



## “Christian Philosophy and its Challenges”

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“We do not need Christian philosophy. We need Christians making good philosophy.” This controversial paraphrase of card. Newman could be used as a starting point of our conference. We continue our reflection from the Conference organized in 2020: “Christian Philosophy: its Past, Present and Future”, which gathered more than 40 philosophers from all over the world. The aim of this coming conference is to consider the contemporary challenges faced by our world in the light of philosophy practiced in the Christian context or simply by Christian philosophers. The challenges are starting from very definition of ChP (and therefore its identity), as well as the development of existing paradigms of ChP, finally focusing on philosophical, social, moral, ecological, political and scientific challenges. We want to make a room for the development of ChP. Therefore, we invite not only Christian philosophers, but all researchers who conduct their philosophical investigation in the context of Christian faith.

**We think that the questions worth considering in this context could include the following:**

- What philosophy is needed in twenty-first century and what does distinguish Christian philosophy?
- What is the scope and method of Christian philosophy?
- What is the relation between Christian philosophy and other philosophical schools and religions?
- What Christian philosophy do we need today, if any?
- What are the challenges for Christian philosophy in the 21st century?
- What Christian philosophy has to offer to contemporary crises, like COVID-19, ecology, climate change, trans- and post-humanism?
- What can the great Christian philosophers tell us today?

The organizers plan to develop this conference in a hybrid mode: both online and onsite. This model would allow that any person interested could take part in it, and still those, who can would have the possibility to visit Jesuit University Ignatianum in Krakow.

**Further information will be announced soon. Please follow our website:**

<http://christianphilosophy.ignatianum.edu.pl>