

BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Full name: Rev. Fr. Deacon Thomas Chaput

Place of Birth: Fr. Deacon Thomas was born and grew up in Winnipeg Manitoba.

Occupation: He currently is an Educator in the Winnipeg School Division and has been teaching for 20 years. He presently teaches Visual Arts in at a K-8 school.

Marital status: married

Name of spouse: Dobrodiyka Nadia Krawchenko - Chaput, the daughter of The Right Rev Protopresbyter Dr. Oleg and Dobrodiyka Maria Krawchenko.

Children: Deacon Tom and Dobrodiyka Nadia have twin daughters Oksana and Tamara, both attending the University of Ottawa.

Education: Father Deacon holds degrees in Fines Arts Studio and Fine Arts Art History, a Bachelor of Education in Senior Years Education, and two Masters Degrees in Education, one in Educational Administration and Governance and the other Sociology of Education. He is currently completing his Master of Education in Curriculum in Arts Education (University of Manitoba), and his Master of Divinity at the University of Toronto.

Ordained: He was ordained to the Diaconate in 2008 by then +Metropolitan John, and began serving at St. Micheal's. He then served at St. Mary the Protectress (Sobor) and finally, finding a home at the Ukrainian Orthodox Church of All Saints.