



Hope in the Ecumenical Future

Oxford2014 - The Ecclesiological Investigations International Conference



Welcome!

We wish to welcome you to Cuddesdon for this year's Ecclesiological Investigations Conference on Hope in the Ecumenical Future! We do hope that you will enjoy your stay in England's oldest and largest Anglican theological college (seminary) - the main buildings date from 1854 and have educated clergy who have served in the Church of England the wider Anglican Communion ever since. The College has a rich history in terms of ecumenical encounters. Now you are part of that history!

Time:	Wednesday, 09. April 2014
8,15	Breakfast
10.00-10.30	Coffee
10.30-11.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Welcome and Conference Opening Address:</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Martyn Percy: Principal, Ripon College - 'Varieties of Protestant Life: Some Sketches on Enculturation, Ecumenism and Ecclesiology' (Brief words from Mark Chapman, Gerard Mannion)</p>
11.00-12.30	<p style="text-align: center;">Opening Plenary (1): Hope and Dialogue for Our Time - Framing the Questions</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chair: Mark Chapman: Ripon College and Oxford University</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Mary Doak: 'The Unity (and Disunity) of Our Hope'</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Bradford Hinze: 'A Prophetic Ecumenical Hope: Nurturing Hope and Joy in the Gospel by Confronting Laments Together'</p>
12.30-13.30	Lunch
13.30-14.00	Guided Tour of Ripon College
14.30-16.00	<p style="text-align: center;">Plenary 2: The Francis Effect: Perspectives From and on Rome</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Chair: Susie Babka: University of San Diego</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Philippa Hitchen: 'A View from Rome: a Year of Witnessing Hope Urbi et Orbi'</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Gerard Mannion: 'Pope Francis and Hope in the Ecumenical Future'</p>
16.00-16.30	Coffee
16.30-17.45	Concurrent Sessions 1:
Chair: Radu Bordeianu	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Thomas Hughson: 'The Mission of the Holy Spirit and Ecumenical Hope' • Antonia Pizzey: 'A Humble Hope: At the Heart of Ecumenism'
Chair: Peter Phan	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Vincent Chukwumamkpam Ifeme: 'The Inner Being of God as The Basis for Inter-Faith Dialogue' • Richard Penaskovic: 'A Pluralist Before her Time: Simone Weil on the World Religions'
Chair: Craig Phillips	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Amy E. Phillips: 'Interreligious Belonging in an Age of Inquisition: The Motives of a Palestinian Religious Wanderer' • Nicolas Mumejian: 'A transfusion of "Hope" from Ashura and Good Friday; or "There is Power in the Blood"'
Chair: Brad Hinze	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reid Humble: 'Eucharistic Division and Matthew's Last Supper: The Interpretation of Stanley Hauerwas as a Path to Unity?' • Anastacia Wooden: 'Eucharistic Ecclesiology and Vatican II – An Example of Ecumenical Reception'
18,15	Ecumenical Evening Worship (in Edward King Chapel)
18,30	Dinner
19,30	<p style="text-align: center;"><i>Ecclesiology – The Journal for Ministry, Mission and Unity</i></p> <p style="text-align: center;">Reception with a short Introduction from the journal's Editor, Paul Avis. Sponsored by Brill Publishing followed by Musical Entertainment.</p>

