

## Program

### Wednesday 23 November

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Arrival and registration

### Thursday 24 November

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- 8.00 Eucharistic Celebration
- 9.15 Greeting to participants and introductory remarks  
**The question about God in the Magisterium of Benedict XVI**  
*Cardinal Stanisław Ryłko*
- 9.45 LECTURE  
**Faith and unbelief in today's world** *Sergio Belardinelli*
- 10.30 Break
- 11.00 Remarks from the floor
- 13.30 Lunch
- 15.30 LECTURE  
**The search for God: between reason and faith** *Luca Tuninetti*  
Remarks from the floor
- 16.30 Break
- 17.00 LECTURE  
**"I believe in one God": the God of Christianity, the faith of the Church**  
*Bishop Luis Ladaria*
- 17.45 Remarks from the floor
- 19.30 Vespers
- 20.00 Dinner

### Friday 25 November

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- 8.00 Morning Prayer
- 8.30 PERSONAL TESTIMONIES  
**God in the ordinary life of Christians: who is God for you?**  
*Anne Moens, Alessandro Tramontano, Marco Bersanelli*  
Remarks from the floor
- 10.30 Break
- 10.30 Departure for the Vatican
- 12.00 **Papal Audience**

- 13.30 Lunch
- 15.30 TESTIMONIES  
**"God": a book that became a best-seller** *Manfred Lütz*  
Remarks from the floor
- 16.30 Break
- 17.00 PANEL  
**Today's 'Courtyard of the Gentiles': responding to this request of the Holy Father** *Giancarlo Cesana and Giuliano Ferrara*  
Remarks from the floor
- 19.00 Eucharistic Celebration

### Saturday 26 November

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- 8.00 Morning Prayer
- 8.30 LECTURE  
**How to speak about God today** *Fabrice Hadjadj*
- 9.15 Remarks from the floor
- 10.30 Break
- 11.00 LECTURE  
**Lessons can we learn from the great converts of our time**  
*Andrea Riccardi*  
Remarks from the floor
- 13.30 Festive lunch
- 15.30 **Program review and future plans of the Pontifical Council for the Laity**  
*Bishop Josef Clemens*
- 16.15 Break
- 16.45 Debate and Concluding remarks
- 19.00 Eucharistic Celebration
- 20.00 Dinner

### Sunday 27 November

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Departure



**PONTIFICAL COUNCIL FOR THE LAITY**

**XXV Plenary Assembly**

**The Question of God Today**

**“Shouldn’t we make a fresh start  
with God?”**

**(Benedict XVI, *Light of the World*)**

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