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A Centenary Conference

Dietrich Bonhoeffer for Our Times

Jewish and Christian Perspectives



SEPTEMBER 17-18, 2006

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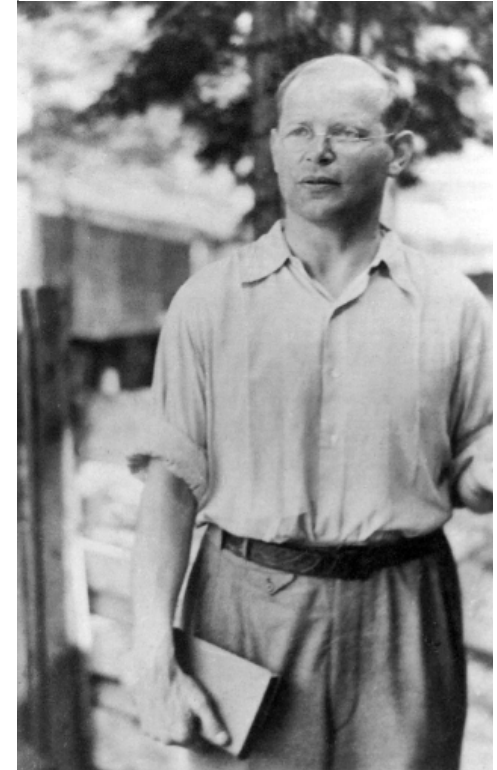
United States Holocaust Memorial Museum

Hebrew College

Andover-Newton Theological School

Dietrich Bonhoeffer (1906-1945) has become an icon of resistance and moral courage. As a pastor and teacher, he was one of the earliest Protestants to speak out against Nazism and summon his church to oppose it. As a resistance figure executed for his role in the conspiracy against the Nazi regime, his prison writings later inspired Christians throughout the world.

What is Bonhoeffer's legacy for the Jewish-Christian relationship today? His record of political opposition to Nazism is clear. Does his contribution to Christian ethical reflection and activism have implications for non-Christians? What is Bonhoeffer's place as a theological and political figure in the legacy of the Holocaust? In this conference, Catholic, Jewish, and Protestant scholars will reflect on his witness and its legacy for our times.



DIETRICH BONHOEFFER FOR OUR TIMES

Sunday, September 17

Hebrew College: Berenson Hall

3:00 pm

WELCOME

WHO WAS DIETRICH BONHOEFFER?

3:30 pm

BONHOEFFER'S CONTEXT:

THE CHURCHES' RESPONSES TO NAZISM

Donald Dietrich, Boston College

Matthew Hockenos, Skidmore College

Marc Krell, University of California, Riverside

Moderator:

Rodney Petersen, Boston Theological Institute

5:30 - 6:30 Light kosher supper

At Andover Newton Theological School: Stoddard Hall

7:00 - 9:00 pm

BONHOEFFER, THE JEWISH PEOPLE, AND
POST-HOLOCAUST THEOLOGY

Victoria Barnett, United States

Holocaust Memorial Museum

Stephen Haynes, Rhodes College

Moderator/Responder:

Shai Held, Jewish Theological Seminary

Monday, September 18

Boston College: Walsh Function Room

2:30 P.M.

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3:00 P.M.

*An interactive session especially designed for local
students, faculty, educators, and religious leaders.
Limit 100 persons.*

FORMATION OF THE RELIGIOUS

CONSCIENCE AFTER THE SHOAH:

BONHOEFFER'S SPIRITUALITY FOR TODAY

Lisa Dahill, Trinity Lutheran Seminary

Shai Held, Jewish Theological Seminary

Stephen Pope, Boston College

Moderator: Victoria Barnett, USHMM

5:30 - 6:30 pm Light kosher supper.

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"COSTLY DISCIPLESHIP" & CONTEMPORARY
CULTURE: BONHOEFFER AS A MODEL FOR
RELIGIOUS ACTIVISM

Or Rose, Hebrew College

David Gushee, Union University

James Bernauer, Boston College

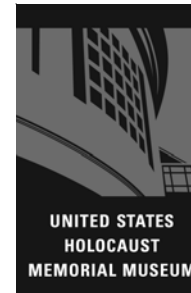
Moderator/Commentator:

Clifford Green, Bonhoeffer Works Project



For directions and
parking information please go to:

www.bc.edu/bonhoeffer



Registration

DUE: FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2006

By Mail: To the address provided below
(or) By Email: To cjlearning@bc.edu

Provide the following information:

Name _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Phone _____ E-mail: _____

REGISTRATION FEE: *(Check One)*

For both days: \$15.00 (includes meals)

Sun. Sept. 17 only: \$10. (w light kosher meal)

Mon. Sept. 18 only: \$10. (w light kosher meal)

For STUDENTS there is no fee for Monday's
program, but **registration is required.**

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