



Walking Together: Rainbow Challenges after the Synod Caminar juntos/as/es: Retos arcoíris después del Sínodo

Madrid, 21–25 August 2025

-  **Thursday 21 August – Welcome**
 - 16:30–17:30 — Registration and welcome kit distribution
 - 17:30–18:00 — Break
 - 18:00–19:00 — GNRC Board Meeting (**Large Room**)
 - 19:00–20:00 — Evening Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 20:00 — Social gathering and dinner

-  **Friday 22 August – Workshops and Gatherings**
 - 08:30–09:00 — Morning Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 09:00–09:45 — Breakfast
 - 10:00–10:45 — Group meetings (**Large & Medium Rooms**)
 - *Women*: Maritza Fuenzalida and Inés Pujol
 - *Men*: Luisma Gonzalez and Alberto
 - *Non-binary*: Niurka Gibaja and Pio Brando Huaycho
 - *Youth*: Arturo Retana
 - 10:45–11:15 — Break
 - 11:15–12:15 — Workshop 1
 - James Alison: “Opening Up Spaces for Catholicity” (**English – Large Room**)
 - Renato Lings: “WERE NOT OUR HEARTS BURNING?” (**Spanish – Medium Room**)
 - 12:15–12:45 — Free time
 - 12:45–13:30 — Discussion on GNRC roadmap (**Large & Medium Rooms**)
 - 13:30–14:45 — Lunch
 - 15:00–16:00 — Regional meetings (**hybrid format – Large & Medium Rooms**)
 - 16:00–16:30 — Break
 - 16:30–17:30 — Workshop 2
 - Gonzalo Vilchis & Arturo Retana: “SynodaliGIVE” (**Spanish – Medium Room**)
 - Renato Lings: “WEREN’T OUR HEARTS BURNING?” (**English – Large Room**)
 - 17:30–18:00 — Break
 - 18:00–19:00 — Workshop 3
 - Meli Barber: **Title to be confirmed** (**English – Medium Room**)
 - Niurka Gibaja: “A TRANS Perspective on Dignitas Infinita” (**Spanish – Large Room**)
 - 19:00–20:00 — Evening Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 20:00–21:00 — Dinner
 - 21:00 — Night walk tour through central Madrid





-  **Saturday 23 August – Conferences and Assembly**
 - 08:30–09:00 — Morning Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 09:00–09:45 — Breakfast
 - 10:00–11:00 — Plenary conference (**hybrid format – Large Room**)
 - Cristina Inogés & Sister María Luisa Berzosa: “Emmaus after the Synod”
 - 11:00–11:15 — Break
 - 11:15–12:15 — Guest lecture from Africa: Lenny (**Large Room**)
 - Bisexuality, marriage, and activism: A Nigerian Catholic’s testimony
 - 12:15–13:30 — Free time
 - 13:30–14:45 — Lunch
 - 15:00–17:00 — Ordinary Assembly (**hybrid format – Large Room**)
 - 17:00–20:00 — Free time
 - 20:00 — Picnic and outdoor prayer at Madrid Río and Virgen del Puerto Gardens
-  **Sunday 24 August – Participation and Celebration**
 - 08:30–09:00 — Morning Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 09:00–09:45 — Breakfast
 - 10:00–12:00 — Member Stands (**Common Room**)
 - PADIS+ Canarias / CVX-E / GNRC Women’s group / GNRC Theology group / Crismhom / Ichthys
 - 12:00–12:30 — Break
 - 12:30–13:30 — Ordinary Assembly: voting results (**Large Room**)
 - 13:30–14:45 — Lunch
 - 15:00–16:00 — Meeting of the new Board (**Large Room**)
 - 16:00–18:00 — Book presentations (**Common Room**)

Panel with guest authors and space for open interaction:

 - Luisma & Marisol
 - Cristóbal Rodríguez
 - Renato Lings
 - James Alison
 - Cristina Inogés
 - 18:00–18:30 — Break and group photo
 - 20:00–20:45 — Eucharist
 - 21:00 — Dinner at the residence
-  **Monday 25 August – Closing**
 - 08:30–09:00 — Morning Prayer (**Large Room**)
 - 09:00–09:45 — Breakfast
 - 10:00–11:00 — Evaluation and experience sharing (**Large Room**)
 - 11:00–11:30 — Break
 - 11:30–12:30 — Farewell ceremony with symbolic sending
 - 12:30 — Closing
 - 13:00 — Final lunch