Ninth
International Congress
May 26-31, 2024

THE CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY OF AMERICA

PRELIMINARY PROGRAM

Please, NOTE that the program may vary upon the number of participants registered, as well as upon other unexpected occurrences.

SUNDAY, MAY 26

Arrivals

Breakfast will be served everyday in Garvey Dining Hall

MONDAY, MAY 27

08:30-09:00 Registration (Caldwell Auditorium)
09:00-09:30 Opening
09:30-10:30 **Presidential Address: Thomas Pott**

Coffee Break

11:00-12:00 **Plenary Session 1: Alex Rentel: *Using Liturgical Theology in the Application of the Canonical Tradition***

12:00 *Lunch* (Caldwell Auditorium)

13:15-14:15 **Plenary Session 2: Claudia Rapp: *Studying Byzantine Prayer Books. Lessons Learned and Future Directions of the Vienna Euchologia Project*** (Caldwell Auditorium)

14:20-15:00 Parallel Sessions 1: **Ioannides, Marincak, Potoczny**

Coffee Break

15:30-16:10 Parallel Sessions 2: **Spinks, Andreev, Lüstraeten**
16:20-17:00 Parallel Sessions 3: **Mikhail, Kappes, Geiger**
17:10-17:50 Parallel Sessions 4: **Buchinger, Levakos, Deptuła**

18:00 *Dinner* (Garvey Hall)

TUESDAY, MAY 28

08:20 Departure from CUA
09:00-11:00 St Sophia Greek Orthodox Cathedral
11:00-12:00 **Plenary Session 4: Michael Colburn: *Perspectives on Liturgical Translation Quality Assurance***

Lunch

13:00-14:00	**Plenary Session 5: Vitaly Permiakov:** ***Prayers, Rubrics, and Languages: Pre-Modern and Modern Liturgical Translations***
14:00-15:30	**Plenary Session 6:** ***Panel Discussion on Liturgical Translations*****: Mikhail, Colburn, Permiakov, Findikyan, Galadza; chair: Harald Buchinger**
	Coffee Break
16:00-16:40	Parallel Sessions 5: **Engberg, Shoemaker**
17:00	Vespers of Mid-Pentecost – Feast Day of St. Sophia Church
18:00	*Dinner*
19:30	Return to CUA

WEDNESDAY, MAY 29

08:20	Departure from CUA
09:00-11:00	Dumbarton Oaks Museum
11:00	Bus to St. Mary's Armenian Church and Tour
12:00	*Lunch*
13:00-14:00	**Plenary Session 7: Elizabeth Williams:** ***Clothing and Furnishing the Church: Late Antique Textiles in Liturgical Contexts***
14:00-15:00	**Plenary Session 8: Derek Krueger:** ***Exemplars without Lections: The Condensation of Old Testament Narratives in Ninth-Century Kanon Hymns***
	Coffee Break
15:30-16:30	**Plenary Session 9: Bissera Pentcheva:** ***Synkatabasis and Katanyxis in the Liturgy and Art at Hosios Loukas***
16:45	Return to CUA

Free Night

THURSDAY, MAY 30

09:00-09:40	Parallel Sessions 6: **Paul, Lingas, Galadza**
09:50-10:30	Parallel Sessions 7: **Rouwhorst, Gorodenchuk, Lazeski**
	Coffee Break
11:00-11:40	Parallel Sessions 8: **Haslwanter, Pranić, Findikyan**
12:00	*Lunch* (Caldwell Auditorium)
14:00-14:40	Parallel Sessions 9: **Chronz, Alencherry, Alexopoulos**
15:00-16:00	**General Assembly**
16:00-17:00	**Closing Session**
18:00	*CLOSING DINNER* (Caldwell Auditorium)

FRIDAY, MAY 31

	Departures

Society of Oriental Liturgy

LIST OF PARALLEL SESSIONS

MONDAY, MAY 27: Parallel Session 1

Gregorios Ioannides: *Considering evidence of early liturgical practices from the fifth-century Vita of Cypriot Saint Herakleidios (BHG 743)* (**C**) **CALDWELL 117**

Simon Marincak: *Earliest Staff-Notation Sources of Ruthenian Music* (**S**) **CALDWELL 119**

Mateusz Potoczny: *The Sanctifying Power of 'Amin' in the Final Prayer of the East Syriac Rite of Baptism* (**C**) **CALDWELL 121**

