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 & SEND REGISTRATION TO:

## CONTACT US

*(please contact us with any questions about the conference and/or if you need financial help to attend.)*

### Hospitality Co-ordinator

Ellen Dearden

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*Ellen can arrange a pickup @ Cranbrook airport*

### Fr Andrew Applegate

Priest at St. Aidan's Orthodox Mission.

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Praise Him Sun and Moon; Praise Him you  
 waters above the heavens; Praise the Lord from  
 the earth, You great sea creatures and all the  
 depths; Fire and hail, snow and clouds; stormy  
 wind fulfilling His word; Mountains and all hills;  
 Fruitful trees and all cedars; Beasts and all cattle;  
 Creeping things and flying fowl...

Praise the Lord

Psalm 148/9

## THE CONFERENCE VENUE

Beautiful Royal Alexandra Hall at the  
 Museum of History and Train Museum  
 in Cranbrook BC (57 Van Horne St.)  
[cranbrookhistorycentre.com](http://cranbrookhistorycentre.com)



## THE CONFERENCE CITY

Cranbrook is nestled in the Rockies and  
 offers world-class hiking, biking, lakes  
 and rivers, fishing, hunting, hot springs,  
 golfing, and more!  
[hellobc.com/cranbrook/things-to-do.aspx](http://hellobc.com/cranbrook/things-to-do.aspx)



