

On behalf of the Theophania School,
the Faculty of Letters, History and Theology of the University of West in Timișoara,
the Orthodox Metropolis of Banat, and its partners for this scientific event,
the Organizing Committee has the honour
to welcome you to

The 3rd International Symposium on Biblical Exegesis

שאלו שלום ירושלים

“Pray for the peace of Jerusalem!” Prayer and Thanksgiving Praise in Times of Peace and War

ἐρωτήσατε δὴ τὰ εἰς εἰρήνην τὴν Ἱερουσαλήμ

The symposium will be held at the Faculty of Letters, History and Theology
in Timișoara, November 10-12, 2022

Topics related to the following are welcome:

- Song, Poetry, Ritual, Prayer, Story in Biblical Narratives
- Biblical Models for Christian Askesis and Holiness
- Biblical Canon and Its Origin, Transmission, and Authority
- Pentateuch (Torah)
- Historical Books and Prophets
- Wisdom Literature
- Synoptic Gospels and Acts
- Johannine Literature
- Pauline Literature
- Catholic Epistles
- Hebrew and Greek Biblical Manuscripts
- Qumran and the Dead Sea Scrolls
- Samaritan History, Theology and Literature
- Community Identity in Biblical Historiography
- Roman Society and Roman Law in the New Testament
- Christian Origins and Hellenistic Judaism
- Reception History and Biblical Studies
- Bible in Eastern and Oriental Traditions
- Biblical Interpretation in Liturgy, Hymnography and Poetry
- Iconographic Interpretation and Biblical Studies
- Reading and Preaching of the Scriptures in the Worship of the Church
- Methods of Teaching Difficult Passages in the Bible
- The Significance of Sacred Geography to Bible Interpretation
- Keeping Jerusalem's Biblical Past Alive
- Archaeology and Bible Interpretation
- Family Life in Biblical Times
- Healthcare and Disability in Ancient Israel
- Comparative Semitic Philology and Hebrew Lexicography
- Biblical and Ancient Greek Linguistics
- Early Jewish and Christian Apocalyptic Literature
- Biblical Theology and Spirituality
- Midrash, Halakhah and Reception of the Bible
- Reception of Scripture in Patristic Exegesis (II-VIII centuries)
- Biblical Interpretation in the Syriac Tradition
- Biblical Interpretation in Arabic Apologetic Literature
- Bible Translations and Their Transmissions

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Registration

Please send your registration form (the name of the author, email address, the title of the paper, an abstract of maximum 300 words, and 4-5 keywords) to Fr. Ioan Mihoc (ioan.mihoc@e-uvv.ro) or/and Fr. Iosif Stancovici (iosif.stancovici@e-uvv.ro) by **September 20th, 2022**.

Please provide the title of the paper, the abstract and the keywords in English and include a short presentation of yourself including your scientific and academic titles and position, relevant recently work published, and your e-mail.

To be accepted, all the abstracts will be reviewed by a scientific committee.

Submission and Publication

You are kindly asked to submit your papers by **March 20th, 2023**, as an email attachment to Fr. Ioan Mihoc (ioan.mihoc@e-uvv.ro) or/and Fr. Iosif Stancovici (iosif.stancovici@e-uvv.ro).

The article is expected to be an original work, written in English or Romanian, bearing considerable scientific relevance, and it has not been published previously elsewhere.

The article will include, at the beginning, your name and affiliation, an English abstract, and 4-5 keywords.

An appropriate international publisher will be sought for the publication of a volume of articles based on the papers presented at the Symposium which will be submitted in English and meet international criteria of academic research. Articles in Romanian (and English articles which do not meet international expectations) will be published as a thematic volume by Doxologia in Iași (indexed in International Data Base, A category). Translation of articles submitted in Romanian of high originality and quality of research into English for inclusion in the international volume can be discussed.

The working languages of the Symposium are English and Romanian.

We hope you can find the time to fit this scientific meeting into your agenda on **November 10th-12th, 2022**. We are looking forward for your registration.

the Organizing Committee,
Fr. Constantin Jinga,
Fr. Ioan Mihoc and Fr. Iosif Stancovici