

## **Philip Mamalakis**

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### **Education**

- Ph.D. Purdue University, West Lafayette, Indiana. December 2000  
Major: Child Development and Family Studies. Specialization: Marriage and Family Therapy.  
Dissertation: The Underlying Ethical Issues of Nonsexual Dual Relationships: A Modified Delphi Study
- M.Div. Holy Cross School of Theology, Brookline, Massachusetts. 1996
- B.S. University of Wisconsin-Madison. 1990.

### **ADDITIONAL TRAINING**

40 Hour Basic Mediation Training. Montana Mediators. January 2001.

20 Hour Divorce Mediation Training. Montana Mediators. February, 2002.

### **Academic Appointments**

*Assistant Professor of Pastoral Care*, Holy Cross School of Theology. January 2004-present.

#### Courses Taught

Theology of Pastoral Care I  
Theology of Pastoral Care II  
Grief, Death, and Dying  
Marriage and Family  
Advanced Pastoral Care for Couples  
Mental Health Issues in the Parish  
Pastoral Counseling  
Pastoral Leadership  
Forgiveness and Reconciliation  
Discipleship

*Adjunct Faculty*. University of Montana. Missoula, Montana. Fall 2000  
Co-taught clinical practicum and supervised students' clinical work.

*Adjunct Faculty*. Christian Theological Seminary. Indianapolis, Indiana. Fall, 1999  
*P- 635, Professional and Ethical Issues of Pastoral Care and Counseling*

### **CLINICAL ACTIVITY**

Therapist. (Licensed Marriage and Family Therapist) Private Practice, Newton, MA January 2004-pres.

Parenting Services Coordinator. Families First Montana, Missoula Montana. 10/2000- 6/2003

Responsible for coordinating parent education services for divorced, separated, and never-married parents. Services include monthly classes, phone consultations, personal consultations, and joint co-parenting consultations with divorced parents. Responsibilities include coordinating outcome evaluations, writing monthly and quarterly articles for local publication, writing quarterly and annual reports, appearing on local television station to discuss parenting issues, coordinating services with local legal and mental health professionals, and supervising assistant.

Clinical Supervisor University of Montana, Practicum Class. Missoula, Montana. Fall 2000.

Supervised clinical work of students in practicum class.

Therapist. (Licensed Clinical Professional Counselor MT # 998) Private Practice, Missoula,

Montana. October 2000 – June 2003.

## **PROFESSIONAL PUBLICATIONS**

Mamalakis, P. (2007) *WWJD: Making use of a couple's faith in couples counseling*. In K. Helmeke and K. Sori (Eds). 100 strategies for working with Christian couples.

Mamalakis, P. (2004) *The Spiritual Life and how to be Married in It*. In, Raising Lazarus: Integral Healing in Orthodox Christianity, Stephen Muse, Ed. Holy Cross Orthodox Press, Brookline MA

Joanides, C., Mayhew, M. & Mamalakis, P. (2002). *Investigating inter-Christian and intercultural couples associated with the Greek Orthodox Archdiocese of America: A qualitative research project*. American Journal of Family Therapy. 30, 373-383.

Hill, M.R. & Mamalakis, P.M., equal authors. (2001). *Family therapists and congregational settings: Negotiating dual relationships*. Family Relations.

Mamalakis, P.M., & Hill, M. R., equal authors. (2001). *Negotiating dual relationships: A response to Butler and Gardner*. Family Relations.

Mamalakis, P. (2001). *Expanding the picture: Forgiveness therapy with pre-marital infidelity- A case study*. Journal of Family Psychotherapy.

## **ADDITIONAL PUBLICATIONS**

Mamalakis, P. *Fathering Today*. (November 2000- May 2003 ) Monthly column for *Rocky Mountain Child*, a local parenting news magazine.

## **PROFESSIONAL PAPERS/ PRESENTATIONS**

Mamalakis, P. (July, 2006) *The Sacrament of Marriage in the Orthodox Tradition: Transformation in daily Life*. Pappas Patristic Institute, Clergy-Laity Presentation, Nashville, TN.

Mamalakis, P. (June, 2006) *Towards a Theology of Marital Therapy*. Annual Conference, Orthodox

