

# 2023

# International Sermon Studies Association Conference

## Sermons and Human Dignity

JULY 21–22

DUMMETT LECTURE THEATRE

CHRIST CHURCH, UNIVERSITY OF OXFORD

### Friday, July 21

**9:15 A.M.**

**Welcome**

**9:30–9:45 A.M.**

*Reflection:* **Megan Dent**, Keble College, Oxford

***Living Life Sermonically***

**9:45–11:00 A.M.**

**Panel I**

*Chair:* **William Gibson**, Oxford Brookes University

**Fred van Lieburg**, The Free University of Amsterdam

**Jonathan Pike**, Wheatley Institute, Brigham Young University

**Daniel Reed**, Oxford Brookes University

**11:00–11:30 A.M.**

**Tea**

**11:30 A.M.–12:45 P.M.**

**Panel II**

*Chair:* **Daniel Reed**, Oxford Brookes University

**William Skiles**, Regent University

**Emily Murphy Cope**, York College of Pennsylvania

**Dicky Sofjan**, Graduate School of Universitas Gadjah Mada

**1:00–2:00 P.M.**

**Lunch**

CHRIST CHURCH DINING HALL

**2:15–3:30 P.M.**

**Panel III**

*Chair:* **William Skiles**, Regent University

**Keith Francis**, Oxford Brookes University

**Leslie Pelon**, Porterville College

**Owen Anderson**, Arizona State University

**3:30–4:00 P.M.**

**Tea**

**4:00–5:00 P.M.**

*Keynote:* **Paul Martens**, Baylor University

***The Medium Is the Message? Reflections on Human Dignity and Religious Discourse***

*Chair:* **William Skiles**, Regent University

**6:00 P.M.**

**Evensong**

CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL

RESERVED SEATING FOR CONFERENCE PARTICIPANTS

### Saturday, July 22

**8:45–10:00 A.M.**

**Panel IV**

*Chair:* **Joshua Bennett**, Lincoln College, Oxford

**Paul E. Kerry**, Oxford/Brigham Young University

**Annette G. Aubert**, Westminster Theological Seminary

**Christian W. Hallstein**, Carnegie Mellon University

**10:00–11:00 A.M.**

*Keynote:* **Hon. Rev. Dr. Suzan Johnson Cook**

***Sermons and the Work of Dr. Martin Luther King Jr.***

*Chair:* **Rev. Clare Hayns**, Chaplain, Christ Church

**11:00–11:30 A.M.**

**Tea**

**11:30 A.M.–12:45 P.M.**

**Panel V**

*Chair:* **Megan Dent**, Keble College, Oxford

**Stephen and Carolee Fairbanks**, University of Illinois at  
Urbana-Champaign

**Jenna Carson**, Chaplain, 81st Training Wing, Keesler Air Force Base,  
Mississippi

**Rev. Dr. Andrew Teal**, Chaplain, Pembroke College, Oxford

**1:00–1:50 P.M.**

**Lunch**

CHRIST CHURCH DINING HALL

**2:00–3:00 P.M.**

*Keynote:* **Michael Ward**, Faculty of Theology and Religion,  
University of Oxford

**The Sermons of C. S. Lewis**

*Chair:* **Paul E. Kerry**, Oxford/Brigham Young University

**3:00–4:15 P.M.**

**Panel VI**

*Chair:* **Amy Andrus**, International Center for Law and Religion  
Studies

**Michael Lee**, Eastern University

**Jordan Watkins**, Brigham Young University

**Edward Manger**, University of Heidelberg

**4:15–4:45 P.M.**

**Tea**

**4:45–6:15 P.M.**

**Panel VII**

*Chair:* **Holly Hinckley Lesan**, International Center for Law and  
Religion Studies

**Andrew Reed**, Brigham Young University

**Michael Green**, University of Cambridge

**Ryan Blank**, University of Cambridge

**Simon Lewis**, Trinity College Dublin

**6:15–7:15 P.M.**

*Keynote:* **Willibald Sandler**, University of Innsbruck

**Preaching and Doing Theology Under the Claim of God**

*Chair:* **Paul E. Kerry**, Oxford/Brigham Young University

**7:45 P.M.**

**Conference Dinner**

RANDOLPH HOTEL BALLROOM



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