



International Ecumenical Symposium

Listening to the West

Synodality according to Anglican, Lutheran, Reformed, Methodist, and Old Catholic Traditions

Angelicum, 26-28 January 2023

Thursday 26 January 2023

9:00 am **Opening session**

Moderator: Prof. Juan USMA GÓMEZ, Angelicum

Greetings:

Reverend Father Thomas Joseph WHITE, OP, Rector Angelicum

Cardinal Kurt KOCH, Dicastery for Promoting Christian Unity (DPCU)

Reverend Sister Nathalie BECQUART, Under-Secretary of the Synod

9:30 am **Listening to the Anglican Approach**

Moderator: Archbishop Ian ERNEST, The Anglican Centre in Rome

Keynote: Reverend Professor Paul AVIS, University of Edinburgh

Listener: Prof. Annemarie MAYER, Theologische Fakultät Trier (*online*)

Discussion

10:30 am *Break*

11:00am **Panel: Anglican Communion and Synodality**

Moderator: Prof. Helen ALFORD, OP, Angelicum

- Ven. Will ADAM, Archdeacon of Canterbury: Historical Signposts
- Revd Prof. Russell DEWHURST, Cardiff University: Canonical approach (tbc)
- Right Rev. Christopher HILL, Bishop em. of Guildford: Pastoral approach

Listener: Rev. Fr Martin BROWNE, OSB, DPCU

Discussion

1:00 pm *Lunch*

3:30 pm Listening to the Lutheran Approach

Moderator: Prof. Lothar VÖGEL, Facoltà Valdese
Keynote: Rev. Dr Anne BURGHARDT, LWF General Secretary (online)
Listener: Prof. Etienne VETÖ, CCN, Pontifical Gregorian University
Discussion

4:30 pm Panel: Lutherans and Synodality

Moderator: Rev. Dr. Michael JONAS, Evangelical Lutheran Community, Rome

- Rev. Dr Dirk LANGE, LWF: Historical Developments
- Rev. Dr. Simone SINN, Bossey, WCC: Juridical perspective
- Bishop Matti REPO, Finland: Pastoral reflections

5:30 pm *Break*

6:00 pm Listener: Prof. Hervé LEGRAND, OP, Paris
Discussion

6:45 pm Evening Prayer

7:00 pm *Dinner*

Friday 27 January 2023

9:00 am Listening to the Reformed Approach

Moderator: Rev Luca Baratto, Federazione delle Chiese Evangeliche in Italia
Keynote: Rev Najla KASSAB, President of the WCRC
Listener: Prof. Andzrej CHOROMANSKI, Angelicum
Discussion

10:00 am Panel: Reformed tradition and Synodality

Moderator: Prof. Dimitrios KERAMIDAS, Angelicum

- Prof. Frederic CHAVEL, Paris: Historical Signposts
- Rev. Dr Hanns LESSING, Acting General Secretary WCRC: Juridical Perspective
- Deacon Alessandra TROTTA, Moderator Tavola Valdese: Pastoral Approach

11:00 am *Break*

11:30 am Listener Prof. Aimable MUSONI, SDB, Salesian Pontifical University
Discussion

1:00 pm *Lunch*

3:30 pm Listening to the Methodists Approach

Moderator: Rev. Matthew LAFERTY, Methodist Ecumenical Office in Rome
Keynote: Rev. Prof J. Kwabane ASAMOAH-GYADU, Ghana
Listener: Rev. Anthony CURRER, Newcastle
Discussion

4:30 pm Panel: Methodists and Synodality

Moderator: Prof. Miguel DE SALIS, Pontifical University of the Holy Cross

- Prof. Daniel MORRIS PRATT-CHAPMAN, Angelicum: Historical Signposts
- Rev. Dr Kenneth HOWCROFT (online): Synodality in Church Order
- Bishop em. Rosemary WENNER: Pastoral Approach

5:30 pm *Break*

6:00 pm Listener: Prof. Paolo COCCO, OFM Cap, Angelicum
Discussion

6:45 pm Evening Prayer

7:00 pm *Dinner*

Saturday, 28 January 2023

9:00 am Listening to the Old Catholic Approach

Moderator: Bishop Brian FARRELL, LC, DPCU
Keynote: Mgr. Dr. Dirk Jan SCHOON, Amsterdam
Listener: Prof. James PUGLISI, SA, Centro Pro Unione
Discussion

Union of Utrecht and Synodality

- Prof. Jan HALLEBEEK, Amsterdam: Juridical Structures
- Listener: Prof. Andrés VALENCIA, Cátedra Congar, Valencia
Discussion

11:10 am *Break*

11:30 am Concluding Remarks:
Prof. Hervé LEGRAND, OP / Rev. Fr Martin BROWNE, OSB

12:30 pm. *Lunch*