Exploring the Richness of the Christian Faith

Ancient and Modern Voices: Salvation, Sanctification, Theosis Presented by The School of Christian Spiritual Formation

FRI, SEP 20 7 PM - 9 PM SAT, SEP 21 9 AM - 4:30 PM SUN, SEP 22 1 PM - 4:30 PM

This fourth annual conference, Ancient and Modern Voices: Salvation, Sanctification, Theosis, explores the connection of modern Protestant reformers with ancient Christianity and how these connections affected their theologies.

We also will explore how their theologies compare with Eastern Orthodox and Western Christian theologies (both Catholic and Protestant).

Come hear six prominent theologians and spiritual directors, representing Protestant, Catholic and Orthodox Christian perspectives. Join us for lively discussions following each presentation, which will also emphasize key points and practical suggestions that you can use at home to deepen your spiritual life.

PRESENTERS

Dr. Roberta Bondi, Emory University Dr. Robin Darling Young, Catholic University Dr. Gary Moon, Richmont Graduate University Dr. Charles Nienkirchen, Ambrose University Rev. Dr. Panayiotis Papageorgiou, Holy Transfiguration Greek Orthodox Church Rev. Joshua Toepper, Mt. Bethel United Methodist Church



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Conference Schedule

Friday, September 20

- 7:00 pm Welcome, Opening Prayer
- 7:15 pm To Love as God Loves: Conversations with the Early Church and John Wesley -Roberta Bondi

8:15 pm Break

- 8:30 pm Q & A's / Discussion Speakers
- 9:00 pm Announcements, Closing Prayer -Fr. Panayiotis Papageorgiou

Saturday, September 21

- 8:30 am Continental Breakfast
- 8:45 am Welcome, Opening Prayer
- 9:00 am John Wesley and the "Second" Protestant Reformation - Charles Nienkirchen
- 10:00 am Q & A's / Discussion Speakers
- 10:30 am Break
- 10:45 am Ancient Christian Spirituality: Practical Applications (Theosis) - Robin Darling Young
- 11:45 am Q & A's / Discussion Speakers
- 12:15 pm Lunch
- 1:00 pm Pursuing Social Holiness (The Wesley Method) Joshua Toepper
- 2:00 pm Q & A's / Discussion Speakers
- 2:30 pm Break
- 2:45 pm Becoming Children of Light: Exploring Four Critical Concerns Found in Key Contributions of Dallas Willard, John Wesley & Ancient Christian Spirituality -Gary Moon
- 3:45 pm Q & A's / Discussion
- 4:15 pm Announcements, Prepare for Vespers, Closing Prayer - Fr. Panayiotis Papageorgiou
- 5:00 pm Vespers (Optional)

Sunday, September 22

- 1:00 pm Welcome, Opening Prayer
- 1:15 pm Early Christian Liturgical and Spiritual Development - Robin Darling Young
- 2:15 pm Q & A's / Discussion
- 2:45 pm Break
- 3:00 pm The Way of Holiness Fr. Panayiotis Papageorgiou
- 4:00 pm Q & A's / Discussion
- 4:30 pm Announcements, Prepare for Vespers, Closing Prayer - Fr. Panayiotis Papageorgiou
 5:00 pm Vespers (Optional)

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