

**PRINCIPALS MEETING**  
**MARCH 17, 2011**  
**ST. DEMETRIOS HIGH SCHOOL, ASTORIA**

The *Direct Archdiocesan District Office of Education* held a meeting of the New York City parochial day school principals on Thursday, March 17, 2011, at St. Demetrios High School, Astoria.

The Office invited **Mr. Michael Stoff**, a Senior Instructional Program Specialist at the Bureau of Nonpublic School Reimbursable Services of The New York City Department of Education, to discuss with the principals the importance of completing the Title I Funds Form, which is required for generating the funds for the 2011-2012 school year.

Also, invited at the meeting was **Ms. Shelley Ennett** of CATAPULT LEARNING, a company specializing in offering professional development to teachers. Ms. Ennett and the principals made plans for the 2012 Annual Staff Development Seminar for the teachers of the Direct Archdiocesan District.

**Mr. Marc Spyliopoulos**, principal of the *DGK Parochial School of Holy Cross Church*, Brooklyn also gave a brief report on the meeting he attended on March 8, 2011 regarding Special Education.

Furthermore, **Mrs. Maria Makedon**, Archdiocesan District Director of Education, reported on the meeting of the *New York City Standing Committee of Religious Schools*, on March 2, 2011, which she attended.

The principals also set up the dates for the **Academic Intervention Workshops** in **Math** and **ELA** that will take place in May 18 & 19, 2011. They also discussed their participation in the Hellenic Times Scholarship Fund Gala Dinner and Workshops, which will be held on May 14, 2011.

The principals who attended the meeting of March 17, 2011 were as follows:

Mr. Anastasios Koularmanis, St. Demetrios School, Astoria  
Mrs. Athena Kromidas, W. Spyropoulos School, Flushing  
Mr. Marc Spyliopoulos, DGK School, Brooklyn  
Dr. George Melikokis, Jamaica Day School  
Mrs. Anne Prokop, Greek American Institute, Bronx  
Dr. Alice Farkouh, A. Fantis Parochial School, Brooklyn  
Mrs. Sonia Celestin, Cathedral School, NYC  
Mrs. Maria Lopez, School of the Transfiguration, Corona  
Mrs. Evgenia Nearchos, E. & S. Valiotis School of Holy Cross, Whitestone