

APOCALYPTIC THINKING

15 February 2021
Centre for the Study of the Bible
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Conference Organisers:

Hindy Najman – *Oriol and Laing Professor of the Interpretation of Holy Scripture*

Jenn Strawbridge – *Associate Professor in New Testament Studies*

Elizabeth Stell – *Postgraduate student Organiser*

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PROGRAMME OF EVENTS

Monday, 15 February, 2021

9:00 – 13:30

Morning Session

Chair: Jenn Strawbridge, Mansfield College, University of Oxford

9:00 – 9:45

Loren Stuckenbruck, LMU Munich

Rethinking Temporality Structures in Apocalyptic: Focusing on the Recent Past

9:45 – 10:30

Elizabeth Stell, Oriel College, University of Oxford

States of Dream, Vision, and Fear: An Exploration of Fear and Apocalyptic

10:30 – 11:15

Bruno Currie, Oriel College, University of Oxford

Hesiod's Apocalypse (Works and Days, lines 174-201)

11:15 – 11:30

Short Break

11:30 – 12:15

Philip Alexander, University of Manchester

The "World to Come" as a Postmortem Disembodied State v. the "World to Come" as a Post-Resurrection Embodied state at the End of History: A Conundrum of Apocalyptic Thinking

12:15 – 13:00

Mark Edwards, Christ Church College, University of Oxford

Where is the New Jerusalem?

13:00– 13:30

Long Break

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- 13:30- 16:30 **Afternoon Session**
Chair: Hindy Najman, Oriel College, University of Oxford
- 13:30 - 14:15 Olivia Stewart Lester, Loyola University
*"For there are all sorts of seasons...": Periodization, Eschatology, and Apocalyptic
Uncertainty in the Sibylline Oracles*
- 14:15 - 15:00 Judith Newman, Emmanuel College, University of Toronto
Overcoming Dualisms in the Study of Apocalyptic
- 15:00 - 15:45 Arjen Bakker, University of Groningen
Rethinking Wisdom and Apocalyptic
- 15:45- 16: 30 **Reflections and Responses**
Chair: Loren Stuckenbruck, LMU Munich
- John Collins, Yale University
Jenn Strawbridge, Mansfield College, University of Oxford
Hindy Najman, Oriel College, University of Oxford

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