

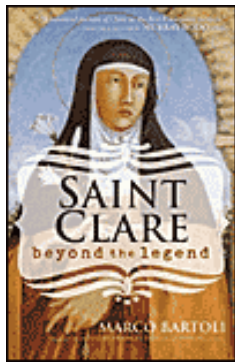
## Welcome to the first FISC Bookshop Update

Included in each forthcoming publication of the FISC Bookshop Update we shall bring you the latest news, arrivals and developments from the Franciscan International Study Centre Bookshop.

The FISC Bookshop is pleased to announce a new exclusive UK distribution agreement with the PSALMOS Publishing House located in Germany to bring to you new and exciting products including interactive CD-ROM pilgrimages to Assisi & San Damiano, St. Clare DVD & Music compilations from the Poor Clare Sisters.

We are also pleased to announce the latest publication of Marco Bartoli's 'Saint Clare - Beyond the Legend' translated from Italian into English, this publication has been translated by Sister Frances Teresa Downing OSC and is available exclusively from the Franciscan International Study Centre Bookshop.

The FISC Bookshop includes a new online bookshop facility together with secure electronic payment facilities for purchases of books, audio books, CDs & DVDs.



### **Saint Clare - beyond the legend**

Medieval scholar Marco Bartoli reconstructs the charismatic personality of Clare of Assisi, a great medieval figure whose voice has been heard through the ages. Bartoli explores what has been said, between evidence and interpretation, between silence and memory, using the most important source for knowing Clare, the *Legenda sanctae Clarae virginis* (The Legend of Saint Clare the Virgin), written by order of the pope on the occasion of Clare's canonisation.

"Bartoli offers an insightful, critical study of the woman who was called the 'strongest stone of the whole foundation.' Those familiar with Clarian studies will find this work a welcome contribution to the ongoing reconstruction of the woman of Assisi. For the unfamiliar reader, Bartoli provides a fascinating and lucid account of one of the most remarkable women of the Middle Ages." - Iliia Delio, OSF, author, *Franciscan Prayer and Clare of Assisi: A Heart Full of Love*.

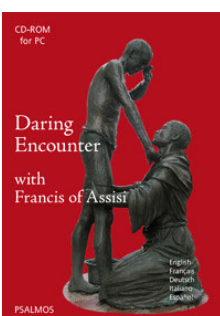
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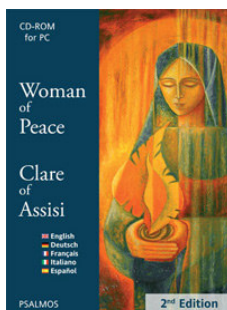
The FISC Bookshop is pleased to announce an exclusive UK distribution agreement with the PSALMOS publishing house in Germany.

The new exciting range of products include two interactive pilgrimages on CD-ROM, DVDs and music CDs.



You are invited to follow along the footsteps of St Francis of Assisi, to build a more fraternal world. The first interactive CD-ROM will allow you to discover and rediscover the places where "St Francis" lived and to understand the journey that made him "the Brother of all".

The second interactive CD-ROM invites you to come on a new pilgrimage and pass through the holy place of San Damiano in Assisi. The 360° panoramas create scenes in which you are able to move about freely. During the pilgrimage you will discover St Clare's words and her life and writings.



This exciting range of New products based on St Francis and St Clare enables us to bring you new experiences, visually and musically.



The new music CDs include the Poor Clares in Lourdes and also an exciting new compilation of liturgical songs from the Poor Clare Sisters of

Gabon, Cameroon and the Democratic Republic of Congo.



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## New Arrivals

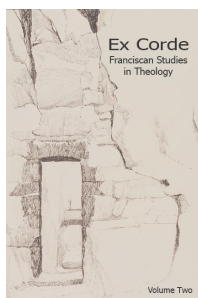
Each week the FISC bookshop receives the latest publications on St Francis and St Clare along with other Catholic general interest publications.

A new section has been added to the FISC website bookshop home page called 'View Latest Arrivals'.

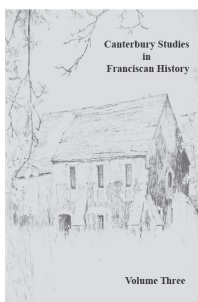
Make sure you view the latest arrivals each time you visit the FISC bookshop to ensure you receive our new arrivals to add to your collection of Franciscan books.

## On the Horizon :

The following publications are due to be released within the next six months by the FISC Bookshop, check our online website to ensure you include these new publications to your collection.



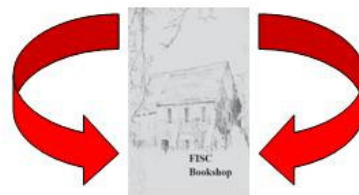
Ex Corde Franciscan Theology Volume Two - provisional publication date September 2010



Canterbury Studies in Franciscan History Volume Three - provisional publication date September 2010

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