

## Rochester Parish Choir Director Awarded Doctor Degree

Subdeacon Adam Foley, choir director of the Holy Ascension Church in Rochester, NY—which was established under the aegis



of the American Exarchate of the Holy Synod after its members, former congregants of the Russian Orthodox Church Outside Russia, demurred at the union of that body with the Moscow Patriarchate in 2007—was awarded a doctoral degree in music education from the Eastman School of Music at the University of Rochester this last May. With particular pride and satisfaction, we congratulate him and his wife, Naomi, both active and much-appreciated members of

the Rochester parish. (*See Dr. Foley, his wife Naomi, and his children in the photograph above.*) The Holy Ascension parish community is served by Father Nicholas Chernjavsky and the physician-Deacon, Father Peter Bushunow.