



# Invitation

## Pope Adrian VI Symposium

*'The pontificate of the unexpected'*



Via Giuseppe De Notaris 6<sup>a</sup> - ROMA

**22 April 2022**

15:00 – 20:00 h



Hosted by the Belgian and Netherlands Embassies to the Holy See,  
in cooperation with the project group 'Adrianus VI'  
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their Eminences:

Joseph Cardinal De Kesel – *Archbishop of Mechelen-Brussels*

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Gianfranco Cardinal Ravasi – *President of the Pontifical Council for Culture*

Jose Cardinal Tolentino de Mendonça – *Archivist and Librarian of the Holy Roman Church*  
and

Prof. dr. Luc Sels – *Rector of the Catholic University of Leuven*

Sara Lammens – *Director Royal Library of Belgium (KBR)*

Patrick Renault – *Ambassador of the Kingdom Belgium to the Holy See*

Caroline Weijers – *Ambassador of the Kingdom of The Netherlands to the Holy See*

## Guest speakers

Dr. Michiel Verweij – *Curator Royal Library of Belgium (KBR)*

Prof. dr. Wim François – *Professor of History of Church and Theology, Catholic University of Leuven*

Prof. dr. Daniela Müller – *Professor in the History of Christianity, Radboud University Nijmegen*

Prof. dr. Paul van Geest – *Professor Church History, Tilburg University & Erasmus University Rotterdam*

Moderator: Andrea Vreede – *Freelance journalist and Vatican correspondent for Dutch public radio and television*

For more information see the attached *volantino*