Society of Oriental Liturgy

The Eighth International Congress of the Society of Oriental Liturgy

Thessaloniki, 13 - 18 June 2022

PROGRAM

Monday, 13 June 2022

Arrivals throughout the day

Faculty of Theology – Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

16:30-17:30 Registration *(Meeting Room 1)*
18:00-18:30 Welcome – Greetings *(Amphitheatre Γ΄)*
18:30-19:30 Presidential Address: **Rouwhorst**
20:00-21:30 Dinner

Tuesday, 14 June 2022

07:00-09:30 Orthros - Divine Liturgy *(Church of St. Antony – Hippodrome Square)*
07:45 Departure from Hotel Lobby
09:40-10:20 Morning Coffee – Light Snack *(Church courtyard)*

Faculty of Theology – Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

10:40-11:30 Parallel Session 1: **Afentoulidou, Lüstraeten, Marinčák, Wade**
11:40-12:30 Parallel Session 2: **Deptuła, Mikhail, Alencherry, Radle**
12:40-13:30 Parallel Session 3: **Mendez, Smelova, Zymaris, Chronz**
14:00-15:30 Lunch

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16:00-16:30 Art Gallery – Special Exhibit
16:45-17:00 Words of Welcome, President of the S.M.S.
17:00-18:00 Plenary Lecture 1: **Farag**
18:00-19:00 Plenary Lecture 2: **Antonopoulou**
19:15-21:00 Dinner

Suggested Late Night Activities

Option 1. **Stroll along the waterfront**

Option 2. **Boat Ride – Thermaïkos Gulf**
21:45 meeting in front of the Lefkos Pyrgos.
Departure at 22:15. Return to dock at 23:00.
(No entry fee; charge based on orders, e.g., drinks or snacks).

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Wednesday, 15 June 2022

07:45 Departure from Hotel Lobby
08:00-11:00 Sightseeing. City of Thessaloniki

Patriarchal Institute of Patristic Studies

11:20-11:50 Coffee – Snacks – Refreshments
12:00-12:15 Words of Welcome, Director of the P.I.P.S.
12:15-13:15 Plenary Lecture 3: **Metzger**
13:15-14:15 Plenary Lecture 4: **Alexandru**
14:30-16:00 Lunch

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16:30-17:20 Parallel Session 4: **Nesseris, Atanassova, Permiakov, Geiger**
17:30-18:20 Parallel Session 5: **Morozowich, Fittipaldi, Butcher, Alexopoulos**
18:30-19:20 Parallel Session 6: **Keselopoulos, Galadza, Fritsch, Paul**
19:45-21:15 Dinner

Thursday, 16 June 2022

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09:30-10:20 Parallel Session 7: **Brakmann, Lingas, Andreev, Buchinger**
10:30-11:20 Parallel Session 8: **Nikiforova, Glibetić, Sakvarelidze, Panagou**
11:20-12:00 Coffee break
12:00-12:50 Parallel Session 9: **Frøyshov, Haslwanter, Dobos, Elhage-Mensching**
13:00-13:50 Parallel Session 10: **Kivelev, Koumarianos, Chatzigrigoriou, Roosien**
14:00-16:00 Lunch

Free Evening

Friday, 17 June 2022

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08:45-09:00 Tour of Library *(Official Congress Photograph)*
09:15-10:15 Plenary Lecture 5: **Olkinuora**
10:15-11:15 Plenary Lecture 6: **Nassis**
11:45-12:45 Coffee break *(Mount Athos Center)*
12:45-14:30 Sightseeing. City of Thessaloniki
14:30-16:00 Lunch

St. Theodora Monastery – Center for Hagiographical Studies

16:00-18:30 Business meeting and Elections

CLOSING OF CONGRESS

19:15-20:45 Dinner

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Saturday, 18 July 2022

Departures

The Eighth International Congress of the Society of Oriental Liturgy is organized in collaboration with the School of Social Theology and Christian Culture (Laboratory for Liturgical Studies), Aristotle University of Thessaloniki; the Society for Macedonian Studies; and the Patriarchal Institute of Patristic Studies.

