

Address for sending applications:

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Sunday, September 23, 2018

09:00 Lecture by Mgr. Daniel Freitinger, Kaplice: How Did the Moravian Brethren Enrich the Europe and Humankind?

10:00 Worship service – in the Protestant church
Guided tour of the church with regard to the topic of the Moravians Brethren, climb of the church tower

12:30 Lunch
Coffee time, informal discussions
Visits of both museums

Please note, that there may be changes in the programme. In that case you will be notified about it in time at www.moravian.cz

We offer accommodation in the Poodří boarding-house in Suchdol n.O. near the museum. Send us your application, please, with your requirements regarding accommodation and board as soon as possible. It will help the organizers significantly. Do it **before September 11, 2018** at the address below:

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The conference fee is 200 CZK a day and 350 CZK for two or all three days. The coach trip is free of charge.

During registration you will obtain a folder with the programme and other materials. We are preparing 2 publications for printing. Translation into English, German, and Polish will be provided.

The presentations will keep in twenty minute limit. Their full versions will be published in conference proceedings.

Invitation to VIII. International Moravian Conference

Main Topic of the Conference:

How the Moravian Brethren Enriched the Countries and the Nations



The first Christians stemming from the mission work of the Moravians

**Other topics: Johann Teltschik – church planter
in England and Ireland**

275 years of mission work among the Mohicans

2017, 2018, 2019: Jubilees of the Moravians

Dear friends,
 During 21 – 23 September 2018 a conference will take place in Suchdol n. Odrou. Its aim is to present and review new historical facts about the Moravians in a series of lectures and paper presentations. The Moravians were emigrants who left northern Moravia – their fatherland – at the beginning of the 18th century. They re-established the Moravian Church (Unitas Fratrum) abroad and carried out mission work that left an indelible mark in the history of Moravia.

The Moravian National History Association in Suchdol n. Odrou prepares an interesting program for the days of the conference.

Partners of the conference:

The Moravian National History Association

The township of Suchdol n Odrou
 National District Archive in Nový Jičín
 Museum of Novojičínsko region
 Johannes-Mathesius-Gesellschaft
 Landschaftsrat der Heimatlandschaft Kuhländchen

**Czech-German fund of the future – financial cooperation
 Prof. Dr. Ulf Brossmann is foreign partner of this project.**



Suchdol n. Odrou belongs to the Moravian Silesian region. It has a railway station on the route from Přerov to Ostrava. Suchdol n. Odrou is situated in a triangle of three cities – Nový Jičín, Odry, and Fulnek. The conference will take place in the Cultural Club building near sports stadium and two museums (about 10 minutes from the train station).

Program of the conference:

Friday, September 21, 2018

09:00 Registration of conference participants
10:00 Welcome ceremony in the Cultural Club in the civic centre

Lecture on the topics of the conference

- Loraine Parsons, London: Johann Teltschik (1696–1764), church planter in England
- Prof. Dr. Ulf Brossmann, Munich: Georg Kunz, eine tragische Gestalt unter den Mährischen Brüdern

- Dr. Peter Morée, Protestant Theol. Faculty in Prague: Centenary of the Czech Statehood
- David Loula, Heřmanův Městec: Centuries-old Roo
- 12:10** Lunch
- Opening day of six exhibitions
- Mgr. Ondřej Srba, Masaryk University, Brno: Brethrens´ Translations of Texts into Kalmyk and Other Languages
- Rafael David, Velká Bíteš: Josef Kučera (1741–1817), a Moravian Brother from Bohemia
- Pavel Neústupný, Berlin: Mission of the Moravian Brethren in Livonia
- Martin Pytr, genealogist, Mořkov: The Neisser Clan
- Unveiling of memorial plaques in The Park of the Moravian Brethren
- Planting the trees from Herrnhut and Dublin

17:45 Worship Service in the Forest Church of Schneider

18:30 Dinner

Panel discussion – an opportunity to present one´s own activities

Saturday, September 22, 2018

09:00 Performance of Skřivánek Children´s Choir

- Rev.Sarah Groves, Northern Ireland: Johann Teltschik in Ireland
- Prof. Dr. Ulf Brossmann Ulf, Munich: Missionar Wenzel Weber und die Schicksahlsjahr auf St.Croix
- Horst Schinzel, cert. psychogerontologist, Munich: 275 years of mission work among the Mohicans
- Daniel Řičan, Suchdol n.O.: Expedition to the Moravian Mohicans in Connecticut

11:30 Lunch

- Dr. Edita Štěřříková: Rosina Nitschmann, née Leimgrübner (1719–1761), 300th anniversary
- Dr. Edita Štěřříková: Marie Kateřina Jelínková (1717–93), 300th anniversary
- Mgr. Eva Krumplovičová, Paskov: Daniel Neisser (1765–1817), Missionary in the Carribean
- Helena, Věra, and Kateřina, Brno: Account of the Via exulantis 2018 Journey:
- Mgr. Monika Kurková, Liberec: How Moravian Brethren enriched the countries and nations

15:20 Evaluation of the conference and closing ceremony.

15:30 Coach excursion to Kravaře region: Hodslavice, Ženklava

18:30 Dinner

Conference Form:

Title first name surname:

Address:

Tel:

E-mail:

	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Breakfast	yes/no	yes/no	yes/no
Lunch	yes/no	yes/no	yes/no
Dinner	yes/no	yes/no	yes/no
Accommodation	yes/no	yes/no	yes/no
Coach excursion		yes/no	

If you order accommodation and meals for more participants, state all the information and your requirements, clearly and exactly, please. Thank you!