

Blessed Antonio Rosmini. A new look

Saturday 4 December 2021

Antonio Rosmini is one of the most influential Catholic intellectuals of the last two centuries: "Fr Rosmini found himself wedged between the obligation to renew Catholic philosophy and finding his works on the Index. But his obedience to the Church was admirable: "In everything, I want to base myself on the authority of the Church, and I want the whole world to know that I adhere to this authority alone" (CONGREGATION FOR THE DOCTRINE OF THE FAITH, *Note on the Force of the Doctrinal Decrees*, *L'Osservatore Romano* English edition, 25 July 2001, p. 9).

To close the issue definitively, the Pontiff submitted all Rosmini's works to examination by the Congregation of the Index. On 3 July 1854, it was decreed: "All the works of Antonio Rosmini-Serbati that have recently been examined are to be dismissed, and this examination in no way detracts from the good name of the author, nor of the religious Society founded by him, nor from his life and singular merits towards the Church" (R. MALONE, *Historical Overview of the Rosmini Case*, *L'Osservatore Romano* English edition, 25 July 2001, p. 10)" (vatican.va).

With host, musician and author M^o Aurelio Porfiri on Saturday 4 December at 4 pm will debate about this topic Antonio Rosmini's scholars Samuele Francesco Tadini, Fernando Belelli and Jacob Buganza.