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Plenary Lectures

Monday, 13 June 2022

Faculty of Theology – Aristotle University of Thessaloniki (Amphitheatre Γ΄ – 2nd Floor)

Presidential address (19:00-20:00)

Gerard Rouwhorst: "Comparative Liturgy and beyond"

Tuesday, 14 June 2022

Society for Macedonian Studies (Society Amphitheater)

Plenary 1 (17:00-18:00)

Mary Farag: "Trading Places: The Reception of Pachomius and Theophilus in Hagiographical and Homiletic Texts"

Plenary 2 (18:00-19:00)

Theodora Antonopoulou: "'Why homilies?' Mainstream and marginal uses of sermons in Byzantium"

Wednesday, 15 June 2022

Patriarchal Institute of Patristic Studies (Institute Amphitheater)

Plenary 3 (12:15-13:15)

Marcel METZGER: "La liturgie dans les recueils de traditions apostoliques (règlements ecclésiastiques)"

Plenary 4 (13:15-14:15)

Maria ALEXANDRU: "From Constantinople to the Holy Mountain during the Palaeologan Renaissance: a musical journey with St. John Koukouzeles"

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Plenary 5 (09:15-10:15)

Damaskinos OLKINUORA: "Approaching Liturgical Texts: Assumptions Reconsidered"

Plenary 6 (10:15-11:15)

Chrysostomos NASSIS: "The Byzantine Gospel Lectionary System: Narrative Threads and Heortological Contexts"

Parallel Sessions

All Parallel Sessions will take place at the Faculty of Theology Building – Aristotle University of Thessaloniki

Meeting Room 1: 1st Floor
Meeting Room 2: 3rd Floor
Meeting Room 3: 4th Floor
Meeting Room 4: 4th Floor

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Parallel 1 (10:40-11:30)

Room 1: Eirini AFENTOULIDOU: "New Editorial Methods for Liturgical Studies"

Room 2: Martin LÜSTRAETEN, "The Eucharistic Prayer in the Arabic tradition of the *Testamentum Domini*"

Room 3: Šimon MARINČÁK: "Anaphora of the CHR in Slovak Translations" he Loss of Eschatology and its Ramifications on the Liturgical Experience

Room 4: Andrew WADE: "Night prayer between Alexandria and Sinai: Compline and Midnight Office in Sin. Ar. 232 (13th century)"

Parallel 2 (11:40-12:30)

Room 1: Agata DEPTUŁA: "Greek Liturgical Hymns from Christian Nubia – Evidence of the Discoveries from Qasr Ibrim and Banganarti"

Room 2: Arsenius MIKHAIL: "A Typology of Bohairic Coptic Euchologia: Preliminary Observations from Recent Research"

Room 3: Roby ALENCHERRY: "The East Syriac Evening Service at the time of Gabriel of Qatar (Early 7th Century)"

Room 4: Gabriel RADLE: "Late Antique Lay Ministry and the 'Prayer for those who are entering to serve' in the Euchologion Sinai NF/MG 53"

Parallel 3 (12:40-13:30)

Room 1: Hugo MENDEZ: "Did the Jerusalem Church Utilize a Jewish Calendar? Questioning Another 'Myth of Jewish-Christian Origins'"

Room 2: Natalia SMELOVA: "Towards the Reception History of the *Tropologion* in Syriac: Observations on Selected Canons"

Room 3: Philip ZYMARIS: "The Loss of Eschatology and its Ramifications on the Liturgical Experience"

Room 4: Tinatin CHRONZ: "Gottesdienstliches Gedenken im Georgier-Kloster auf dem Athos"

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Parallel 4 (16:30-17:20)

