

ANNOUNCING
1990 ANNUAL MEETING
WESLEYAN THEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

November 2-3, 1990 - Nazarene Theological Seminary, Kansas City, Missouri



Theme:

WESLEY AND EASTERN ORTHODOXY

Theological Influences, Convergences, Implications

The major topic of the twenty-sixth annual meeting of the Wesleyan Theological Society will be "Wesley and Eastern Orthodoxy: Theological Influences, Convergences, Implications." The meeting will seek to assess Albert Outler's suggestion that John Wesley's theology is best understood in light of its roots in early Greek theologians. The implications of this perspective on the Wesleys' understanding of such issues as spirituality, sanctification, and human responsibility will be evaluated.

Keynote Speaker for the meeting will be **Canon A. M. Allchin**. Canon Allchin is currently the Director of the St. Theosevia Center for Christian Spirituality at Oxford University. He has been a central participant in the ongoing Anglican - Eastern Orthodox dialogues. He has also produced significant essays on the question of the similarities between Eastern Orthodoxy and the Wesleys.

The meeting will include several papers on this and other theological topics. This year's program is being coordinated by Prof. Randy L. Maddox, WTS first vice president, of Sioux Falls College. For further information, contact Dr. Maddox at Sioux Falls College, Sioux Falls SD 57105.