

The Spirituality of Eastern Fathers of the Church

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9:30 Opening address by the **Monsignor Robert Tyrała**
Rector of the Pontifical University of John Paul II in Krakow

9:40 Address by **Monsignor Pascal Gollnisch**
Director General of L'OEuvre d'Orient

1ST SESSION

10:00 **Prof. Jacob Thekkeparambill**, St. Ephrem Ecumenical
Research Institute SEERI, Kottayam,
*Morning and Evening Ording as (Ramšo and Sapro) Deacons and Schoolmasters'
in the West Syriac Liturgical Tradition*

10:20 **Prof. Baby Varghese**, Orthodox Theological Seminary,
Spirituality in the Syro-Antiochene Tradition

10:40 **Prof. Mateusz Rafał Potoczny**, University of Opole,
*Liturgie chrześcijańskiego Orientu jako szkoła duchowości kapłańskiej
[Liturgies of the Christian Orient as a School of Priestly Spirituality]*

11:00 Discussion

11:30 Coffee break

2ND SESSION

12:00 **Prof. Dominique Gonnet**, Institut des Sources Chrétiennes,
From the Spiritual Senses to the Mystery of God

12:20 **Prof. Emidio Vergani**, Università Cattolica del Sacro Cuore,
The Spirituality of Ephrem and the Syriac Church in the 4th Century

12:40 **Dr. Matteo Poiani**, Université de Strasbourg,
*Through Love's Arms the Man can Fly in Every Corner [of creation]. Love of God and
Love of Neighbours in John of Solitary's Letters*

13:00 Discussion

13:30 Lunch

3RD SESSION

15:00 **Dr Mirosław Cichoń**, Higher Seminary of the Archdiocese of Krakow,
*Psalmy w Ormiańskiej liturgii godzin na podstawie komentarza Step'anosa
Siwnec'1 (VII w.) – wybrane zagadnienia [Psalms in the Armenian Daily Office
According to Commentary Written by Step'anos Siwnec'1 (8th Century)
– Selected Issues]*

15:20 **Prof. Marek Gilski**, The Pontifical University of John Paul II in Krakow,
*Duchowość Anastazego Synaity – wybrane zagadnienia
[Spirituality of Anastasius the Sinaite – Selected Issues]*

15:40 **Prof. Jan Żelazny**, The Pontifical University of John Paul II in Krakow,
*Ortodoksja czy ortopraksja, czyli czy warto być członkiem Kościoła?
Uczestnictwo w uczcie eucharystycznej jako jeden z najważniejszych bonusów
przynależności do Kościoła według Izaaka z Niniwy na podstawie Mowy 11
z trzeciej kolekcji [Orthodoxy or Orthopraxy, or is it worth being a member of the
Church? Participation in the Eucharistic Banquet as one of the most important
bonuses of belonging to the Church according to Isaac of Nineveh based on
Discourse 11 from the third collection]*

16:00 Discussion

16:30 Conclusion

16:45 Closing of the conference