Room 1: Ilias NESSERIS: "Prayers on Education in the light of the Greek Euchologion"

Room 2: Diliana ATANASSOVA: "The Hymns in the liturgical Typika of the White Monastery and their Use in the Liturgy of Southern Egypt"

Room 3: Vitali PERMIAKOV: "The 'Rite of St Nectarius' and Other Shorter Rites for the Dedication of an Altar in the Byzantine Euchologia"

Room 4: Marie-Eve GEIGER: "Editing the Liturgical Calendars of Greek Tetraevangelia (10th-15th Century): Methods, First Results and Prospects"

Parallel 5 (17:30-18:20)

Room 1: Mark MOROZOWICH: "A Liturgical Theology of the Assembly in the Anaphora of St. John Chrysostom"

Room 2: Diego FITTIPALDI: "The Triodion in the neo-Sabaitic Tradition: Comparative Analysis of Manuscript Witnesses from the 11th to the 14th century"

Room 3: Brian BUTCHER: "*Cantamus ergo sumus*: Liturgical Singing as Theological Hermeneutics"

Room 4: Stefanos ALEXOPOULOS: "Tracking the Origins and Evolution of a New Office: The Office of Doxology for March 25 in the Church of Greece"

Parallel 6 (18:30-19:20)

Room 1: Georgios KESELOPOULOS: "Walking the Tightrope between History and Theology: The Example of the Prothesis rite (8th-15th century)"

Room 2: Daniel GALADZA: "The 'Typikon of the Anastasis': A New Edition, Translation, and Commentary of Codex Hagios Stavros gr. 43 (A.D. 1122)" – seminar

Room 3: Emmanuel FRITSCH: "The moment of consecration in the Ge'ez Church. Part 2: The Fraction of the Bread"

Room 4: Arsany PAUL: "Medieval Eucharistic Rituals from Old Cairo's Hanging Church: Private Devotions in the Thirteenth Century Copto-Arabic Manuscript Suryān Liturgy 383 (Folia 190r-207v)"

Thursday, 16 June 2022

Parallel 7 (09:30-10:20)

Room 1: Henzgerd BRAKMANN: "Initiatio Christiana in den Kirchen am Nil"

Room 2: Alexander LINGAS: "Reassessing the Transmission of Kassia's Liturgical Works: A Preliminary Report" – seminar

Room 3: Aleksandr ANDREEV: "The Daily Office According to the Early Slavic Studite Horologion"

Room 4: Harald BUCHINGER: "Towards a taxonomy of minor prayers of the Eucharistic liturgy: Preliminary considerations in comparative perspective" – seminar

Parallel 8 (10:30-11:20)

Room 1: Alexandra NIKIFOROVA: "Hagiopolite Prototriodion: Texts-Structures-Meanings (A Preliminary Comparative Analysis of Sinai Greek MG/NF 56-5)"

Room 2: Nina GLIBETIĆ: "The History of the Byzantine Clerical Entrance Rite"

Room 3: Nino SAKVARELIDZE: "*The Biblical Magi*: Some Observations on the Old Georgian Tradition"

Room 4: Christos PANAGOU: "Leo Allatius and his Critical Review of the Orthodox Church's Liturgy Books"

Parallel 9 (12:00-12:50)

Room 1: Stig Ragnvald FRØYSHOV: "Ascetics of Public Churches and their Contribution to the Daily Office in Late Antique Constantinople"

Room 2: Elias HASLWANTER: "Western Rite Orthodoxy - Introducing Western Liturgies into the Orthodox Church. History, Liturgy and Perspectives"

Room 3: András DOBOS: "Is it possible to have an own liturgical tradition without liturgical books? -- The issue of the typography in the Eparchy of Mukachevo"

Room 4: Lina ELHAGE-MENSCHING: "New DFG Project in Göttingen: Digital Edition and Critical Evaluation of the Coptic Holy Week Lectionary"

Parallel 10 (13:00-13:50)

