



THE ORTHODOX CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION OF MEDICINE, PSYCHOLOGY, AND RELIGION

WORKSHOP PRESENTATIONS

“Compliance and Resistance: Discerning the Spirit”

November 8 – 10, 2018

Ukrainian Cultural Center, Somerset, NJ

Present to God, Present to Self, Present to the Other: Empathy and Self-Empathy, *Joel Klepac, MA, LMFT*, Counselor, Centre College Counseling Services, Danville, KY.

Medical Missions in Africa and How Missionaries Become Resilient, *Cheryl Johnson, MD*, Adult Hospitalist, Cape Coral Hospital, Fort Myers, FL, and *Geoff Whiteman, MFTA, ThM*, OCMC Mission Specialist (Missionary Care), Wilmore, KY.

Discerning the Spirit by Challenging Our Cognitions, *Albert Rossi, PhD*, Licensed Psychologist, Director of Counseling and Psychological Services, St. Vladimir’s Seminary, Yonkers, NY.

Moshe and Maria’s Journey to God: Discerning Common Spirit Within an Orthodox Christian and an Orthodox Jewish Therapeutic Relationship, *Maria Scaros, MA, MEd, LCAT, BCCC, BCPC*, Executive Director, The Greens at Greenwich (assisted living facility), Greenwich, CT.

Transforming "To Be or Not to Be:" An Exploration of the Relationship Between Pain & Suffering to Compliance & Resistance, *Steven-John M. Harris, PhD*, Licensed Psychologist, Private Practice, Newport Beach, CA.

Desire and Worship in the Therapeutic Relationship, *Georgian Mustata, MD*, Assistant Professor, Department of Psychiatry, SUNY Upstate Medical University, Syracuse, NY.

Occupational Therapy in a Forensic Psychiatric Hospital: Using an Orthodox Christian Lens to Understand Compliance and Resistance, *Sandy Everett, MS, ThM candidate, OTR/L*, Occupational Therapist, Ann Klein Forensic Center, Trenton, NJ.

Compliance and Resistance in Spiritual Guidance and Professional Counseling of Homosexual and Transgender Persons, *Fr. Vasileios Thermos, MD, PhD*, Psychiatrist in private practice and Associate Professor at Athens Ecclesiastical Academy, GREECE.

Spiritual Exile as a Path to Discernment, *Mena Mesiha, MD*, Board Certified in Orthopaedic Surgery, PrimaCARE Medical Center, Fall River, MA.

Resistance and Compliance in Medical Care: The “Dax” Case, *Tom Rosvanis, MD*, Suburban Urologic Associates, Pittsburgh, PA, and *Tom Miller, MD*, Hospice and Community Care, Lancaster, PA.

Whatever Happened to Sts Cosmas and Damian? Reflection on the Well-being of Caregivers and Patients and Sustaining the Healing Partnership under the Increasing Demands of Corporate Interests, *Dn. Stephen Muse, PhD, LMFT, CCMHC*, Director of Education and Training and Clergy-in-Kairos Program, Pastoral Institute, Columbus, GA.

This Kind Does Not Come Out But by Prayers and Fasting, *Fotini Lazaridou Birbilis, MA*, Private Practice; *Nicholas Birbilis, MDiv*, OCMC Marketing Coordinator, and *Fr. Christodoulos Papadeas*, The Monastic Brotherhood of St. George, Denver, CO.

Dissociative Identity Disorder: A Source of Resistance in Psychotherapy, *Susan Hansen-Engelhard, MA, LMHC*, Private Practice, Perspectives Counseling and Consulting, Orlando, FL.

True Self and the Healing Presence: Christ as the Healer's Archetype in Spiritual Interventions using Internal Family System and Psychosynthesis, *Ioana Popa, MD*, Psychiatrist in Private Practice, Newton Highlands, MA, and Counselor and Adjunct Assistant Professor, Hellenic College Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology, Brookline, MA.

I Walk the Line: The Chaplain's Resistant and Compliant Presence, *Fr. Adrian Budica, ThM, ACPE, BCC*, Director of Field Education, St. Vladimir's Orthodox Theological Seminary, Crestwood, NJ, and *Sarah Byrne-Martelli, MDiv, DMin candidate, BCC*, Chaplain, Massachusetts General Hospital, Boston, MA.

Continuing Bonds: An Overview and Exploration of an Individual's Ongoing Relationship to the Deceased, *Leigh-Ann Theophilos, MA, PsyD candidate, LADC, RYT*, Advanced Practicum Student, Cashman Center, Minneapolis, MN, *Daryl Holloway, MA, LADC, PsyD candidate*, Advanced Practicum Student, University of Minnesota College Counseling Center, Minneapolis, MN, and *Dean Theophilos, MA, Counselor, NUWAY Inc.*, St. Paul, MN.

Silence Isn't Golden: Meeting the Spiritual Needs of Individuals who Cannot Talk, *Katya Hill, PhD, CCC-SLP*, Associate Professor, School of Health and Rehabilitation Sciences, University of Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, PA, *Fr. Joseph Gall, MDiv*, Assistant Pastor, Holy Transfiguration Orthodox Chapel, Princeton University, Princeton, NJ, and *Fr. Daniel Mathewson, MDiv*, Rector, Saints Peter and Paul Orthodox Church, Crossingville, PA.

Understanding the 12 Steps and their Christian Roots, *Dean Theophilos, MA, LADC, LPCC, DBT*, Counselor, NUWAY Inc., St. Paul, MN.

Can't Stop the Feeling (any more) – Compliance, Resistance and The Use of Self from an Orthodox and Jungian perspective, *Pia Chaudhari, PhD*, Analyst-in-training, Jungian Psychoanalytic Association, New York, NY, *Fr. Adrian Budica, ThM, BCC, ACPE*, Director of Field Education, St. Vladimir Orthodox Seminary, Crestwood, NY, *Michael Monhart, MA, STM*, Analyst-in-training, Jungian Psychoanalytic Association, New York, NY and *Fr. Sean Levine, MDiv, MS*, Chaplain (Major) US.Army, Fort Belvoir, VA.

The Mission and Ministry of IOCC Frontline Ministries, *Dan Christopoulos, MDiv, MSW*, US Country Representative, International Orthodox Christian Charities, Baltimore, MD.