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**X^o European meeting
of grassroots communities**

21,22 and 23 september 2018
Rimini - Italy

**"Committed Christians for a more just
world, and for a poor Church"**

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Program

friday

16.00 - welcome and opening exhibition space

19.30 - dinner

21.30 - brief presentation of the countries/regions participating

- Prayer / evening song

- welcome greeting with a brief presentation of the countries/regions attendees

- conviviality and entertainment to get to know each other better: songs, dances and tastings ...

saturday

9.00 - presentation and introduction of the works

- prayer / common song

9.15 - conference: prof. Riccardo Petrella

questions will be collected at the end (only in writing)

10.00 - coffe break

10.30 - Testimonies from different countries and groups

11.30 - discussion: answer to questions

13.00 - lunch

14.30 – laboratories – 1° session

16.00 - break

16.30 – laboratories – 2° session

18.00 – writing of "Dazebao" with phrases/reflection of the works done in the laboratories

18.30 – break

19.00 - lunch

21.00 – evening: free visit to the historic center of Rimini

sunday

9.00 - Eucharistic Celebration - by the Cassano (Naples) community

- opening prayer

9,15 - **friendly dialogue** "face to face" with a neighbor

9,45 - **"writing the panels" writing panels with friendly dialogue phrases**

10,00 - continues the celebration

12.00 - lunch

farewell and departure

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Testimonies

- *Voluntary simplicity (Belgium f)* 17
- *Politics and poverty (Austria)* 19
- *Poverty and Multinationals: The Initiative for responsible multinationals (Switzerland d)* 22
- *Immigration and reception (France)* 24

Workshops

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- For a church that is poor in power (*CBC san Paolo, Roma - IT*)
- Church 2030 (*France*)
- Globalization and refugees (*Spain*)
- Ecology (*Italy*)
- Voluntary simplicity (*Belgium f*)
- Poverty, the eyes of women: thoughts and practices (*Women's grassroot community "Viottoli" - Pinerolo*)
- Read the Bible, read life. A biblical dialogue on everyday poverty (*German-speaking Switzerland*)

List of participants

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European Meetings of Grassroots Communities from Amsterdam 1983 to Rimini 2018

1. ***The Faith of Liberation in Europe.*** Amsterdam, May 12-15, 1983
2. ***Christian faith: commitment to liberation; the CCBs in comparison with theology of liberation and European theology.***
Turin, April 24-28, 1985
3. ***Evangelization and new mechanisms of oppression and marginalization in Europe.*** Bilbao, 8-11 October 1987
4. ***Social justice in 1992 in Europe*** - Paris, 26-29 July 1991
5. ***Which paths for churches in a pluralistic society?***
Innsbruck, 5-7 November 1993
6. ***Which paths for Grassroots Communities in Europe today?***
Geneva, November 30-December 2, 1995
7. ***Meeting of delegates of the European Grassroots Communities.***
Edinburgh, 24-27 October 2003
8. ***Living the Faith Today.*** Vienna, 1-3 May 2009
9. ***The Gospel will make us free. Experiences, Commitments and Answers of Grassroots Communities against the neoliberal system.***
Buizingen, 19-21 September 2014
10. ***A church poor and of the poor for a fairer world.***
Rimini, 21-23 september 2018

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