

THE CANON LAW SOCIETY OF INDIA
XXXVI ANNUAL CONFERENCE
ASHIRBHAVAN, VERAPOLY
16th - 20th October 2023

✠ **MARRIAGE AND TRIBUNAL PRACTICE** ✠

MONDAY, 16th October 2023

- 09.00 am Registration begins
- 10.30 am Coffee/Tea
- 01.00 pm Lunch
- 03.00 pm Tea
- 03.30 pm **Inaugural Session:**
- Prayer (LOT)
 - Welcome Address: Rev Dr. T Lourdusamy, President CLSI
 - Inaugural Address: Hon'ble Justice Kurien Joseph
 - Chief Guest's Address: Most Rev Dr. Joseph Kalathiparambil
 - General Information: LOT
 - Vote of Thanks: Rev Dr. Varghese Koluthara CMI, Vice-President CLSI
 - High Tea
- 06.00 pm **Session I (Keynote Address): Marriage and Tribunal Practice - Rev. Dr. John Mendonca**
- 07.15 pm Holy Mass (for those who have not celebrated)
- 08.00 pm Dinner
- 08.45 pm Cultural Programme

TUESDAY, 17th October 2023

- 07.00 am Morning Prayer & Holy Mass
- 07.45 am Breakfast
- 09.00 am Preliminaries
- 09.15 am **Session II: Tribunal Structure and Personnel - Rev. Fr K. T. Immanuel**
- 10.30 am Coffee Break
- 11.00 am **Session III: Tribunal System in the Oriental Code - Rev. Dr. Benny Sebastian Tharakunnel CMI**

12.15 am	Self Introduction
12.45 pm	Midday Prayer
01.00 pm	Lunch
03.00 pm	Session IV: Disparity of Cult & Mixed Marriages – Rev. Dr. Sunil Kumar D’Souza
04.00 pm	Tea Break
06.00 pm	Session V: Recent Jurisprudence on Can. 1095 - Rev. Dr. Merlin Rengith Ambrose
07.45 pm	Rosary
08.00 pm	Dinner
08.45 pm	Region-wise Canonists Meeting

WEDNESDAY, 18th October 2023

07.00 am	Morning Prayer & Holy Mass
07.45 am	Breakfast
09.00 am	Preliminaries
09.15 am	Session VI: Briefer Judicial Process of Matrimonial Nullity - Rev. Dr. Alex Velacherry
10.30 am	Coffee Break
11.00 am	Session VII: Uniform Civil Code: Law and Its Implications for Christians in India – Rev. Fr Xavier Arul Raj
12.00 noon	Session VIII: Canonical and Pastoral Perspectives on Cremation - Rev. Dr. Shaji Jerman
12.45 pm	Midday Prayer
01.00 pm	Lunch
02.30 pm	City Tour
07.30 pm	Festive Dinner

THURSDAY, 19th October 2023

07.00 am	Morning Prayer & Holy Mass
07.45 am	Breakfast
09.00 am	Preliminaries
09.15 am	Session IX: Synodality in the Church in India - Rev. Dr. Varghese Koluthara CMI
10.30 am	Coffee Break
11.00 am	Session X: Dismissal of Religious: Law and Procedure - Rev. Sr. Mary Ansa DIH

12.00 noon	Session XI: Reporting of Region-wise Canonists Meeting
12.45 pm	Midday Prayer
01.00 pm	Lunch
03.00 pm	Session XII: Presentation of Doctoral Thesis/Licentiate Dissertations
04.00 pm	Tea Break
06.00 pm	Session XIII: Question Box (Panel Discussion)
07.45 pm	Rosary
08.00 pm	Dinner

FRIDAY, 20th October 2023

07.00 am	Morning Prayer & Holy Mass
07.45 am	Breakfast
09.00 am	Preliminaries
09.15 am	Session XIV: Presentation of Doctoral Thesis/Licentiate Dissertations (cont.)
10.30 am	Coffee Break
11.00 am	Session XV: Annual General Body Meeting
	Evaluation of Conference
	Planning for the Next Annual Conference
	Concluding Session
01.00 pm	Lunch & Departure
04.00 pm	Tea
08.00 pm	Dinner

SATURDAY, 21st October 2023

07.00 am	Holy Mass
07.45 am	Breakfast

(Board and Lodge closes at 9.00 am on Saturday, 21st October 2023)