

# THE TENTH BIRMINGHAM COLLOQUIUM ON THE TEXTUAL CRITICISM OF THE NEW TESTAMENT

## *“Lives of the Text”*

*University of Birmingham 20<sup>th</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup> March 2017*

**Draft Programme (as of 10<sup>th</sup> January 2017)**

### **Monday 20<sup>th</sup> March**

*1.45-2.45pm IGNTF committee meeting (members only: OLRC G06)*

*2.30pm onwards: Registration*

*Session 1: The Lectionary of Acts (OLRC G08)*

**3.00pm Welcome (Hugh Houghton)**

**3.10pm Samuel Gibson (Oxford), “Full of the Holy Spirit and Wisdom’:  
Divine Names and Titles in the Greek Lectionary of Acts.”**

**3.40pm Klaus Wachtel (Münster), “The text of Acts in the Byzantine  
manuscript edition known as K<sup>r</sup>.”**

*4.10pm Tea (OLRC G06)*

*Session 2: Liturgical Witnesses (OLRC G08)*

**4.30pm Gregory S. Paulson (Münster), “Proposal for a Critical Edition of the  
Lectionary Text”**

**5.00pm Matthias Schulz (Vienna), “Coptic liturgical manuscripts –  
Reconstruction and Reliability for New Testament Textual Criticism.”**

**5.30pm Maia Ninidze (Tbilisi) and Ketevan Gigashvili (Telavi), “The Old  
Georgian Manuscripts and Editions of the Gospel and Liturgical Texts.”**

*6.00pm Close*

*6.30pm Dinner (Woodbrooke)*

*Evening activity to be confirmed*

### **Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> March**

*Session 3: Translation and Living Text (OLRC G06)*

**9.15am Theodora Panella (Birmingham), “The Influence of the Catena on  
Modern Greek New Testament Translations.”**

**9.45am Christina Kreinecker (Salzburg), “Translations of Scripture:  
Expression or Destroyer of a Living Text tradition?”**

**10.15am Simon Crisp (Birmingham), “Is There an Original Text in this Class?  
Revisiting David Parker’s Living Text from the Perspective of Translation  
Studies.”**

*10.45am Coffee (OLRC G08)*

*Session 4: Living Text and Canon (OLRC G08)*

**11.15am Michael Dormandy (Cambridge), “How the Books Became the Bible:  
Work-Combinations in Manuscripts and the Origins of the New Testament  
Canon.”**

**11.45am Satoshi Toda (Sapporo), “Written Documents as Fixed Points in the  
Earliest Life of the Text of the Gospels.”**

12.30pm Lunch (Woodbrooke)  
1.15pm Leave for Excursion to Coventry  
3.00pm Guided tour of Cathedral  
5.15pm Evening Prayer (optional)  
7.00pm Dinner  
10.00pm (approx.) Arrive in Birmingham

## Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> March

*Session 5: The Text of the Gospels (Luke) (Woodbrooke)*

**9.30am Pete Lorenz (Münster), “Codex Bezae’s Lukan Genealogy (Luke 3:23-38) as a ‘Living Text’.”**

**10.00am Thomas O’Loughlin (Nottingham), “Luke 22:17-20 as an Example of the Gospels as Living Texts within the Churches.”**

10.30am Coffee

*Session 6: The Pericope Adulterae (Woodbrooke)*

**11.00am Teunis van Lopik (Leidschendam), “How the *Pericopa de Adultera* crept into the text of the Greek New Testament: some notes on liturgy.”**

**11.30am Tommy Wasserman (Örebro) and Jennifer Knust (Boston), “The Significance of Liturgy in the Textual Transmission of the Pericope of the Adulteress.”**

12.15pm Lunch

*Session 7: The Text of the Gospels (Mark and John) (Woodbrooke)*

**2.30pm Jeff Cate (California), “The Living Text of Temple Replacement in Mark 13:2.”**

**3.00pm Hans Förster (Vienna), “Textual Observations on ‘the’ Law and ‘the’ Fathers in John 7.”**

3.30pm Tea

*Session 8: Recensions (Woodbrooke)*

**4.00pm Tommy Wasserman (Örebro), “Was There an Early Alexandrian Recension of the Living Text of the Gospels?”**

**4.30pm Ian Mills (North Carolina), “The Wrong Gospel Harmony. Against the Diatessaronic Character of the Dura Parchment.”**

**5.00pm Panel Discussion (David Parker)**

7.00pm Conference Dinner.

## Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> March

*IGNTP Versionists meeting (by invitation only)*

*Please note that this is a draft programme and all details may be subject to change.*