



NATIVITY OF OUR LORD JESUS CHRIST MONASTERY †

## The 9th Annual Feast Day Celebration for the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ Monastery

It is our pleasure to invite you to celebrate the ninth annual feast day celebration of the Nativity of Our Lord Jesus Christ Monastery on Saturday, December 29, 2018. We will celebrate the Divine Liturgy with visiting clergy and the faithful.

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### Schedule of Events (all times are approximate):

**9:30 AM - Reading of the Hours and Prayers before Communion**

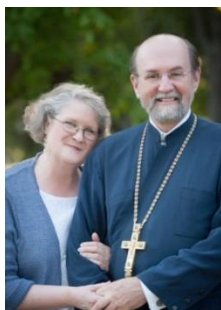
**10:00 AM - Divine Liturgy and procession to the cemetery**

**12:00 PM - Reception / Luncheon at the St. Seraphim Retreat Center**

Keynote speaker: Father Chad Hatfield – I Am the Bread of Life; Reflections on John, Chapter 6

**Seating is limited. Please RSVP no later than December 22nd.** You may **RSVP** by calling the monastery at **903-498-4474** or by sending an email to [nativitymonastery@gmail.com](mailto:nativitymonastery@gmail.com). When you **RSVP, please let us know how many children (under 12 years old) will be attending with you** as we prepare special gifts for children.

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Fr. Chad Hatfield is the President of St. Vladimir's Seminary where he has served since 2007. In addition to his administration duties, he teaches both pastoral and missiological courses at the seminary. He is editor of the new SVS Press publication, *Patriarch Kirill- In His Own Words*. His wife, Matushka Thekla, is the Coordinator for the St. Juliana Society at St. Vladimir's Seminary and is an iconographer and graphic designer. They are the parents of Jason, who is married to Kasey, and who are the parents of Ryan, Morgan, and Braeden Richard. They live in Austin, Texas where Jason is a physician. Sean is the youngest Hatfield son, married to Maggie, and the couple lives in Wichita, Kansas, where Sean practices law.