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Symposium Priesthood



« Lastly, God calls us to a particular state in life: to give of ourselves on the path of matrimony, or that of the priesthood or consecrated life. »

- POPE FRANCIS

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○ THURSDAY 17 FEBRUARY

Tradition and new horizons

Programme

Morning session chaired by the Cardinal Ouellet

- Pope Francis** Faith and the Priesthood Today
- P. Serge-Thomas Bonino OP** Religion and the Priesthood: a fundamental anthropological given
- P. Robert Vorholt** Biblical foundations of the relation between the priesthood of the baptized and the apostolic ministry

Afternoon session chaired by the Prefect of the Congregation for the Clergy

- P. Jean-Robert Armogathe** Priesthood according to the Fathers of the Church
- P. Dominic Legge OP** Synthesis of St. Thomas Aquinas and its relevance today
- P. Gabriel Richi Alberti** Significance of the Second Vatican Council for the renewal of priesthood in our epoch
- P. Philippe Capelle-Dumont** Visions of the priesthood in a change of time. Theological questions and pastoral challenges

○ FRIDAY 18 FEBRUARY

Trinity, mission, sacramentality

Morning session chaired by the Prefect of the Congregation for the Divine Worship and the Discipline of the Sacraments

- Cardinal Ouellet** The Holy Spirit and the priesthood of Christ in the Church: a fundamental Trinitarian perspective
- P. Piero Coda** Christological foundation of the priesthood: Paschal Mystery, Eucharist, Eschatology
- Cardinal Kurt Koch** Ecumenical challenges of the question of priesthood

Afternoon session chaired by the Prefect of the Congregation for Catholic Education

- P. Benoît-Dominique de La Soujeole OP** The sacramentality of the episcopacy : thinking of Orders from the episcopacy
- Sr Alexandra Diriar** Complementarity of the states of life
- P. Edouard Adé** The culture of Vocation : Christian initiation and formation toward specific vocations
- Martha Olavarrieta de Gomez Serrano**
Sr. Alexandra Smerilli
Michelina Tenace Round table - Women and ministry, status questionis

○ SATURDAY 19 FEBRUARY

Celibacy, charisms, spirituality

Morning session chaired by the Prefect of the Congregation for the Causes of Saints

- P. Gianfranco Ghirlanda** Holy life of the clerics: theological-canonical perspective
- P. Emilio Justo** Priesthood and celibacy : a theological reading of the way of the Church yesterday and today
- Mgr. Fr. Paolo Martinelli** Ministerial priesthood and consecrated life

Afternoon session chaired by the Prefect of the Dicastery of Laity, Family and Life

- P. Gaspar Hernandez Peludo** Challenges of priestly formation today
- Cardinal Luis Antonio Tagle** Priesthood and mission