

Catholic Forum

Transmission and Development of Catholic Faith

- Retrospecting Macao Chinese Lay Communities in the 20th Century

In collaboration with the Macao Polytechnic Institute, the Catholic Diocese of Macao will be launching a two-day Catholic forum at the Macao Polytechnic Institute on September 26-27, 2014. The forum, entitled “**Transmission and Development of Catholic Faith - Retrospecting Macao Chinese Lay Community in the 20th Century**”, examines the efforts contributed by aforementioned communities in three major areas of concern: ‘Pastoral Care’, ‘Charity Work’ and ‘Education’.

In addition to academic presentations by scholars from Macao and Hong Kong, the forum also conducts open-floor discussions to encourage exchange between interested parties both within and outside the Church.

The opening ceremony and an exhibition with the same title will be held at Macao Polytechnic Institute at 9:30am on September 26. Below is the time-table of the forum on September 26-27 (English simultaneous interpretation is available upon request). Free copies of brochure and papers of the forum are available, while supplies last.

September 26, 2014		
09:30 – 11:00	Opening Ceremony	MPI Auditorium
11:00 – 12:45	Keynote speech	MPI Auditorium
14:30 – 17:30	Forum 1 – Pastoral Care	Lecture Theatre 1 Wui Chi Building
September 27, 2014		
09:30 – 12:30	Forum 2 – Charity Work	Lecture Theatre 1 Wui Chi Building
14:30 – 17:30	Forum 3 – Education	Lecture Theatre 1 Wui Chi Building
17:30 – 18:00	Conclusion	Lecture Theatre 1 Wui Chi Building