

# ANNOUNCEMENT

**PRINCIPALS MEETING**  
**Tuesday, February 15, 2011**  
**Archdiocesan Headquarters, NYC**

The Office of Education of the Direct Archdiocesan District has invited the principals of the NYC Greek American parochial day schools to a meeting that will be held on **Tuesday, February 15**, at the Archdiocesan headquarters (8 East 79 Street) in Manhattan.

Following the meeting, **His Eminence Archbishop Demetrios of America** will host a luncheon for the principals.

Mrs. Maria Makedon, director of the Office of Education will give a report on the federal funds, which were allocated to the NYC Greek-American parochial day schools for the school year 2010-2011 by the NYC Department of Education/Bureau of Nonpublic Schools Reimbursable Programs. Mrs. Makedon will report on how this money was spent in terms of professional development for teachers and purchase of books and tech equipment for students. Other issues of mutual concern will also be addressed and discussed.

In response to the desire expressed by the principals, **His Grace Bishop Andonios of Phasiane**, *Chancellor* of the Archdiocese, will join the meeting, at some point, to hear and discuss with them certain issues.

The principals will also have the opportunity to meet Prof. Roger Rooney, who will be conducting a **2-day ELA workshop** on **February 28 and March 1, 2011**, for the teachers of the NYC parochial day schools. Prof. Rooney specializes in the area of teaching literacy and literature in the content areas for middle and high school students. He presently teaches at the College of Saint Rose, Albany. The cost of the workshops is paid by NY State funds.