

The IOTA Missiology Group International Lectures

Orthodox Mission in the Contemporary World

Invitation to our online webinar series
Autumn 2021

With the aim of encouraging a broader conversation within the Orthodox churches on the theme of Christian witness in today's world, the IOTA Missiology Group is organizing a series of webinars with speakers who can draw on their scholarly research and practical experience of mission to respond to the challenges and complexities of different contexts and cultures around the globe. After each webinar's presentation(s) there will be time for questions and discussion.

Christos Bokoros

Programme Overview

Thursday 28th October 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Fr Luke A. Veronis (USA)

Welcoming the Stranger as a Means of Witness:
Learning from Archbishop Anastasios

Thursday 4th November 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Fr John Takahashi (Japan)

Saint Nikolai (Kasatkin) and Orthodox Mission in Japan

Thursday 11th November 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Fr Cosmas Ngige, Fr Evangelos Thiani, Zipporah Mwaura,
and Dr Joseph William Black (Kenya)

Women's Ministry and Theological Education in Contemporary Orthodox Mission and Practice in Africa/Kenya

Thursday 18th November 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Canon Mark Oxbrow (UK) and Deacon Anton Ponomarev (Russia)

The Role of Orthodox and Protestant Churches in Creating and Maintaining Eucharistic Community in Contemporary Society

Thursday 25th November 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Athanasios N. Papathanasiou (Greece) and Mika Vahakangas (Sweden)

Christian Witness in Modern-Day Europe

Thursday 2nd December 2021, 17.00-18.30 (EET) (10.00-11.30 EDT):

Apostolos Michailidis (Greece) and Fr Jossi Jacobs (India)
Orthodox Mission in Contemporary India

Thursday 9th December 2021, 19.00-20.30 (EET) (12.00-13.30 EDT):

Vladimir Yakuntsev and Kirill Mozgov (Moscow, Russia)
The Main Trends of Orthodox Missiology in Russia Today

The IOTA Missiology Group Committee:

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