

**PROGRAM**  
**XI WORLD RUSSIAN ORTHODOX YOUTH CONFERENCE**  
**San Francisco, June 25—July 3, 2004**

**FRIDAY, JUNE 25:**

- 3:00 PM - Check-in at the Miyako Inn
- 6:00 PM - Registration in the Holy Virgin Cathedral hall
- 7:00 PM - Light reception (get acquainted) at the Cathedral hall

**SATURDAY, JUNE 26:**

- 7:30 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn
- 8:00 AM Divine Liturgy
- 9:30 AM Late registration and breakfast
- 10:30 AM Molieben
- 11:00 AM Conference opening. Archbishop Kyrill - opening remarks.  
Welcome by the Chairman of the Conference Organizing Committee.
- 11:30 PM Lecture 1: "Who was St. John?" - Vladimir Krassovsky (San Francisco).
- 1:00 PM Lunch
- 2:00 PM Lecture 2: "Life's Choices: There is a Right and a Wrong" -  
Archpriest Gabriel Makarov (St. Nicholas Cathedral, Brisbane, Australia)
- 4:00 PM Free time & preparation for Vigil
- 5:30 PM Molieben to St. John before his relics
- 6:00 PM Vigil with antiphonal singing: women's and men's kliros  
- George Skok & Elena Perekrestov
- 9:00 PM Dinner
- 10:00 PM Return to Miyako Inn

**SUNDAY, JUNE 27:**

- 8:15 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn
- 9:00 AM Divine Liturgy
- 12:00 noon Brunch
- 1:00 PM Outing (sports/games/socializing) to Golden Gate Park
- 6:30 PM Seafood dinner on the Bay at the famous Pier 39
- 8:00 PM Free evening
- 10:00 PM Return to Miyako Inn - buses from Pier 39 to Miyako & Cathedral

**MONDAY, JUNE 28:**

- 7:30 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn
- 8:00 AM Divine Liturgy
- 9:30 AM Breakfast
- 10:15 AM Lecture 3: "Truth is Beauty - Beauty is Truth" - Elena Perekrestov (San  
Francisco).
- 12:00 PM Lunch

1:00 PM Panel/round table discussions  
3:00 PM Free time/choir rehearsal for singers  
6:00 PM Dinner  
7:00 PM Lecture 4: “Drugs, Promiscuity and Our Choices” -  
Priest John McCuen (Holy Archangels Church, Phoenix, Arizona).  
9:30 PM Return to Miyako Inn

TUESDAY, JUNE 29:

7:30 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn  
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy  
9:30 AM Breakfast  
10:15 AM Lecture 5: “Time to Come Out of the Underground - Being Orthodox in  
Russia Today” - Archpriest Maxim Kozlov (Saint Tatiana Chapel,  
Moscow State University, Russia)  
12:00 PM Lunch  
1:00 PM Panel/round table discussions  
3:00 PM Free time/choir rehearsal for singers  
6:00 PM Dinner  
7:00 PM Rehearsal: Youth Conference Choir together with Cathedral choir  
8:00 PM Beach bonfire  
10:30 PM Return to Miyako Inn

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 30:

7:15 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn  
7:30 AM Breakfast  
8:00 AM Day trip to Northern California  
10:00 AM Armstrong Woods (California Redwoods)  
12:00 PM Fort Ross - outdoor lunch  
1:00 PM Lecture 6: “The Historical Legacy of the Western American Diocese” -  
Archpriest Yaroslav Belikow (Holy Virgin Cathedral, San Francisco)  
2:00 PM Procession to cemetery & Memorial Service; tour of Ft. Ross & free time.  
4:00 PM Departure for Santa Rosa  
5:30 PM Vespers at St. Peter & Paul Church in Santa Rosa  
6:30 PM Dinner at St. Peter & Paul parish hall  
8:30 PM Return to San Francisco (Cathedral & Miyako)

THURSDAY, JULY 1:

7:30 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn to St. Tikhon's church  
7:45 AM Divine Liturgy (St. Tikhon's church) & brief tour of St. John's cell  
9:45 AM Breakfast  
10:30 AM Lecture 7: “Confessing Christ in Our Lives” - Nun Amvrosia (Jerusalem)  
12:00 PM Lunch  
1:00 PM Panel/round table discussions/workshops  
3:00 PM Free time/choir rehearsal for singers  
6:00 PM Dinner

7:00 PM Talent night  
10:00 PM Return to Miyako Inn

FRIDAY, JULY 2:

7:30 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn  
8:00 AM Divine Liturgy  
9:30 AM Breakfast  
10:15 AM Lecture 8: "How We Can and Should Serve the Church" -  
George Skok (Toronto, Canada).  
12:00 PM Lunch  
1:00 PM Concluding Panel Discussion  
2:30 PM Free time  
3:30 PM Talk before Confession - Archpriest Gabriel Makarov; Rule before  
Communion (with Akathist before the Kursk-Root Miracle-Working Icon)  
& Confession.  
5:00 PM Dinner  
6:00 PM All-Night Vigil - Feast of St. John, Wonderworker of Shanghai  
& San Francisco  
10:00 PM Return to Miyako Inn

SATURDAY, JULY 3:

8:15 AM Departure of bus from Miyako Inn  
9:00 AM Greeting of His Eminence Metropolitan Laurus. Divine Liturgy.  
10-th Anniversary of St. John's Glorification; Procession & Molieben  
1:30 PM Feastday Banquet; closing of the XI World Russian Orthodox  
Youth Conference.