# HEALING

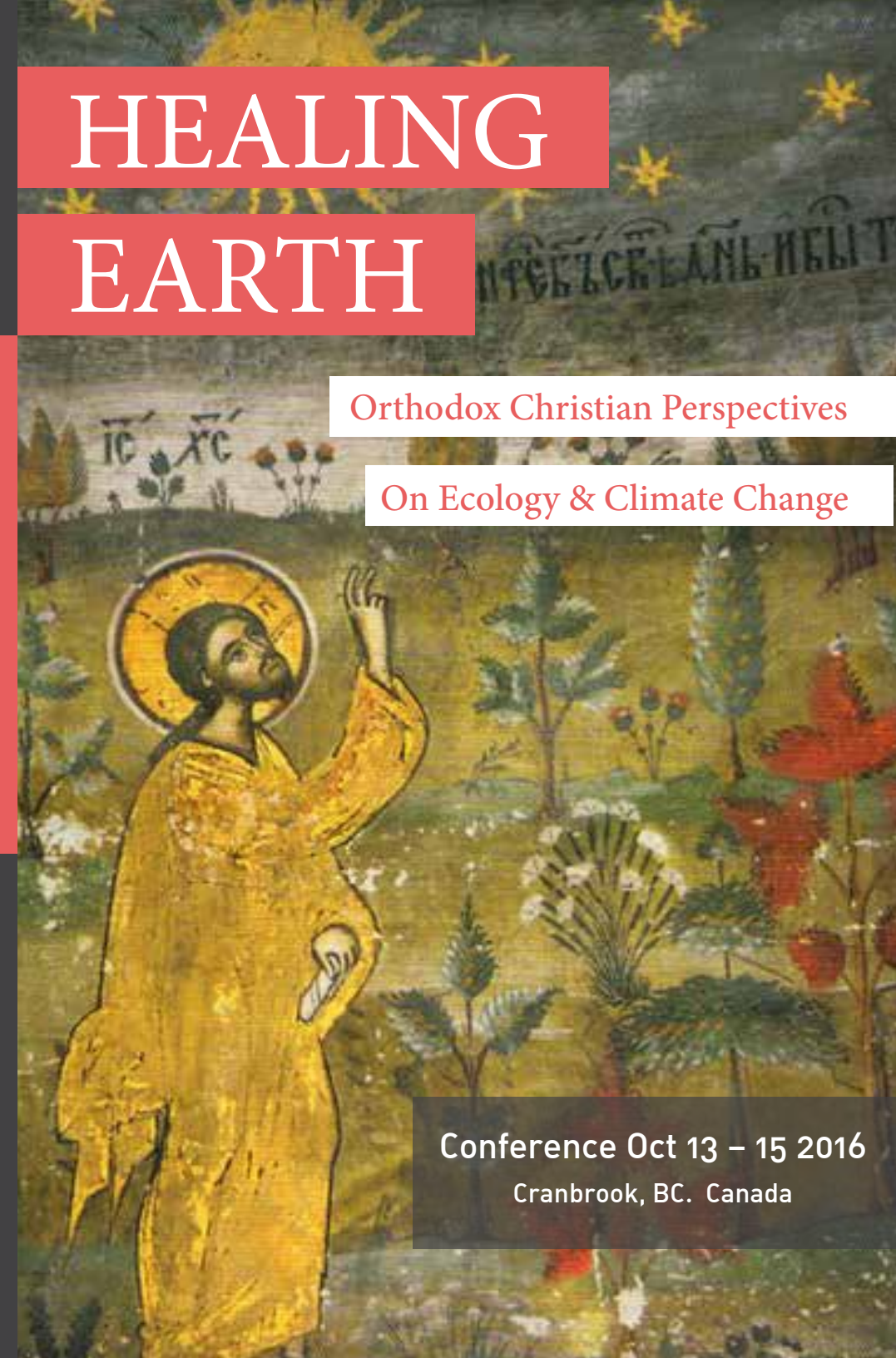
# EARTH

Orthodox Christian Perspectives

On Ecology & Climate Change

Conference Oct 13 – 15 2016

Cranbrook, BC. Canada





## Conference Themes Include:

Discovering God's presence in all cultures

Discovering God through Beauty

Listening to creation – Christ as revealed through creation.

Discovering the voice of nature

Seeing nature through the timeless wisdom of the elders

Faith and hope in the age of Climate Change

Resource conservation and the Christian faith

Love as the guiding principal for all change and adaptation

Rewilding the heart

“Spiritual ecology calls us to dismantle the powerful defense mechanisms we have developed against our impulse to listen to the sacred in our world. Awe and mystery are so vital to the human experience of the natural world that without them we are doomed to treat nature as little more than a resource, a science or a playground for recreation alone.”

### Kaleeg Hainsworth (An Altar in the Wilderness)



## SPEAKERS



### Father Michael Oleksa ~ fatheroleksa.org

Orthodox Priest, Elder (*Alaskan Federation of Natives*), author, educator. He is a widely known speaker presenting from both the perspective of Orthodox Christianity and as an expert on cross-cultural communications. Fr Michael is also well-known for his widely acclaimed four-part PBS series & for his four books: *Alaska Missionary Spirituality* | *Orthodox Alaska* | *Another Culture/Another World* | *Conflicting Landscapes*



### Kaleeg Hainsworth ~ kaleeg.com

Author, speaker, poet, and back-country educator, founding rector of All Saints Orthodox Church, St Maria of Paris Outreach Center, All Saints of NA Youth Camp, The Group of Twelve. Kaleeg is the author of the popular *An Altar in the Wilderness* - a study in spiritual ecology.



### Mark Sandford ~ elijahhouse.org

Spiritual Director of “Elijah House Intl” a multinational Counsellor training organization. Mark co-authored (with his father John Sandford) the book “Healing the Earth”



### Fr Nilos Nellis ~ stjohninthewilderness.ca

Priest, philosopher of the wilderness, & Orthodox environmental educator at St. John in the Wilderness Orthodox Sanctuary, near Kaslo BC.

### Special Guest Musicians/recording artists:

Jeremy and Sheree Eisenhauer ~ theeisenhauers.com

## SCHEDULE

### Thurs Oct 13th

5 pm ~ Early Registration

6 pm ~ Opening Prayers, *FREE PUBLIC LECTURES & PANEL*

*DISCUSSION* by all three speakers & open Q & A session

### Friday Oct 14th

8:00 am ~ Continental breakfast

9:00 ~ Fr. Michael Oleska

10:30 ~ Coffee Break

10:45 ~ Kaleeg Hainsworth

12:30 ~ Catered Lunch

1:30 pm ~ Fr. Michael Oleska

3:00 ~ Coffee Break

3:15 ~ Mark Sandford

5:00 ~ Vespers

### Saturday Oct 15th

8:00 am ~ Continental breakfast

9:00 ~ Fr. Michael Oleksa

10:30 ~ Coffee Break

10:45 ~ Mark Sandford

12:15 ~ Catered Lunch

1:15 pm ~ Fr. Michael Oleksa

2:45 ~ Coffee Break

3:00 ~ Kaleeg and Fr. Nilos

4:45 ~ Q & A Panel

5:45 ~ Vespers

### Sunday @St. Aidan's

10:10 am ~ Hours

10:30 ~ Divine Liturgy

## ACCOMODATIONS

(Ask for St. Aidan conference rate)

### Sandman

(250) 426-4236 (walking distance)

\$79/night

### Prestige Rocky Mtn. Resort

250.417.0444 (walking distance)

\$119/night

### Best Western

250/417-4002 (driving distance)

\$119/night

## CONFERENCE FEES

(includes breakfast and lunch)

Before Sept 10 ~ \$120 CAD

After Sept 10 ~ \$160CAD

½ day ~ \$50CAD

1 day ~ \$90CAD

### Register online at:

Saint Aidan.ca/register

Or send registration to:

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CONFERENCE REGISTRATION or ONLINE @ [saintaidan.ca/register](mailto:saintaidan.ca/register)

Name

Address

Email

Phone

Please register me for:

Whole conference (\$120 / \$160)

½ day (\$50)  1 day (\$90)

Please indicate which day:  Fri  Sat  
Includes continental breakfast and catered lunch

I would like to provide a sponsorship for someone who can't afford to attend