



INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

THEOLOGY OF COMMUNITY

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Programme

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Tuesday, 28 September

18.30-19.00	Evening	prayer

19.00 *Dinner*

Wednesday, 29 September

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07.00-09.00	Breakfast	
	Morning session: Moderator Alexei Bodrov	
09.00-09.15	Opening of the Conference	
09.15-09.45	Hans Ulrich Gerber. Community as expression of the Kingdom of God: Anabaptist, ecumenical and inter-religious perspectives toward a theology of community	
09.45-10.15	Vladimir Cvetković. The end of episcopocentrism and emergence of a new Orthodox ecclesiology of community	
10.15-10.45	Coffee break	
10.45-11.15	Giandomenico Boffi. "Rediscovering" real community life: The importance of materiality	
11.15-11.45	Ondřej Kolář. How to deal theologically with the foreign? Theo Sundermeier's understanding of convivencia and its applicability to post-modern society	
12.30-13.00	Midday prayer	
13.00	Lunch	
17.00-18.00	Round table discussion: Moderator Romilo Knežević	
18.30-19.00	Evening prayer	
19.00	Dinner	

Thursday, 30 September

07.00-09.00	Breakfast	
	Morning session: Moderator Vladimir Cvetković	
09.00-09.30	Romilo Knežević. Genius and a new type of monasticism	
09.30-10.00	Christos Veskoukis. A creativity-based model of Eastern Orthodox social communication and egagement: The case of Nikolai Berdyaev and John Chrysostom	
10.00-10.30	Coffee break	
10.30-11.00	Oleg Davydov. Christian gift of being beyond social dialectics	
11.00-11.30	Elena Stepanova. Russian Orthodox moral teaching and everyday moral dilemmas in Russia	
12.00	Eucharist	
13.00	Lunch	
	Afternoon session: Moderator Hans Ulrich Gerber	
16.30-17.00 (via Zoom)	Pavlo Smytsnyuk. Longing for community: Pandemics, the Eucharist, and the agony of the atomized world	
17.00-18.00	Round table discussion: Moderator Hans Ulrich Gerber	
18.30-19.00	Evening prayer	
19.00	Dinner	

Friday, 1 October

07.00-08.30 *Breakfast*

Departures