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**BEING MORE**

Humankind between responsibility, presumption and promise.

**12. International Congress for Psychotherapy and Pastoral Care—April 17–20, 2024 in Würzburg, Germany**



# 12th International Congress for Psychotherapy and Pastoral Care

Dear Participant,

“Being more” - Who wouldn't want that: to represent more, to be more capable, to be more than one is? Everywhere we want to improve and grow beyond ourselves. This can inspire us to great ideas and top performances.

But: Is there also an “enough”? And what if this competition to “be more” becomes an unbearable burden on the planet and leads to less health, resources and happiness in life for many people?

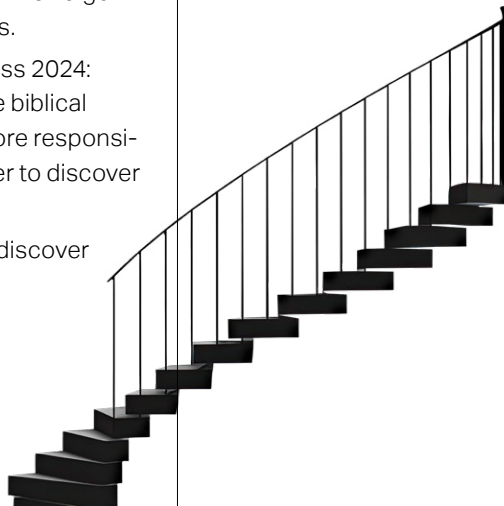
Transhumanism also promises “being more”: artificial intelligence (AI) is supposed to open up completely new capabilities for us. In psychotherapy and pastoral care we anticipate which possibilities will open up, but also which chasms, when algorithms will know us better than we know ourselves.

That is why we are also asking at the APS Congress 2024: What kind of “being more” is promised to us in the biblical message? Can the knowledge of this make us more responsible and humble - and at the same time more eager to discover and more hopeful?

You are welcome to explore and be inspired to rediscover the “being more” of life with God.

On behalf of the executive board,

Anne-Katharina Neddens



- April 17–20, 2024
- 80 inspiring seminars
- An evening with Judy Bailey & Patrick Depuhl
- Congress Center Würzburg

## With lectures by

Prof. Dr. theol. Michael Herbst  
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Renowned speakers from the fields of psychology, pedagogy and theology offer in four different seminar blocks an extensive program for further education and to the shared profundness.



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	until 31.12.23	from 01.01.24
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Students, job seekers	69,00 EUR	89,00 EUR

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