Time:	Thursday, 10. April 2014
8,15	Breakfast
9.00-10.30	Concurrent Sessions 2:
Chair: Sandra Mazzolini	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cristina Lledo Gomez: 'From Infants to Mothers: Comparative Perspectives on Maternal Metaphors of Being Church in Augustine and Lumen Gentium' • Marguerite Kappelhoff: 'The 'Marks of the Church': A Paradigm for the 21st Century Church'
Chair: N. Mumejian	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Davide Tacchini and Amédée E. Turner: 'Islam and Democracy as a Method of Inter-religious Understanding'
Chair: Paul Avis	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Elizabeth Welch: 'Hope as God's gift, embodied in worship through the power of the Holy Spirit' • Jason Welle: 'Spe Salvi: Will Francis Save Benedict's Hope?' • Radu Bordeianu: 'Were Our Voices Heard? The Integration of Orthodox Responses into Faith and Order's 2013 Convergence Document on The Church'
Chair: Pete Ward	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jakob Egeris Thorsen: 'The Ecumenic Impulses of Aparecida' • Patricia Madigan: 'Hope in Dark Times: Australian Churches Covenanting Together 1994-2014' • Craig A. Phillips: 'The Reign of God and the Church: Giorgio Agamben's Messianic Critique of the Church'
10.30-11.00	Coffee
11.00-12.45	<p>Plenary 3: Ecumenical Hope in Context: Liturgy, Witness and Solidarity Chair: Patricia Madigan: Director, CIMER (Dominican Centre for Interfaith, Ministry, Education and Research, Australia)</p> <p>Paul Avis: 'The Ecclesiological Significance of the Liturgy' Sandra Mazzolini: 'Together Towards Life: Christian Hope and Responsible Witnessing of Solidarity'</p>
12.45-13.30	Lunch
13.30-14.30	Transportation to Oxford City Center
14.30-16.30	<p>Guided Walking Tour of Oxford The Sub-dean of Christ Church (Edmund Newey) will show us round the Cathedral and College and talk about its ministry. The Chaplain of Oriel (Robert Tobin) will show us Oriel (including Newman's rooms).</p>
16.30-16.50	Evensong in St John's College Chapel
17.00-18.30	<p>Public Session at St John's College, Oxford University Plenary 4: Hope in the Ecumenical Future – Pathways and Pitfalls Chair: Johannes Zachhuber: Vice-Chair, Faculty Board of Theology and Religion, Oxf. University Christopher Hill: 'Hope versus Optimism: the Hidden Rocks in Anglican-Roman Catholic Dialogue' Peter Phan: 'The Church: Towards a Common Vision: A Perspective from Asia'</p>
18.30-20.00	<p>Book Launch and Reception: Mark Chapman introduces his new book <i>The Fantasy of Reunion: Anglicans, Catholics and Ecumenism, 1833-1882</i> (Oxford University Press) with a short talk. Sponsored by Oxford University Press and by Oxford University Faculty of Theology and Religion</p>
20,00	Free evening in Oxford City Centre after Reception (including optional Historic Oxford Pub Tour)
22,00	Bus Departs for Return to Cuddesdon

Time:	Friday, 11. April 2014
7,30	Anglican Eucharist in Chapel
8,15	Breakfast
9.00-10.30	Plenary 5: Visioning the Ecumenical Future: Insights and Methods for Tomorrow's Dialogue Chair: Thomas Hughson : Marquette University Susie Babka : 'Visual Culture and Multiple Religious Belonging: Implications for Dialogue' Vladimir Latinovic : 'Ecumenism on the Rocks: What Couples Therapy can Teach Ecumenical Dialogue'
10.30-11.00	Coffee
11.00-12.45	Closing Plenary (6): Hope on the Way Chair: Mary Doak : University of San Diego Paul M. Collins : 'Ecumenical Dialogue in the Context of Society and Mission' Kenneth Wilson : 'Gratitude and Hope'
12,30	Closing Remarks: Mark Chapman & Gerard Mannion
12.45-13.45	Lunch

We do hope that you enjoy your stay in Cuddesdon!

WiFi is available in the library and the Common Room and in the Harriet Monsell lecture room and break-out area.

The password for Ripon Student is R1p0nCuddesd0n. An open Ethernet connection is available in all the bedrooms.

There should be a cable in the room, but if not please contact the college office.

All food is taken in the dining hall at the times shown on the programme, and is a self-service system through the servery.

A pay bar will be available in the Common Room on Wednesday evening after the reception, and there will be some musical entertainment as well.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to ask Mark Chapman (+44 (0)7790524494) or one of the domestic team.

If you should lock yourself out of your room after office hours (8am-5pm) or have an emergency, please contact the emergency number, +44 (0)7587047762.

Mobile phone reception can be a little patchy in the main buildings.

We would be grateful if you could vacate your room before the first session on Friday - you are welcome to leave luggage in the lecture room.

There will be a brief ecumenical service of vespers on Wednesday before dinner in the Edward King Chapel, a short service of Evening Prayer at St John's College in Oxford on Thursday, and a Church of England eucharist on Friday morning. All communicant members of other denominations are very welcome to receive communion.