

## DISCERNMENT AND THE CHRISTIAN LIFE

SATURDAY 8

9:00 am

### Путь осознания и аутентичности в церкви сегодня

The Way of Awareness  
and Authenticity in the Church Today

JOHN CHRYSSAVGIS, Archdeacon of the Ecumenical Throne

### Что такое соборная рассудительность?

What is a Synodal Process of Discernment?

HERVÉ LEGRAND, Paris

### Научиться рассуждать

Learning Spiritual Discernment

JOHN BEHR, St Vladimir's Orth.Theol. Sem., Crestwood NY

... discernment is reckoned among the noblest gifts of the Spirit by the Apostle: "To one is given by the Spirit the word of wisdom, to another the word of knowledge by the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another the gift of healing by the same Spirit", and shortly after, "to another the discerning of spirits" (1Co 12:8-10). You see then that the gift of discernment is no earthly thing and no slight matter, but the greatest prize of divine grace.

St John Cassian

### Scientific Committee

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## I NFORMATION AND CONFERENCE REGISTRATION

- The Conference is open to all.
- Simultaneous translation will be provided in Italian, Greek, Russian, English, French.
- Participants are kindly requested to arrive on Tuesday, 4 September. The Conference will end on Saturday, 8 September, with a festive meal.  
Celebration of the Orthodox Divine Liturgy:  
**Saturday, 8 September, 7:00 am** for the Solemnity of the Nativity of the Mother of God.
- Lodging will be provided at the Monastery and in the nearby area. There will be daily transportation service for those who are not lodged at the Monastery.
- To sign up for the Conference it is necessary to contact the Secretariat of the Conference to see if there are available places and only then to send the enclosed registration form by **30 August 2018**. For further information, contact the Secretariat.

Photo: *The Doubt of Thomas*, mosaic, Cathedral, 12th century, Monreale

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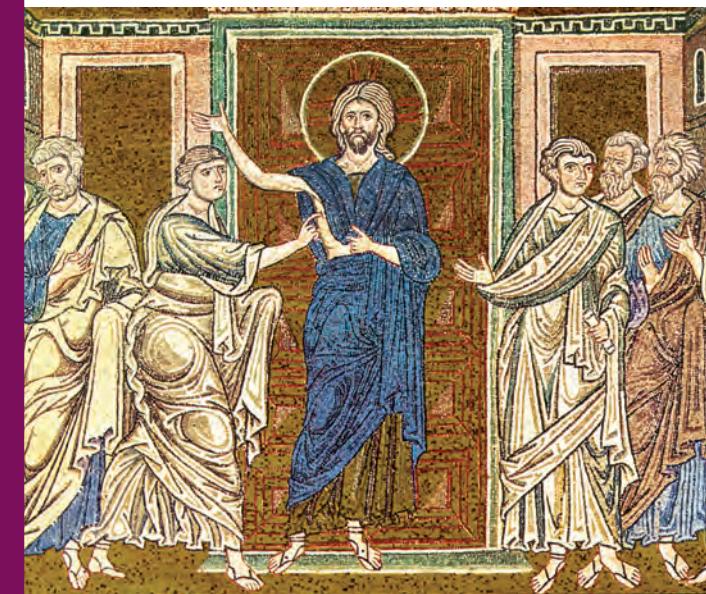
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## Monastery of Bose 5-8 September 2018

with the contribution of Piedmont Region

WEDNESDAY 5

9:30 am

**Истолковать знаков времени.  
Рассудительность в евангелии**  
*Recognizing the Signs of the Times.  
Discernment in the Gospels*  
ENZO BIANCHI, Founder of Bose

**Распознать единство церкви.  
Св. Ириней и ранняя христианская традиция**  
*Discerning the Unity of the Church.  
St Irenaeus and the Early Christian Tradition*  
† IRENEI (STEEMBERG) of Sacramento

**Рассудительность в Павловых Посланиях**  
*Diakrisis in St Paul's Letters*  
FILOTEJ (ARTJUŠIN), Theological Academy, Moscow

3:30 pm

**Рассудительность и икономия**  
*Diákrisis and the Theological Principle of oikonomía*  
PATRICIU VLAICU, University "Babeş-Bolyai", Cluj-Napoca

**Признание другой традиции. Армяно-  
византийский диалог в XII веке в Киликии**  
*Recognising the Other Tradition. Armenian-Byzantine  
Dialogue in Armenian Cilicia in the Twelfth Century*  
KAREKIN HAMBARDZUMYAN, Etchmiadzin

**Распознать истину вместе. Христологическое  
согласие в диалоге между Православными  
и Древними Восточными Церквами**  
*Discerning together the Truth. Christological Agreement  
between Chalcedonian Orthodox and Oriental Churches*  
VASSILIKI STATHOKOSTA  
National and Kapodistrian University of Athens

THURSDAY 6

9:00 am

**Рассудительность во времена кризиса:  
прп. Максим Исповедник**  
*Discernment in Times of Crisis: St Maxim the Confessor*  
† MAXIM (VASILJEVIĆ) of Western America, Los Angeles

**Распознать время. История и память**  
*The Temporal Dimension of Discernment.  
Memory and History*  
JOHN ERICKSON, St Vladimir's Orth.Theol. Sem., Crestwood NY

**Критерии совместных решений  
в Уставе прп. Бенедикта Нурсийского**  
*Criteria for Community Decisions in St Benedict Rule*  
MICHEL VAN PARYS, Monastère de Chevetogne

3:30 pm

■ **Распознать настоящее**  
*Discerning the Present Time*

**Московский собор 1917-1918 гг.**  
*The Council of Moscow of 1917-1918*  
ALEKSANDR MRAMORNOV, Moscow

**Митрополит Софийский Стефан  
и Болгарская Православная Церковь в 1940-1944 гг.**  
*Metropolitan Stephan of Sofia  
and the Bulgarian Orthodox Church (1940-1944)*  
DANIELA KALKANDIEVA, Sofia Univ. "St. Kliment Ohridsky"

**Антиохийская Церковь  
и гражданская война в Ливане (1975 -1990)**  
*The Antiochian Church and the Lebanese Civil War (1975-1990)*  
PORPHYRIOS GIORGI, University of Balamand

FRIDAY 7

9:00 am

**Рассудительность и духовные чувства  
в сочинениях Оригена**  
*Discernment and the Spiritual Senses in Origen*  
PAUL GAVRILYUK, University of St Thomas, St Paul MN

**Духовные чувства в сирийской традиции**  
*The Spiritual Senses in the Syriac Tradition*  
SEBASTIAN BROCK, Oxford University

**Духовная рассудительность у прп. Иоанна Кассиана  
и в гальской аскетической традиции в века**  
*Discernment in St John Cassian  
and the Ascetic Tradition of the Fifth Century in Gaul*  
ALEXEJ FOKIN, Russian Academy of Sciences, Moscow

3:30 pm

**Рассудительность  
и здоровое формирование личности**  
*Discernment and the Healthy Formation of the Person*  
KYRIAKI FITZGERALD  
Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology, Brookline MA

**Старчество и «младостарцы»  
в Русской Православной Церкви**  
*Elders and “Young Elders” in the Russian Orthodox Church*  
IRINA PAERT, University of Tartu

**Духовное отцовство сегодня: сила  
и ограниченность духовной рассудительности**  
*The Spiritual Father Today:  
Strength and Limits of Discernment*  
THEODOSIOS MARTZOUCHOS, Preveza