FIFTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON

Receptive Ecumenism

30 JUNE - 3 JULY 2021, SIGTUNA, SWEDEN

Transforming Ecumenism
– ”listen to what the Spirit is saying to the churches” (Rev 2:7)
**Wednesday 30 June**

11:00 – 16:00  Registration

12:00-14.00  Light lunch for those arriving early

14:00  **Opening worship, St Mary’s church**
Sermon: to be confirmed

15:30  Coffee/Tea

16:00  **Word of Welcome**
Opening address: Transforming Impact
Speakers: to be confirmed

17:15  **PLENARY I**
Reforming Ecumenism: Receptive Ecumenism as an Instrument for Ecclesial Transformation
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

18:45  Evening prayer

19:15  Welcoming reception

19:45  Dinner

**Thursday 1 July**

7:30  Breakfast

8:30  **Morning Prayer and Bible Reflection**
Speakers: to be confirmed

9:00  **PLENARY II**
Approaches to difference: Recognition of Others and Receptive Ecumenism
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

10:30  Coffee/Tea

11:00  **PLENARY III**
Receptive Ecumenism – Mutual Learning
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

12:30  Lunch prayer

12:45  Lunch
14:00  Parallel Sessions
16:00  Coffee/Tea
16:30  **PLENARY IV**

Reforming the Vision of Christian Unity
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

18:15  Evening Prayer
19:00  BBQ Buffet

**Friday 2 July**

7:30  Breakfast
8:30  **Morning Prayer and Bible Reflection**
Speakers: to be confirmed

9:00  **PLENARY V**

Receptive Ecumenism and Peacebuilding in a Multicultural Context
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

10:30  Coffee/Tea
11:00  **PLENARY VI**

Pentecostal Perspectives on Receptive Ecumenism
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

12:30  Lunch prayer
12:45  Lunch
14:00  Parallel Sessions
16:00  Coffee/Tea
16:30  **PLENARY VII**

Receptive Ecumenism and Bilateral Dialogues – Embodying a Document
Speakers: to be confirmed
Moderator: to be confirmed

18:15  Evening Prayer
19:00  Banquet Dinner
**Saturday 3 July**

7.30  Breakfast

8:30  Morning Prayer

8:45  **PLENARY VIII**  
Receptive Ecumenism and Wider Ecumenism  
Speakers: to be confirmed  
Moderator: to be confirmed

10:00  Coffee/Tea

10:30  **PLENARY IX**  
Receptive Ecumenism in the future - possibilities and challenges  
Panel of speakers: to be confirmed

11:30  **Summing up**  
Reflections from participants  
Conference conclusion

12:15  Closing worship

13:15  Lunch

*Transforming Ecumenism* is the fifth academic conference following those held in England (2006 and 2009), in the United States (2014) and in Australia (2017). Those earlier conferences introduced the basic idea of receptive ecumenism, firstly within the Catholic tradition and then more broadly across a wide range of Christian traditions.

[https://www.ehs.se/Receptive-Ecumenism-Conference](https://www.ehs.se/Receptive-Ecumenism-Conference)

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