



Deacons Promotion Guidelines

1. Requirements for new ordination in the rank of Chanter (Psaltis):
 - Follow the diocese requirements
 - 8 years or older
 - Deacon's new ordination request form signed by hymns class teacher and Church's Priest

2. Requirements for elevation to the rank of Reader (Anagnostees):
 - Follow the diocese requirements
 - 14 years or older
 - Demonstrate at least three hymns of the following:
 1. Verses of Cymbals (Annual)
 2. The hymn of the censor (Tai Shooree)
 3. Praxis Response (Annual Sundays)
 4. Gospel Response of the Liturgy (Annual)

3. Requirements for elevation to the rank of Subdeacon (Epideacon):
 - Follow the diocese requirements
 - Demonstrate at least three hymns of the following:
 1. Greek hymn for Nativity (Ee Parthenos)
 2. The hymn of Hosanna (Evlo gimenos)
 3. Ke ee per too (Adribi tune)
 4. Feast of Resurrection (Khristos anestee)