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“Creating a future together – How will we be prophetic?”



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**Tuesday 20th June to
Thursday 22nd June 2017**

Speakers:

Sr Mary Sujita snc and Rev Christopher Monaghan cp

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SISTER MARY SUJITA, SND

Sister Mary Sujita, SND, is a member of the Sister of Notre Dame, an international Congregation founded in Germany in 1850. She was born in Kerala, South India, and joined the Sisters of Notre Dame in the Northern Province of Patna.



As a missionary, besides being a teacher and mass media educator, she has spent most of her time in sharing the life and struggles of the most marginalized people in North India.

She was appointed by the government of India to head the Women Empowerment programme of the government of Bihar in 1991, a duty that took her to the hearts and lives of thousands of rural poor women and girls.

In 1998 she was elected as the first Asian Superior General of the Sisters of Notre Dame with its headquarters in Rome. In 2004 she was re-elected for a second term of office. After completing her two terms as Superior General in 2011, she has been engaged in conducting seminars, retreats, giving talks and facilitating Chapters both nationally and internationally.

Reference: www.uisg.org

CHRISTOPHER MONAGHAN CP, BTHEOL, LSS, PHD PRESIDENT OF YARRA THEOLOGICAL UNION

Chris Monaghan is a Passionist who studied at YTU and then at the Pontifical Biblical Institute in Rome and Jerusalem. Since 1987 he has been lecturing at YTU in both Old and New Testament. The major focus of his teaching throughout these years has been Matthew, Luke-Acts and the letters of Paul.

During this period Chris has been engaged in adult education programs through schools, parishes and ministry to priests. Making the Bible in its richness accessible to people at all levels is an enduring passion.

His major publications have been *A Source Critical Edition of the Gospels of Matthew and Luke in Greek and English*, Vol 1 Matthew. Vol 2 Luke. *Subsidia Biblica* 40. Rome: Gregorian and Biblical Press, 2010 and *A Friendly Guide to Paul*, Mulgrave: Garratt Publishing, 2013.

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