



Hrvatska dominikanska provincija
Navještenja Bl. Djevice Marije

Zagreb, 2nd December 2014

To the Provincials, Regents of Studies and Masters of Students:

Dear Brothers,

First of all, I would like to express gratitude to those provinces whose members participated in the 17th Study Week 2014. We had around forty participants who enjoyed common life, brotherhood, liturgy, study and relaxation as you have probably seen on the website of the Order. We continue this project which can help our brothers and friends to deepen both, fraternal and spiritual life and intellectual perspectives. Thank you also for suggestions you made at the end of the Week in terms of content, possible topics of interest and organisation.

The *Croatian Dominican Province* is also organizing the next **18th Study Week** for the members of the European Provinces who are in formation. The *Study Week* will take place from 23rd to 30th August 2015 in Trogir, Croatia, and the main topic is going to be:

Human Curiosity and Knowledge and Christ's Acquired Knowledge

Speakers include: **Simon Gainé, OP (Blackfriars Hall, Oxford)**, **Paweł Klimczak, OP (Krakow)**, **Ralph Weir (University of Oxford)**, **Mikolaj Slawkowski Rode (Institute of Philosophy, Warsaw)**

The official languages of the *Week* are English, French, and Croatian. We cordially invite and encourage our brothers from all the European Provinces to participate in this project. Your arrival in Trogir is expected to be on Sunday, 23rd August 2015 by 6pm and your departure is scheduled for the afternoon (after lunch) of Sunday, 30th August 2015. We also advise you to make your travel arrangements to Split (plane ticket reservations etc.) as soon as possible. We request that you send your application(s) by e-mail, to us by **10th April 2015** (please do not wait for the deadline if you are sure about coming) to regens@dominikanci.hr (entitled either 'for the Study Week' or 'for the Conference' or 'for the Study Week and the Conference'). The detailed programme for the *Week* and the *Conference*, which will include more information, will be published on the blog/website of the project we are going to set up.

Equally, we would like to include participants in organising the liturgy for the *Week* in order to include a diversity of different cultures and languages – we are happy to accept your propositions. However, the *Liturgia Horarum* will be celebrated in Latin.

The cost per person will be €430 for the participation in the Study Week and €200 for the conference (the Call for papers has already been sent as you can read on <http://www.op.org/en/content/call-conference-papers-belief-curiosity-knowledge-and-cognition> - we encourage you to participate actively in the conference). However, those who participate in the Week and also wish to participate in the conference, are not required to pay additional fees i.e. €200 (please indicate if you encounter financial difficulties).

Yours in Christ and in Saint Dominic,

Fr. Srećko Koralija OP,
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Croatian Dominican Province,
Moderator of the *Study Week*