

15TH CONFERENCE ON CATHOLIC
THEOLOGY IN THE CARIBBEAN TODAY



Theme:
“Perspectives in Caribbean Theology
– 17 years later”

St. Michael’s Theological College,
Golding Avenue. Kingston 7,
JAMAICA
Monday 27th June to Friday 1st July, 2011

PROGRAMME

Monday, June 27

5.00pm Opening Mass
 Chief Celebrant:
 Archbishop Emeritus Donald Reece, DD

6.00pm Supper

7.15pm Welcome: Dr. Anna Perkins

 Opening of Conference
 Archbishop Emeritus Donald Reece DD

Chairperson: Msgr. Patrick Anthony

Greetings: Rev. Garnett Roper, JTS

7.30pm **Presentation #1**
 Chairperson: Dr. Anna Perkins
 Presenter: Dr. Gerald Boodoo,
 University of Duquesne
 “*Caribbean Theology: Where Now?*”
 Comments/Discussion

8.30pm Cocktails

Tuesday, June 28

7.00am (Mass followed by breakfast each day)

8.45am **Presentation #2**

Chairperson: Fr. Joseph Harris, C.S.Sp.

Presenter: Msgr. Michael Lewis,
Archdiocese of Kingston

*‘Those are Hard Teachings:
Investigating the intersection of
theology, culture and canon law in the
Caribbean.’*

Comments/Discussion

10.30am Break

11.00 a.m **Presentation #3**

Chairperson: Msgr. Michael Lewis

Presenter: Fr. Joseph Harris, C.S.Sp.
Archdiocese of Port of Spain

*“A Catechesis on Sponsors at Baptism
and Confirmation”- Canon 872*

Comments/Discussion

12.30pm Lunch – “What’s up” Sharing”

3.00pm **Presentation #4**

Chairperson: Mr. Felix Edinborough

Presenter: Msgr. Patrick Anthony,
Archbishop Kelvin Felix Archdiocesan
Pastoral Centre, St. Lucia

*“The Governance of Small Island
Dioceses in the Caribbean”*

Comments/Discussion

4.30pm

Presentation #5

Chairperson: Mr. Peter Jordens

Presenter: Mr. Cleophus Joseph,
Seminarist, Archdiocese of Castries

*“A Report on the Prison System in
Trinidad and Tobago”*

Comments/Discussion

5.30pm

Business Session #1

Presenter : Msgr. Patrick Anthony

*“Caribbean Theology Today and the
New Technologies”*

6.30pm

Supper

7.45pm

Idris Hamid Memorial Lecture

Chairperson: Fr. Hugh Logan

Presenter: Fr. Michel Francis,
Archdiocese of Castries

*“The New Roman Missal: Challenges
and Opportunities for the Church in the
Caribbean”*

Comment/Discussion
Cocktails

Wednesday, June 29

8.45am **Presentation #6**

Chairperson: Msgr. Patrick Anthony

Presenter: Dr. Ramón Luzárraga,
University of Dayton

*“The Poetry of Revolution and the
Prose of Reform: The two facing Pages
of English Caribbean politics and
Caribbean political Theology”*

Questions/Discussion

10.30am Break

11.00am **Presentation #7**

Chairperson: Dr. Gerard Boodoo

Presenter: Dr. Anna Kasafi Perkins,
U.W.I., Mona/St. Michael’s

*“Carne Vale (Goodbye to flesh)?;
Caribbean Carnival, Notions of flesh
and Christian Ambivalence about the
Body”*

Comments/Discussion

12.30pm Lunch

3.00pm **Presentation #8**

Chairperson: Sr. Annette Chow

Presenter: Mr. Felix Edinborough
*“Reflections on a Catholic
Performing Artiste in a Society of
Celebrations”*

Comments/Discussion

4.30pm

Business Session #2

5.15pm

Presentation #9

Chairperson: Fr. Nigel Karam

Presenter: Fr. Hugh Logan

*“Conversational Preaching: A+ for
Caribbean Congregations.”*

Comments/discussion

6.30pm

Supper

7.45pm

Cheryl Herrera Memorial Lecture

Chairperson: Ms. Rhonda Earle

Presenter: Dr. Sylvia Rose-Ann

Walker, U.W.I., St.

Augustine

*“Women in Catholic Media in
Trinidad and Tobago”*

Comments/Discussion

Cocktails

Thursday, June 30

8.45am Leave for Dunn's River Falls

5.00pm Business Session #3

6.30pm Supper

7.00pm Cultural Evening

Friday, July 01

8.45am Business Session #4

9.45am **Presentation #10**

Chairperson : Bernadette Salandy
Presenter : Dexter A.S. Brereton
*"An Examination of the idea of the
Common Good viewed through the
experience of the recent smelter
debate in South-Western Trinidad"*

Comments /Discussion

12.30pm Lunch

Closing

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