

Saturday August 26

10:15 | S1 “μνημονεύω (mnémoneuó) - Significance of holding things in remembrance.” | With Metropolitan Abraham Mar Stephanos (India / United Kingdom).

Abraham Mar Stephanos is the Metropolitan of the Diocese of the United Kingdom, Europe and Africa of the Malankara Syrian Orthodox Church. He offers a biblical meditation on the following theme: μνημονεύω (mnémoneuó): Significance of holding things in remembrance – discussions based on Matthew 16:5-12.

10:15 | 15 “Fighting for the preservation of nourishing lands and for an agriculture that respects the Living” | With Cristiana Modica Vandame (Italy / France).

Sharing from an anthropologist who worked 15 years in humanitarian development before taking in charge a family farm near Paris. She then converted it from conventional to organic with the creation of a bakery. Since 2011 she keeps on struggling against the destruction of lands with the support of local associations and activists.

10:15 | P “Paul Ricœur or a philosopher who does not forget hope”.

Considered one of the greatest philosophers of the 20th century, Paul Ricœur (1913-2005) was always attentive to the sources of hope. He was driven by a “passion for the possible”, which is Kierkegaard's definition for hope. He came regularly to Taizé to “verify his conviction that however radical evil may be, it is not as profound as goodness”. Workshop led by brother Émile, from Taizé.

10:15 | 10 “Does the internet give us what we really need? Social media in an algorithmic world.”

Social networks use complex algorithms to exploit the psychological and physiological weaknesses of our brains. In this workshop, we will explore these weaknesses in theory and practice, and think about how we can improve our use of the Internet. Workshop led by brother Maciej, from Taizé.

15:15 | M “Experimenting a Synodal Conversation – How Young People Can Help the Church Become More Synodal?” | With sister Nathalie Becquart (France).

Sr Nathalie Becquart is a French Xavière nun. In 2021 she was appointed by Pope Francis to the staff of the General Secretariat of the Synod of Bishops. In this workshop, she will propose experimenting with a spiritual conversation in a synodal style.

15:15 | 10 “Being relays of trust for each other” | With Marion Muller-Colard (France).

Marion Muller-Colard (France) is a pastor, theologian and writer; she is currently director of the Swiss publishing house “Labor et Fides”. In this workshop, she will extend the biblical meditation given in the morning during the common prayer, based on the story of the calmed storm, and she will engage in dialogue with the young people present.

15h15 | P “Welcoming refugees into your life.” | With Dorothé Kalkman (Netherlands)

In this workshop, a young volunteer who has worked with refugees and migrants in Calais, Dunkirk, Lithuania and Lesbos, will try to familiarise you with what you can do for refugees. She will do this through interaction and discussion to find ways of welcoming refugees into your life. As a concrete gesture of solidarity, there will be the possibility of leaving your sleeping bag in Taizé when you leave.

15:15 | 15 “God and the universe: the gaze of science and the gaze of faith.”

How the scientific perspective and the religious perspective on the universe and on humanity, far from being in opposition, are complementary. Reflection with br. Jean-Marc, from Taizé.

16:30 | R “Sharing joy and talents” – open stage with young people from various continents.**16:30 | Wanagi Tacanku** | Earth, form and colour – pottery and artistic creation.**21:30** Meditation by Brother Alois after evening prayer.

Information

- ✓ 11:45 | Meeting at La Morada for anyone who can help with the welcome or some practical tasks on Sunday.
- ✓ 14:00 | Jean-Luc Delpuech, who gave a workshop on Monday, will present the experience of the European College of Cluny. Meeting point in front of room 13.
- ✓ 17:00 | Some buses to Mâcon and Chalon stations on Sunday morning will be full. To try to solve this, there will be a meeting at point 5, in front of the message board, for those who could drive young people, and for those who would need to carpool.
- ✓ 20:30 | At the end of the prayer, we will light small candles that symbolise the light of the Resurrection.
- ✓ On Sunday, breakfast at 8:45 and at 10:00 Eucharist with the presentation of fruit and vegetables from the solidarity garden.

Thank you all for your participation!