2025 Christian Doctrine programme for Tyndale Fellowship Conference

Study Group theme

The doctrine of creation

New explorations of a doctrine of creation have been forthcoming from scholars at the intersection of theology and other disciplines, from the tradition, and from approaches engaging matters of racial, social, and environmental justice. The Christian Doctrine study group will explore this subject in eleven papers from a range of perspectives within the broad evangelical tradition, including systematic theological approaches, exegetical and historical bases, and how a doctrine of creation relates to contemporary issues. With our annual Tyndale Lecture by Craig Bartholomew, we will also host a panel on Brian Brock's, *Joining Creation's Praise: A Theological Ethic of Creatureliness*.

Tyndale Fellowship Lecture: Tuesday 1 July, 13:30-15:00

First name and surname	Institution/location	Title	Abstract
Craig G. Bartholomew	The Kirby Laing Centre for Public Theology in Cambridge	TBD	TBD

Monday 30 June 2025			
Timings 16.00-18.30	First name and surname	Institution/location e.g. St Andrew's, UK or VU Amsterdam, Netherlands	Confirmed paper title
	Adam Morton	University of Nottingham, UK	"Creation as Truth and Promise in Luther's Genesis Lectures"
	Tony Lane	London School of Theology, UK	"Christian Theology and Extra-Terrestrial Intelligence"
	Zachary Ardern	Wellcome Sanger Institute, UK	'Natural theology in the light of deep time'

Tuesday 1 July 2025			
Timings 10.00-12.30	First name and surname	Institution/location e.g. St Andrew's, UK or VU Amsterdam, Netherlands	Confirmed paper title
	Lydia Jaeger	Institut Biblique de Nogent-sur-Marne, France	"The Cultural Mandate Between Creation and New Creation"
	Darren Sarisky	Australian Catholic University, Australia	"The Church in Creation: Ecclesiology's Need for Natural Theology in the Work of T. F. Torrance"
	Myk Habets	Laidlaw College, New Zealand	"Pro-Nicene Theology Re-examined: We believe in one God, the Father almighty, maker of heaven and earth, of all things visible and invisible"
17.00-18.30			
	Anthony Reddie	University of Oxford, UK	Book Panel: Brian Brock, Joining Creation's Praise: A Theological
	Rachel Muers	University of Edinburgh, UK	Ethic of Creatureliness (Baker 2025)
	Stephen Williams	Union Theological College, Belfast, UK	
	Brian Brock	University of Aberdeen, UK	

Wednesday 2 July 2025			
Timings 10.00-12.30	First name and surname	Institution/location e.g. St Andrew's, UK or VU Amsterdam, Netherlands	Confirmed paper title
	David Emerton	St Mellitus College, East Midlands	"The Otherness of the Other: Creaturely Sin and Ecclesial Salvation in a Bonhoefferian Key"

Luke Foster	Oak Hill College, London	"Creation and New Creation in the Theology of Gustavo Gutiérrez: Liberating the 'eschatological imagination'"
Jonah Horne	St Basil's Church, Devon	"The vitality of the doctrine of the <i>imago dei</i> in light of those who have committed sexual offences"
Jared Lovell	St Mellitus College, London	"On the Moral Ambiguity of Creatureliness: Creation Ex Nihilo as Change"
Jack Driver-Szekely	St Mellitus College, London	"Transformed into <i>an</i> image of Christ: Christological anthropology informed by disability theology"