MONDAY, MAY 27: Parallel Session 2

Bryan Spinks: *Distinctive expansions of the Syrian-Byzantine anaphoral pattern in the Syrian Orthodix Tradition* (**C**) **CALDWELL 117**

Aleksandr Andreev: *Prayers in 11th-12th-century Byzantine Horologia: Patristic Sources, Liturgical Function, and Subsequent Usage* (**S**) **CALDWELL 119**

Martin Lüstraeten: *The Arabic versions of the so-called Traditio Apostolica. Preliminary Observations* (**S**) **CALDWELL 121**

MONDAY, MAY 27: Parallel Session 3

Arsenius Mikhail: *The Intercessions of the Bohairic Liturgy of the Word: History & Demise of the Coptic Oratio Universalis* (**C**) **CALDWELL 117**

Christiaan Kappes: *The Latin Sources and Origin of the Byzantine Office for St. Sylvester, Pope of Rome* (**C**) 27-28 May **CALDWELL 119**

Marie-Eve Geiger: *Exploring liturgical calendars in Greek Tetraevangelia: main results* (**S**) **CALDWELL 121**

MONDAY, MAY 27: Parallel Session 4

Harald Buchinger: *The Prayer of the Veil in the Liturgy of St James: Cover or Curtain?* (**S**) **CALDWELL 117**

Pantelis Levakos: *Hymnographical Approaches to the Feast of the Pentecost: The Holy Spirit as an Agent of Ecumenical Unity* (**C**) **CALDWELL 119**

Agata Deptuła: *Theotokos in Nubian Hymnody: A Rich Tapestry of Devotion* (**C**) **CALDWELL 121**

TUESDAY, MAY 28: Parallel Session 5

Sysse Engberg: *Is it possible to reconstruct the Byzantine lectionary of the early fifth century? An assessment of: Gary Philippe Raczka, The Lectionary at the Time of Saint John Chrysostom (Ph.d. dissertation, 2015)* (**C**) **St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Cathedral**

Stephen Shoemaker: *Marian Feasts in Fourth Century Palestine?: The Evidence of the* Six Books Dormition Apocryphon (**S**) **St. Sophia Greek Orthodox Cathedral**

THURSDAY, MAY 30: Parallel Session 6

Arsany Paul: *Crafting and Resisting Fixity: Toward a Uniform Coptic Eucharist* (**C**) **CALDWELL 117**

Alexander Lingas: *The Proper Chants for St Demetrios in MS Athens EBE 2062* (**S**) **CALDWELL 119**

Daniel Galadza: *Non-Biblical Texts in the Liturgy: An Overview of Homiletic and Hagiographic Readings in the Byzantine Rite* (**S**) **CALDWELL 121**

THURSDAY, MAY 30: Parallel Session 7

Gerard Rouwhorst: *Meal, prayer or ritual. Comparative perspectives on the celebration of the Eucharist in East and West in early Christianity* (**C**) **CALDWELL 117**

Victor Gorodenchuk: *The Emergence of Seven-fold Structure of the Byzantine Rite of Holy Unction: Evidence from* Moscow Synod 279 (**C**) **CALDWELL 119**

Anatolij Lazeski: *The Cetinje Trebnik (1495/6)* (**S**) **CALDWELL 121**

THURSDAY, MAY 30: Parallel Session 8

Elias Haslwanter: *Praying for / Commemorating the Departed in the Prothesis* (**S**) **CALDWELL 117**

Methodios (Marko Pranić): *Kairos and Chronos: Byzantine Temporality, Theological Insights, and Practical Implications in the Orthodox Tradition* (**C**) **CALDWELL 119**

Michael Daniel Findikyan: *On Betrothal and Pre-Crowning Rites of the Armenian Church* (**C**) **CALDWELL 121**

THURSDAY, MAY 30: Parallel Session 9

Tinatin Chronz: *Preparation and Consecration of Holy Myron in Georgian Traditions* (**S**) **CALDWELL 117**

Joseph Alencherry: *The Liturgical Questions in the Nomocanon of Gabriel of Basra (ca.884-891* (**S**) **CALDWELL 119**

Stefanos Alexopoulos: *Nuancing the Studite Synthesis – The Role of Hymnography* (**S**) **CALDWELL 121**