

International Mission Partnership Consultation

26 – 30 August 2024, Cultural Centre Sofia, Helsinki

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Time	Monday 26 August	Time	Tuesday 27 August	Time	Wednesday 28 August	Time	Thursday 29 August	Time	Friday 30 August
7.00		7.00	Breakfast at the hotel from 7.00 (Sofia 7.30)	7.00	Breakfast at the hotel from 7.00 (Sofia 7.30)	7.00	Breakfast at the hotel from 7.00 (Sofia 7.30)	7.00	
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8.30		8.30	Sofia Auditorium	8.30	Sofia Chapel or by the Baltic sea	8.30	Sofia Auditorium	8.30	Breakfast & departures
8.45		8.45	Morning prayer	8.45	Morning prayer (orthodox)	8.45	Morning prayer	8.45	
9.00		9.00		9.00		9.00		9.00	
9.15		9.15	9.15-10.30 at Sofia Auditorium	9.15	9.15-10.30 at Sofia Auditorium	9.15	9.15-10.30 at Sofia Auditorium	9.15	
9.30		9.30	Plenary	9.30	Plenary	9.30	Plenary	9.30	
9.45		9.45	Church in Changing Landscapes	9.45	Creation in Changing Landscapes	9.45	Society & Church - Changing landscapes	9.45	
10.00		10.00		10.00		10.00		10.00	
10.15		10.15		10.15		10.15		10.15	
10.30		10.30	Sofia Lobby	10.30	Sofia Lobby	10.30	Sofia Lobby	10.30	
10.45		10.45	Coffee break	10.45	Coffee break	10.45	Coffee break	10.45	
11.00		11.00	11-12.15 at Sofia Auditorium	11.00	11-12.15 at Sofia Auditorium	11.00	11-12.15 at Sofia Auditorium	11.00	
11.15		11.15	Panel	11.15	Panel	11.15	Panel	11.15	
11.30		11.30	Mission in Changing Landscapes	11.30	Creation in Changing Landscapes	11.30	Society and Church – Changing Landscapes	11.30	
11.45		11.45		11.45		11.45		11.45	
12.00		12.00		12.00		12.00		12.00	
12.15	Sofia Lobby	12.15	Mid-day prayer	12.15	Mid-day prayer	12.15	Mid-day prayer	12.15	
12.30	Arrivals & Registration	12.30		12.30		12.30		12.30	
12.45		12.45	Sofia restaurant Xenia	12.45	Sofia restaurant Xenia	12.45	Sofia restaurant Xenia	12.45	
13.00		13.00	Lunch	13.00	Lunch	13.00	Lunch	13.00	
13.15		13.15		13.15		13.15		13.15	
13.30		13.30		13.30		13.30		13.30	
13.45	Coffee & Snacks	13.45		13.45		13.45		13.45	
14.00	13.30 onwards at the Lobby	14.00		14.00		14.00		14.00	
14.15		14.15	Workshops	14.15	Workshops	14.15	Workshops	14.15	
14.30	14.30-15.30 at Sofia Auditorium	14.30	Peace and reconciliation (FCA)	14.30	Migration and Displaced People (FLOM)	14.30	Finnish Lutheran Mission agency in partnership (FLM)	14.30	
14.45	Introduction and welcome	14.45	Truth and Trauma (FELM)	14.45	Disability inclusion (FELM)	14.45	Innovative Media Tools in Mission and Church Work (Sansa)	14.45	
15.00		15.00	Forgiveness and reconciliation (FLOM)	15.00	Bible, Peace and Reconciliation in The Holy Land (FBS)	15.00	From Mission Church to Church with a Mission (LEAF, ELY, SLEAF)	15.00	
15.15		15.15		15.15		15.15		15.15	
15.30	15.30 Bus to Vuosaari Church	15.30		15.30		15.30	15-16 at Sofia Auditorium	15.30	
15.45		15.45		15.45		15.45	Concluding plenary	15.45	
16.00		16.00	Coffee break	16.00	Break	16.00	The Future of Mission	16.00	
16.15	Vuosaari Church	16.15		16.15		16.15	Coffee break	16.15	
16.30	Opening service	16.30	Optional cultural activities	16.30	16.30 Bus to Helsinki city centre	16.30		16.30	
16.45		16.45		16.45		16.45	16.30 Bus to Ostersundom Church	16.45	
17.00		17.00		17.00	Helsinki Cathedral	17.00	Ostersundom Church	17.00	
17.15		17.15		17.15	Prayer, snacks & group photo	17.15	Closing Service	17.15	
17.30	17.30 Bus to Sofia	17.30		17.30		17.30		17.30	
17.45		17.45		17.45		17.45		17.45	
18.00		18.00	18-18.45 Sofia Auditorium	18.00	Helsinki	18.00		18.00	
18.15	Sofia Restaurant Xenia	18.15	Music: Make Perttilä & Group	18.15	Free time in the city centre	18.15		18.15	
18.30	Dinner	18.30	Evening prayer in Sofia Auditorium	18.30		18.30	18.30 Bus to Sofia	18.30	
18.45		18.45		18.45		18.45		18.45	
19.00	Sofia Lobby	19.00		19.00		19.00		19.00	
19.15	Reception by Sofia Cultural Centre & Socialising	19.15	Sofia Restaurant Xenia	19.15		19.15		19.15	
19.30		19.30	Dinner	19.30	19.30 Bus to Sofia from Helsinki Cathedral	19.30		19.30	
19.45		19.45		19.45		19.45		19.45	
20.00		20.00	By the Baltic sea	20.00		20.00		20.00	
20.15		20.15	Sauna & swimming (optional)	20.15		20.15		20.15	
20.30		20.30		20.30		20.30		20.30	
20.45		20.45		20.45		20.45		20.45	
21.00		21.00		21.00		21.00		21.00	