Room 1: Maksim KIVELEV: "Ideological Influences on the Formation and Development of the Coronation Ceremonial of the Russian Tsars"

Room 2: Pavlos KOUMARIANOS: "Alterations of the Byzantine Divine Liturgy" – seminar

Room 3: Stylianos CHATZIGRIGORIOU: "Sacraments and New Ethos: Insights from Nicholas Cabasilas', *On the Life in Christ"* – seminar

Room 4: Mark ROOSIEN: "Local History as Sacred History: Liturgies for Earthquakes in Constantinople and Mt. Sinai"

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SOL CONGRESS VENUES

Congress participants are required to comply to all measures and policies that are in force for the duration of the Congress, including those related to the spread of COVID.

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CONGRESS MEAL PLAN

(Thessaloniki, 13-18 June 2022)

Lunch and Dinner is provided for all SOL Members participating in the Congress, if they have paid in full prior to the Opening Session. Breakfast is included in the accommodations for those staying at the Hotel. No lunch service is offered for non-SOL Members. **Non-SOL Members may join us for dinner at a cost of 25,00 € per person.** The address hyperlinks of the local eateries function with the Google maps app.

13 June 2022	**Monday**
Dinner	«Κιβωτός των Γεύσεων». Πατριάρχου Ιωακείμ 26
14 June 2022	**Tuesday**
Breakfast	Hotel ABC *(Included in Reservation)*
Lunch	Παναγία Δεξιά Church. Εγνατία 123
Dinner	Λέσχη Αξιωματικών Φρουράς Θεσσαλονίκης. Εθνικής Αμύνης 1
15 June 2022	**Wednesday**
Breakfast	Hotel ABC *(Included in Reservation)*
Lunch	«Το Μπαλκόνι». Λεωφόρος Όχι 4
Dinner	Ουζερί «Λόλα». Αγαπηνού 10
16 June 2022	**Thursday**
Breakfast	Hotel ABC *(Included in Reservation)*
Lunch	Παναγία Δεξιά Church. Εγνατία 123
Dinner	Free evening *(no meal service provided)*

17 June 2022 Friday

Breakfast Hotel ABC *(Included in Reservation)*

Lunch «Ούζο στον πίνακα». Μπαλάνου 27, Πλατεία Άθωνος

Dinner «Γιόκ Μπαλίκ». Εθνικής Αμύνης 34

18 June 2022 Saturday

Breakfast Hotel ABC *(Included in Reservation)*

SITES WE WILL VISIT

14 June 2022 Tuesday

Church of St. Antony. Hippodrome Square

15 June 2022 Wednesday

Rotonda of Galerius

Basilica of St Demetrios

Vlatadon Monastery

17 June 2022 Friday

Church of Panagia Acheiropoietos

Church of the Holy Wisdom

St. Theodora Monastery

SOL CONGRESS HOTEL

ABC HOTEL Αγγελάκη 41, Thessaloniki

Check in: after 14:00 – Check out: before 12:00. ***Breakfast included***

Conference participants staying at the Hotel after the end of the Congress, that is, from Saturday, June 18 onwards, will have to pay for their accommodation **for those days** until their departure directly to the Hotel. SOL will not cover extra costs incurred, such as telephone calls, room service, mini-bar, café, etc.

MUSEUMS and MONUMENTS of THESSALONIKI

Roman Forum Museum (Ancient Agora)
Archaeological Museum of Thessaloniki
Museum of Byzantine Culture
White Tower Museum
Aristotle Square
Church of Hosios David (Latomos Monastery)
Agios Nikolaos Orfanos
Agios Panteleimon
Metropolis Church of Saint Gregory Palamas
Panagia Chalkeon
The Catholic Church of Immaculate Conception
Agia Aikaterini
Church of the Twelve Apostles
Prophet Elias
Byzantine Walls, Acropolis, and Heptapyrgion
Ottoman Bey Hamam