

**UOC-MP's Svyatohirsk Lavra sheltered militants and arms, says MajGen!
Hordiychuk**

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Photo: Major-General of the Armed Forces Ihor Hordiychuk**

From RISU, Jan 15, 2018 - From the very beginning of the conflict between Ukraine and Russia, terrorists and ammunition were located in the churches of the UOC (the Moscow Patriarchate), in particular the Svyatohirsk Lavra in Donbas. Major-General of the Armed Forces Ihor Hordiychuk stated this during a live broadcast on ATR, Channel 24 reported. “In the first days of the war, I asked for permission to lead radio interception groups. We made several radio interceptions in Kramatorsk, Slovyansk, where the Chechen detachment of the special forces, Kadyrov’s units, were located in one of our most valuable shrines - the Svyatohirsk Lavra,” said Hordiychuk. The Major-General of the Armed Forces of Ukraine noted that confirmations were found from different angles. According to Hordiychuk, he brought evidence to the authorities, claiming that there were more than a hundred terrorists with their weapons and ammunition in the caves. This data confirmed when they set off checking all the churches of the Moscow Patriarchate. “There were weapons, ammunition, equipment, militants, all these priests of dual purpose. They are like both priests and militants. Putin's army” said Hordiychuk. He added that infiltration of Russian agents to the churches was carried out in advance. Hordiychuk noted that he views the churches of the Moscow Patriarchate as part of the structure of the FSB of Russia. Hordiychuk also stressed that the priests openly say that in Ukraine the allegedly “civil war” is evolving.

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