



Workshop

## Retrieving Nicaea

On the Significance and Meaning of the Doctrine of the Trinity

University of Tübingen, 4.-6. April 2024

Venue: Faculty of Protestant Theology, Eberhard Karls Universität Tübingen, Germany  
Theologicum – Liebermeisterstraße 12 – Seminarroom 10

We are looking forward to the workshop in April! You will receive all the papers of the contributors and the texts for the reading sessions before the conference. Please read the papers and the readings before the sessions.

For further information and to Register for the Workshop, please contact Christian Schlenker (christian.schlenker@uni-tuebingen.de)

### Programm:

#### Thursday, April 4, 2024

14:00–14:15: Arrival and Welcome

14:15–15:00: *Reading Session*: Arius' letters and Alexander's letter to Alexander of Thessalonika – Nicæan Creed

#### Panel I: Nicaea: Origins and Early Reception

15:00–16:15: Keynote: *John Behr*: "Interpreting Nicaea: Historical and Contemporary Contexts"

16:15–16:30: Coffee Break

16:30–17:30: *Pui Him Ip*: "One in Being as One in Goodness: Exploring Origen as a Hermeneutical Resource for Retrieving the Nicene Homousion"

17:30–18:30: *Christian Schlenker*: "Relational Resurgence: Cappadocian Insights on the Trinitarian Ontologies and Their Echoes in Modern Theology".

#### Friday, April 5, 2024

9:00–10:00: *David Burkhard Janssen*: "The Reception of the Creed of Nicaea(-Constantinople) in the Christological Controversy"

10:00–10:45: *Reading Session*: "Ambrosius and Augustine: Reception of the Nicene Creed in the West?"

10:45–11:00: Coffee Break

#### Panel II: Contemporary Theories and Articulations of the Trinity

11:00–12:00: *Mark W. Scarlata*: "Believing in One God: The Nicene Creed and the Shema"

12:00–1:00: Lunch Break

1:00–2:15: Keynote: *Kendall Soulen*: "Icon, Index, Symbol. Reclaiming the Onomastic Richness of the Nicene Creed with the Aid of Charles Peirce"

2:15–3:15: *Nadine Hamilton*: "An Ontology of God's Threefold Name: Rediscovering Christological Foundations"

3:15–3:45 Coffee break

3:45–4:45: *Katrin König*: "Imago Trinitatis. The Renewal of Nicene Theology in the Trinitarian Ontology and Phenomenological Anthropology of Edith Stein"

4:45–5:30: *Reading Session*: Basil of Caesarea: Ep. 125.

7:00: Conference Dinner

#### Saturday, April 6, 2024

#### Panel III: Articulating the Trinity: Problems and Outlooks.

9:00–10:00: *Matthias Grebe*: "The procession of the Holy Spirit: Revisiting the consubstantial communion between Father and Son (Filioque) and the intra-Trinitarian relations of origin"

10:00–11:00: *Tijana Petković*: "The Filioque Controversy: A Historical and Theological Analysis from the Perspective of Vladimir Lossky"

11:00–11:15: Coffee Break

11:15–12:15: *Johannes Grössl*: "Developmental Theism and the Emergent Trinity: An Alternative to Latin and Social Trinitarianism"

12:15–1:15: Lunch Break

1:15–2:15: *Ash Cocksworth*: "Praying the Creed"

2:15–3:00: *Reading Session*: "Nicaea-Constantinopolitanum" + Closing Remarks and End of Conference

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