- Theological Society of America. Brookline, MA.
- Mamalakis, P. (October 2005) *Orthodox Pastoral Perspectives on Domestic Violence*. International Conference on Violence and Christian Spirituality. Brookline, MA.
- Mamalakis, P. (June 2005) *Practical Parenting Strategies for Parishes and Families*. 2005 Summer Institute of Theological Education. Clergy Track. Holy Cross Seminary, Brookline, MA.
- Mamalakis, P. (May, 2005) *Counseling for Forgiveness, Healing, and Reconciliation*. Workshop presentation. Conference on World Missions and Evangelism. Athens, Greece.
- Mamalakis, P. (March, 2004) *Orthodox Anthropology*. Presentation to the Massachusetts Council of Churches, Board of Directors Meeting, Framingham, MA.
- Mamalakis, P. (December 2003) *Understanding the Role of Fathers in Child Development*. Training Session for the Missoula County Head Start Staff. Missoula, Montana.
- Mamalakis, P. (May, 2003). *Helping Distressed Children Cope*. Presentation at the 2003 Annual Child Abuse and Neglect Prevention Conference, Billings Montana.
- Mamalakis, P. (April, 2003) *Helping Parents Work Together after Divorce*. Presentation, The Many Faces of Divorce, Montana University and Families First Conference. Billings, Montana.
- Mamalakis, P. (October, 2002). *Orthodox Asceticism and Contemporary Marriage Therapy*. Response to Keynote Presentation for Annual OCAMPR conference. Brookline, Massachusetts.
- Sommers-Flanagan, J., & Mamalakis, P. (May, 2002). *Understanding the Role of Fathers*. Invited conference facilitator, panelist, and panel facilitator for Montana Conference on Fatherhood. Helena, Montana.
- Mamalakis, P. (March 2002). *Working with High Conflict Couples*. Workshop presentation for Montana Counseling Association. Missoula, Montana.
- Mamalakis, P., & Maier, K. (April, 2001). *Mediating the Effects of Divorce on Children Through Parent Education*. Workshop Presentation. University of Montana School of Social Work Conference, Missoula, Montana.
- Mamalakis, P. & Bailey, C.E. (April, 2000). *Dads Make a Difference: Working with Noncustodial Fathers*. Workshop Presentation. Wisconsin Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Waukesha, Wisconsin.
- Bailey, C.E. & Mamalakis, P. (October, 1999). *Dads Make a Difference: Strategies to Recruit and Work With Non-Custodial Fathers*. Workshop Presentation. American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Chicago, Illinois.
- Hill, M.R., & Mamalakis, P. (September, 1999). *The Soul of Counseling: Negotiating Non Sexual*

*Dual Relationships in Congregational Settings*. Poster Presentation, American Association of Christian Counselors, Annual Conference, Nashville, TN.

Elicker, J., Innes, F., Fortner-Woods, C., & Mamalakis, P. (April, 1999). *Toddler Competence as Predicted by Infant Attachment Security with Parents and Child Care Providers*. Poster Presentation, Society for Research in Child Development, Biannual Meeting, Albuquerque, New Mexico.

Hill, M.R. & Mamalakis, P., equal authors (January 1999). *The Dual Relationship Dilemma in Family Therapy-Church Community Partnerships*. Scholarly Paper Presentation, Indiana Council on Family Relations, Annual Conference, Muncie, Indiana

Mamalakis, P. & Hill, M., equal authors (November, 1998). *Family Therapists and Congregational Settings: Negotiating Dual Relationships*. Symposium Presentation, National Council on Family Relations, Annual Conference, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mamalakis, P., & Bailey, E. (March, 1998). *Working with Court-Ordered, Non-Custodial Fathers*. Indiana Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Carmel, Indiana.

Sprenkle, D., & Mamalakis, P. (January, 1998). *The Business of the Business and the Business of the Family*. Indiana Horticulture Association, Annual Conference, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Rose, B., Smith, S., & Mamalakis, P. (November, 1997). *Teaching in a Religiously Diverse Setting*. Round Table Presentation, National Council on Family Relations, Annual Conference, Washington, DC.

Morgan, M., Mamalakis, P., Nelson, T., Sori, K., & Bourdeau, B. (September, 1997). *History of MFT in Two Dimensions*. Poster Presentation, American Association of Marriage and Family therapy, Annual Conference, Atlanta, Georgia.

Morgan, M., Mamalakis, P., Nelson, T., & Sori, K. (March, 1997). *History of MFT in Two Dimensions*. Poster Presentation, Indiana Association of Marriage and Family Therapy, Annual Conference, Indianapolis, Indiana.

## **COMMUNITY PRESENTATIONS (sample)**

### **2007**

Mamalakis, P. (May) Parenting in Faith: Elements of Orthodox Parenting. Three-part seminar. St. George Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Manchester, NH.

Mamalakis, P. (March) Parenting and the Orthodox Church. All-day seminar. Annunciation Greek Orthodox Cathedral, Houston, TX.

Mamalakis, P. & Petrides, Fr. T. (February) *Conflict Resolution in Parish Ministry*. Pittsburgh Metropolis Clergy Retreat. Ligonier, PA.

Mamalakis, P. (February) *Family and the Practice of Faith*. All-day Retreat. Sts. Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church, Brooklyn, NY

## 2006

Mamalakis, P. & Petrides, Fr. T. (November) Peace in Conflict. Metropolis of San Francisco, Clergy Retreat. St. Nicholas Ranch. Dunlap, CA.

Mamalakis, P. (October) *Strengthening Your Marriage*. All-day couples retreat. Greek Orthodox Church of Our Savior, Rye NY.

Mamalakis, P. (October) The Therapist and the Spiritual Father. SYNERGY Fall Symposium, Chicago, Illinois.

