



CTC Seminar



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**“Are Ancient and Modern Exegetes
at Odds with Each Other?
Questions and Answers”**

Modern exegetes value patristic and rabbinic exegesis for understanding biblical interpretation. However, they often perceive these approaches as fundamentally different in method and intent from their own. Some scholars find these ancient approaches puzzling and arbitrary, and have valid reasons for this perspective. In my presentation, I aim to explain and illustrate the distinctive characteristics of ancient and modern exegetical modes. I will also discuss ways to incorporate ancient modes into modern exegetical practice. The presentation will be structured as a series of questions and answers, based on the reactions to my recent papers delivered in Melbourne, Manila, and Chicago.



Initial of the Book of Leviticus, Pontigny,
AD 1200 (Public Domain)

Friday 8 August

1.00 – 2.00 pm

Zoom

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Staff, Students and Researchers are welcome to attend