



FORGIVENESS AND SPIRITUALITY

International Scientific Conference

PROGRAM



Saturday, December 16th, 2023

On-line: <https://uni-lj-si.zoom.us/j/91307598180>, ID: 913 0759 8180

14:30-14:40 Welcome speeches

Dean of the Faculty of Theology at the University of Ljubljana Janez Vodičar, PhD, Prof.

Dean of the Faculty of Theology at the University of Zagreb Ivan Šestak, PhD, Prof.

Dean of the Faculty of Theology at The Pontifical University of John Paul II in Krakow Jan Dziedzic, PhD, Prof.

President of the Organizing Committee Ivan Platovnjak, PhD, Asst. Prof.

Member of the Organizing Committee Erika Prijatelj, PhD, Asst. Prof.

(Chairperson: Erika Prijatelj)

Lectures

14:40-14:55 **Đurica Pardon** (Croatia) *Blessed is the One Whose Transgression is Forgiven, Whose Sin is Covered! (Ps 32:1) A Few Examples on Forgiveness Form the Old Testament*

14:55-15:10 **Ivan Platovnjak** (Slovenia): *"And Forgive us our Debts, as we also have Forgiven our Debtors."*

15:10-15:25 **Vassilios Bebis** (Greece, USA): *Messages of Forgiveness and Reconciliation from Ancient Gaza: The Teachings of St. Dorotheos, the Monk*

15:25-15:40 **Marcin Godawa** (Poland): *Preparation for Forgiveness in the Face of Martyrdom*

15:40-16:15 Discussion and Break

(Chairperson: Ivan Platovnjak)

Lectures

16:15-16:30 **Daniel Miščin** (Croatia): *Vulnerability and Forgiveness in the Thought of Emmanuel Levinas*

16:30-16:45 **Ines Skelac** (Croatia): *The Complex Relationship between Apologies and Forgiveness*

16:45-17:00 **Tone Svetelj** (USA): *Anger, Forgiveness, and Generosity*

17:00-17:15 **Erika Prijatelj** (Slovenia, USA): *Trauma, Community, and Forgiveness*

17:15-17:45 Discussion and Break

(Chairperson: Tone Svetelj)

Lectures

17:45-18:00 **Meta Rus** (Slovenia): *On the Meaning of Forgiveness in Palliative Care*

18:00-18:15 **Ahmet Taskin** (Türkiye): *The Recipe for the Disease of Sin*

18:15-18:30 **Stanislaus Alla** (India): *Hindu Perspectives on Forgiveness*

18:30-18:45 **Murala Jagadeeswaraiah** (India): *Forgiveness, an Alien Idea to Buddhism*

18:45-19:00 Discussion

19:00 Conclusion