Mamalakis, P. (September) Successful Parenting Strategies from Toddlers to Teens. Ascension Greek Orthodox Church. Fairview, NJ.

Mamalakis, P. (March) *Marriage and Family*. Boston Metropolis Clergy Retreat. Cathedral Center. Brookline, MA.

## 2005

Mamalakis, P. (June) *Parenting in Faith: Real Strategies for Real Parenting Challenges*. Summer Institute of Theological Education, Brookline, Massachusetts.

Mamalakis, P. (June) *Living in the Light of the Resurrection*. Keynote address, Family Seminar, Taxiarchae Greek Orthodox Church, Watertown, Massachusetts.

Mamalakis, P. (April) *Taking Time for the Journey of Marriage*. (Two-day seminar) St. John the Baptist Greek Orthodox Church, Beaverton, Oregon.

Mamalakis, P. (April) *Return to Cana: Taking Time to Strengthen*, (All-day seminar), Church of Our Savior, Rye, NY.

Mamalakis, P. (April) *The Beatitudes in Daily Life*. (Evening presentation) Holy Cross Greek Orthodox Church, East Stroudsburg, PA.

Mamalakis, P. (March) *Laying the Right Foundation: Getting started as married couple*. (All-day pre-marital seminar) Footlamps Program. St. George Cathedral, Worcester, MA.

Mamalakis, P. (February) *Strengthening Your Marriage*. (All-day seminar) Assumption Greek Orthodox Church. Town and Country, MO.

Mamalakis, P. (January) *Restoring Relationships*. (Evening Presentation) Holy Apostles Greek Orthodox Mission, Seattle, Washington.

## 2004

Mamalakis, P. (November, 2004). *Making it Work: Taking Time Out to Strengthen your Marriage*,

(Evening presentation) St. John Damascus Church, Dedham, MA.

Mamalakis, P., Bistolarides, P., Chatzis, O., & Araj, S. (November, 2004) *Laying the Right Foundation: Getting Started as a Married Couple*, (All day premarital seminar) St. John of Damascus church, Dedham, MA.

### **2001-2003**

Over the two years, the following presentations were presented:

*Positive Discipline*  
*Helping Children Cope with Divorce*  
*Setting Limits Before you get Angry*  
*Communicating Effectively with your Children*  
*Balancing Work and Family*  
*Handling Bullies with your Child*  
*Talking and Listening: Family Communication*  
*Children and Self-Esteem*  
*Stepparenting*  
*Singleparenting*

### **2000**

*Juggling School, Work, and Family: Strategies for Success*. Presentation for the University of Montana, School of Technology.

*Managing Changing Family Schedules – How to Cope*. Presentation for the Salish - Kootenai Head Start program

*Family Therapy and Theory*. Presentation for the Child Protective Services workers, Missoula Montana.

### **1999**

Mamalakis, P. (October, 1999). *Building Strong Marriages*. Presentation for Interfaith Fall Lecture Series. St. John the Baptist Greek Orthodox Church, Des Plaines, Illinois.

Mamalakis, P. (September, 1999). *They Only Listen When I Yell and Other Myths of Parenting*. Presentation for the Fall Parent's Corner series. Greek Orthodox Church, Chicago Diocese.

Mamalakis, P. (March 1999). *Helping Couples Recover from Infidelity*. Presentation for Covenant Presbyterian Lay Counselors Training Series, West Lafayette, Indiana.

Mamalakis, P. (March 1999). *The Church and the Family in 1999*. Presentation for Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church, Indianapolis, Indiana.

### **1998**

Mamalakis, P. (December 1998). *Working with Non-Custodial Fathers*. Presentation for Lafayette Wildcat Kiwanis. Lafayette, Indiana.

Mamalakis, P. (October, 1998). *We Make a Difference*. Presentation for Indianapolis Singles. Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mamalakis, P. (March 1998). *Working With Non-Custodial Fathers*. Presentation for Volunteers in Probation of Tippecanoe County. Lafayette, Indiana.

Mamalakis, P. (May, 1998). *Working With Non-Custodial Parents*. Presentation for Lafayette Singles. Lafayette, Indiana.

### **1997**

Mamalakis, P. (November, 1997). *Depression and the Church: An Integration*. Central Indiana Council of Orthodox Christian Churches, Keynote, Fall Seminar, Indianapolis, Indiana.

Mamalakis, P. (March, 1997). *Entrepreneurs and Their Families*. Presentation for the Tippecanoe County Chamber of Commerce, Entrepreneurship Academy, Lafayette, Indiana.

### **Professional Service**

Chairman, BTI Field Education Directors. 2007-pres.

Chairman, OCAMPR 2004 National Conference, "Christ in the Healing Community." Holy Cross, Brookline, Massachusetts.

Member

Greek Orthodox Archdiocesan Roundtable on Orthodox Family.

2002-present

### **Professional Membership**

American Association of Marriage and Family Therapy

Orthodox Theological Society of America

Association of Theological Field Education

Society of Pastoral Theology