

**KKS****Katolsk karismatisk förnyelse i Sverige**
Catholic Charismatic Renewal in Sweden

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Culture of Pentecost

A Catholic Charismatic conference in ecumenical cooperation

We in the NSC ("KKS"- CCR in Sweden) had a vision to arrange a Nordic Charismatic Conference in Stockholm. With the blessing and collaboration of our Bishop Anders Arborelius of the diocese of Stockholm Sweden and the positive response of Finland, Norway, Denmark and Iceland we are very glad to announce that the conference will take place between the 28th and 31th of October 2010. The Papal Nuncio His Excellency Archbishop Emil Paul Tscherrig will visit us as well concelebrating Holy Mass with our Bishop Anders on Friday the 29th. The aim of the conference is to focus on the spiritual gifts and the experience of a personal Pentecost as an important condition for parish renewal, evangelization and ecumenism.

Speakers

Among the speakers we invited Fr Wilfried Brieven from Belgium who has been the personal secretary to the late Cardinal Leo Josef Suenens. He will give us a flashback on the early history of the Charismatic Renewal in the Catholic Church especially stressing the role of Cardinal Suenens during the Second Vatican Council. Charles and Sue Whitehead from England and Deacon Christof Hemberger from Germany will also be our beloved guests. Ulf Ekman pastor of "The Word of Life" Evangelical Charismatic Fellowship in Uppsala Sweden will be our honorable guest. His teaching on faith, a passionate Christian lifestyle, spiritual leadership and unity in the body of Christ has touched thousands of people all over the world. Over the past years Ulf has reflected on the nature of the Church and the fullness in the Body of Christ in the Universal Church, reflex ions that did lead him to openness toward the older denominations, the Orthodox and Catholic churches. He has been a guest at catholic charismatic conferences, and has also invited catholic speakers like Peter Hocken and Charles Whitehead to "The Word of Life". It is therefore natural for us to invite Ulf to our conference. In his talk he will especially stress the theme on The Holy Spirit, the Spirit of Love, Power and Unity.

Ecumenical

It will be an ecumenical conference and we are happy to have the Lutheran St Clara church collaborating with us. We are also grateful for the generosity of the Salvation Army and the Stockholm Pentecostal City church for letting us use their localities for seminars. We are of course most of all very much in need of your prayers!

Yours cordially in Christ

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www.katolsktfonster.se/nordiccharismaticconference (english)

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