



First Annual Free Conference
on Church and Ministry

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All papers will be available in German, French, and English

Friday, May 8th, 2026

15:00 Welcome, Introductions

15:30–16:30 **Fr. Horning & Wilbert Kreiss**
(Rev. Jean Haessig)

16:30–17:00 Q&A

17:00–18:00 **A. F. C. Vilmar**
(Samuel Abliganz)

18:00–18:30 Q&A

18:30–19:00 Vespers

19:00 Dinner

Saturday, May 9th, 2026

08:30–09:00 Matins

09:00–10:00 **G. C. Adolph von Harless**
(Alexander Schneider)

10:00–10:30 Q&A

10:30–11:00 Break

11:00–12:00 **J. K. Wilhelm Loehe**
(Rev. Dr. Jonathan Rehr)

12:00–12:30 Q&A

12:30–14:00 Lunch

14:00–15:00 **C. F. W. Walther** (Rev. Andrew Preus)

15:00–15:30 Q&A

15:30–16:00 Break

16:00–17:00 **Franz Delitzsch**
(Rev. Nathaniel Jensen)

17:00–17:30 Q&A

17:30–18:30 Panel Discussion & Conclusion

18:30–19:00 Vespers