

Fr Philip's Top 10 Lenten Books

You all know that I am a big reader. There are many books that are available in the library for reading during Great Lent. It was suggested that I narrow down the list to my own personal top 10. The following list is the top 10 list that I can think of at this moment. The books are in no particular order. The list might change from year to year!

- 1) **The Way of the Ascetics** – Tito Colliander
- 2) **God's Path to Sanity** – Dee Pennock
- 3) **The Mountain of Silence** – Kyriakos Markides
- 4) **The Singing Heart** – Ivan Ilyin
- 5) **The Lenten Spring** – Fr Thomas Hopko
- 6) **The Diary of a Russian Priest** – Fr. Alexander Elchaninov
- 7) **Everyday Saints** – Archimandrite Tikhon
- 8) **Christ the Conqueror of Hell** – Metropolitan Hilarion Alfeyev
- 9) **Wounded by Love** – St Porphyrios
- 10) **Beginning to Pray** – Metropolitan Anthony Bloom

Website Resources

- 1) St John Orthodox Church – stjohnmemphis.org
- 2) Antiochian Archdiocese Website – Antiochian.org
 - a. Particular Lent Page: <http://www.antiochian.org/lent>
- 3) Ancient Faith Ministries – ancientfaith.com – podcasts, blogs and books
 - i. For podcasts: <http://www.ancientfaith.com/podcasts#af-browse>
 - ii. For blogs: <http://blogs.ancientfaith.com/>
 - iii. For books: <http://store.ancientfaith.com/>
 1. Audio Psalter now available
- 4) Particular Blogs:
 - a. Glory to God for All Things – Fr. Stephen Freeman - <https://blogs.ancientfaith.com/glory2godforallthings/>
 - b. Time Eternal – Dr. Nicole Roccas – Our Women's Retreat Speaker - <http://blogs.ancientfaith.com/timeeternal/>
- 5) Daily Readings App – Greek Orthodox Archdiocese