

Descent of the Dove: Knowing and Loving in Spirit and Truth
Pusey House Theological Conference Monday, 4 July to Wednesday, 6 July, 2022

MONDAY, 4 July

9:30 to 10:45, 12:30-14:00 – Registration

11:00 – Solemn Eucharist with Sermon: The Rt Revd Graham Tomlin, Bishop of Kensington

14:00 – Introduction and opening of conference: The Revd Dr George Westhaver, & Dr Jonathan Price

14:15 to 15:15 – The Revd Dr Gary Thorne, *Romantic Love: the neglected path of sanctification.*

15:15 to 15:45 – Break, with tea and coffee

15:45 to 17:15 for 2 sessions Prof Jack Levison, Old Testament, The Rt Revd Prof N.T. Wright, New Testament, *The Holy Spirit in Biblical Theology*

17:30 to 18:00 – Evensong

18:15 to 19:00 – The Revd Canon Prof Susan Gillingham, *The human spirit and the Spirit of God in the Psalms*

19:00 to 19:45 – Pre-dinner reception in the St Cross Common Room (those booked for dinner), generously sponsored by Plough Quarterly

19:45 – Dinner in the St Cross Hall (for those booked)

TUESDAY, 5 July

7:40 – Matins

8:00 to 8:30 – Eucharist

9:30 to 10:30 – Prof Marcus Plested, *Acquiring the Wings of the Spirit: The Experiential Pneumatology of the Macarian Writings*

10:30 to 11:00 – Break, with tea and coffee

11:00 to 11:45 – Prof Carol Harrison, *The Voice of the Holy Spirit*

11:45 to 12:30 – The Revd Canon Dr Robin Ward, *Sails of the Spirit - the theology of the Gifts of the Holy Spirit according to John of St Thomas*

12:30 to 14:00 – Lunch break

14:00 to 14:45 – Prof Lewis Ayres, *The Role of the Holy Spirit in the Work of the Theologian*

14:45 to 15:30 – The Very Revd Prof John A McGuckin, *St. Athanasius of Alexandria on the Holy Spirit: A Theandric Vision*

15:30 to 16:00 – Break, with tea and coffee

16:00 to 16:45 – The Revd Dr Richard Conrad, *Is the Holy Spirit the Love between the Father and the Son? Augustine: Yes, but...Aquinas: No, but..."*

16:45 to 17:30 – The Rev Prof Andrew Louth, *'We ask, pray, and implore you: Send down your Spirit on us and on these gifts...': the Holy Spirit in the Divine Liturgy.*

17:45 to 18:15 – Orthodox Vespers

18:30 to 19:15 – The Revd Dr Malcom Guite, *The Dove Descending: the poetry of the Spirit, from Herbert, through Milton, to Hopkins and Eliot*

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7:40 – Matins

8:00 to 8:30 – Eucharist

9:30 to 10:30 – The Revd Prof Ephraim Radner, *Take not thy holy spirit from me: reflections on an essentially Christian prayer.*

10:30 to 11:00 – Break, with tea and coffee

11:00 to 11:45 – Prof Oliver O’Donovan, *The Giver of Life*

11:45 to 12:30 – Prof Karen Kilby, *The Holy Spirit, Tradition, and the intellectual structure of the Christian faith.*

12:30 to 14:00 – Lunch break

14:00 to 14:45 – Prof Matthew Levering, *Congar and Vonier on the Spirit and the Bride*

14:45 to 15:30 – Prof Judith Wolfe, *Inspiration and Imagination*

15:30 to 16:00 – Break, with tea and coffee

16:00 to 17:00 – The Rt Revd & Rt Hon Dr Rowan Williams

17:30 – Choral Evensong with Sermon: The Ven Dr Edward Dowler, Archdeacon of Hastings

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