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Your Will Be Done - Church and Mission in Changing Landscapes

Provisional detailed daily schedule

MONDAY 26 August

Time	Programme	Place
12-14	Arrivals & Registration	Sofia Lobby
13.30-14.30	Coffee & Snacks	Sofia Lobby
14.30-15.30	Introduction & Welcome	Sofia Auditorium
15.30	Bus to Vuosaari Church	Sofia main entrance
16-17.30	Opening Service	Vuosaari Church
17.30	Bus to Sofia	Outside the church
18-19	Dinner	Sofia Restaurant Xenia
19-	Reception by Sofia Cultural Centre & Socialising	Sofia Lobby

TUESDAY 27 August - Your will be done

Time	Programme	Place
8.30-9.15	Morning prayer	Sofia Auditorium
9.15-10.30	Plenary: Church in Changing Landscapes <i>Keynote Rev. Prof. Dr. Jerry Pillay</i> <i>Comment Bishop Teemu Laajasalo</i>	Sofia Auditorium
10.30-11	Coffee break	Sofia Lobby
11-12.15	Panel: Mission in Changing Landscapes <i>Rev. Prof. Dr. Jerry Pillay, Rev. Selma Chen, Dr. Rosalee Velloso Ewell, moderated by Rev. Johanna Björkholm-Kallio</i>	Sofia Auditorium
12.15	Mid-day prayer	Sofia Auditorium
12.30-14	Lunch break	Sofia Restaurant Xenia
14-16	Workshops Peace and reconciliation (FCA) Truth and Trauma (FELM) Forgiveness and reconciliation (FLOM)	TBC TBC TBC
16-16.30	Coffee break	
16.30	Optional cultural activities	TBC
18-19	Music: Make Perttilä & Group and Evening Prayer	Sofia Auditorium
19-20	Dinner	Sofia Restaurant Xenia
20-	Sauna & Swimming (optional)	Sauna and swimming in the sea



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WEDNESDAY 28 August - Give us our daily bread

Time	Programme	Place
8.30-9.15	Morning prayer (orthodox)	Sofia Chapel or by the Baltic Sea
9.15-10.30	Plenary: Creation in Changing Landscapes <i>Keynote Rev. Dr. Kuzipa Nalwamba</i> <i>Comment Rev. Martin Lalthangliana</i>	Sofia Auditorium
10.30-11	Coffee break	Sofia Lobby
11-12.15	Panel: Creation in Changing Landscapes <i>Ms. Riina Nguyen, Rev. Dr. Kuzipa Nalwamba, bishop Sani-Ibrahim Azar, moderated by Rev. Vesa Häkkinen</i>	Sofia Auditorium
12.15	Mid-day prayer	Sofia Auditorium
12.30-14	Lunch break	Sofia Restaurant Xenia
14-16	Workshops Migration and Displaced People (FLOM) Disability inclusion (FELM) Bible, Peace and Reconciliation in The Holy Land (FIBS)	TBC TBC TBC
16-16.30	Break	
16.30	Bus to Helsinki city centre	Sofia Main Entrance
17-18.15	Visit to Helsinki Cathedral, prayer, group photo	Helsinki Cathedral
18.15-19.30	Free time in the city centre	Helsinki
19.30	Bus to Sofia	Helsinki Cathedral
20-	Dinner	Sofia Restaurant Xenia

THURSDAY 29 August - Forgive us our trespasses (Thursdays in Black)

Time	Programme	Place
8.30-9.15	Morning prayer	Sofia Chapel
9.15-10.30	Plenary: Church and Society – Changing Landscapes <i>Keynote Rev. Dr. Anne Burghardt</i> <i>Comment Bishop Kaisamari Hintikka</i>	Sofia Auditorium
10.30-11	Coffee break	Sofia Lobby
11-12.15	Panel: Society and Church – Changing Landscapes <i>Rev. Dr. Anne Burghardt, Rev. Frank-Dieter Fischbach, Rev. Dr. Yonas Yigezu, moderated by Rev. Laura Huovinen</i>	Sofia Auditorium
12.15	Mid-day prayer	Sofia Auditorium
12.30-14	Lunch break	Sofia Restaurant Xenia
14-15	Workshops From Mission Church to Church with a Mission: Global Cooperation in Mission (LEAF, ELY, SLEAF) Finnish Lutheran Mission agency in partnership (FLM) Innovative Media Tools in Mission and Church Work (Sansa)	
15-16	Concluding Panel: The Future of Mission <i>Whitney Gerdes, bishop Alex Malasusa, moderated by Rev. Dr. Risto Jukka</i>	Sofia Auditorium
16-16.30	Coffee break	
16.30	Bus to Östersundom Church	Sofia Main Entrance
17-18.30	Closing Service	Östersundom Church
18.30	Bus to Sofia	Outside the church
19-	Closing dinner & Thanksgiving	Sofia Restaurant Xenia



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FRIDAY 30 August

Time	Programme
7 –	Breakfast & departures