, Archimandrite Aemilianos of blessed memory, in 1982. The day after her graduation from Harvard she left for Greece to be baptized and became a nun. She was the first of the original Sisters of the Monastery of the Exaltation of the Holy Cross in Thebes, Greece, with its founding Abbess, Eldress Diodora. In 2012, the Catholicos-Patriarch of all Georgia, ILYA II, invited the Sisterhood and established the Sacred Monastery of Saint Nina in the North American Diocese of the Georgian Apostolic Orthodox Church (Bishop Saba), with Nun Aemiliane as Abbess.

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