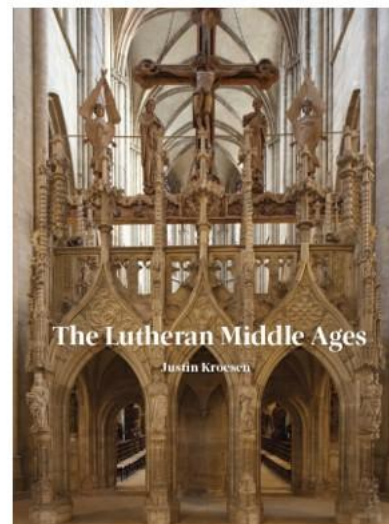


**BOOK LAUNCH *THE LUTHERAN MIDDLE AGES***  
With a lecture by the author, Prof Justin Kroesen,  
University of Bergen (Norway)

**Cathedral and St Mary's church Naumburg**  
**Thursday 26 March 2026**



**17:00 h      The medieval cathedral of Naumburg in the Reformation**

Tour of Naumburg Cathedral guided by Dr Holger Kunde and Prof Justin Kroesen



**18:00 h      Book launch in St Mary's church**

Organ music on the Italian organ by Dick van Dijk (Utrecht, the Netherlands)

Opening by the Dean, Prof Jörg Ulrich, also on behalf of the Saale-Unstrut-Elster Verein, as cooperation partner

Introduction by the regional bishop Dr Johann Schneider

Short lecture *Der Naumburger Dom: Von Uta bis Welterbe* by Dr Holger Kunde, Director of Naumburg Cathedral

Organ music by Dick van Dijk (Utrecht, the Netherlands)

Lecture *Das Paradox des Protestantismus* by Prof Justin Kroesen, University of Bergen (Norway)

Handing out of the first copy of *The Lutheran Middle Ages* to Bishop Dr Johann Schneider

**19:15 h      Reception**

*During the reception, the book is for sale with a discount at the book table of the publisher, Harvey Miller (London/Turnhout)*