Lecture Series Public Theology: An International and Intercontextual Assessment

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This lecture is available free of charge as comprehensive video file (mp4) o ras audio file (mp3) with accompanying slides in pdf-format.

This task sheet contains:

1. Guiding questions on Friedrich/Reichel/Renkert: Citizen Science
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1. Guiding questions on Friedrich/Reichel/Renkert: Citizen Science

1. How does digitalization changes knowledge production?
2. What are the main ressources a witnessing community can draw upon?
3. Name the main characteristics of citizen science and their implications on theology.
4. How does the concept of citizen theology contributes to a global (public) theology?

2. Three questions for group discussion

1. What other characteristics of the digital do you think are relevant for re-thinking public theology in the digital?
2. What do you think about „public theology as discourse" – is publicness something theology can achieve in discussions?
3. How can we refelct more aptly on the power structures in digital spaces?

3. Three suggested titles for further reading

Friedrich, B., Reichel, H., Renkert, T. Citizen Science, the Body of Christ, and Testimonial Epistemology. Toward a Distributed Theology. https://doi.org/10.1111/erev.12507.

Kurlberg, J. (2020). Doing God in Digital Culture: How Digitality is Shaping Theology. Cursor_ Zeitschrift Für Explorative Theologie. https://doi.org/10.21428/fb61f6aa.db204d48.

Campbell, Heidi A.; Garner, Stephen (Hg.): Networked Theology (Engaging Culture): Negotiating Faith in Digital Culture. Grand Rapids 2016.

4. A timeline to match audio file and pdf slide

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