

ЛЕ по теме и выражениями для ведения вежливого диалога.

Verbs:

pray – молиться

venerate – чтить

bless – благословлять

dedicate – посвящать (кому-либо/чему-либо)

ordain – посвящать в духовный сан

Adjectives:

Orthodox – православный

Medieval – средневековый

Ascetic – аскетический, уединённый

Nouns, expressions & word combinations:

Holy Trinity – Святая Троица

Spiritual elder – старец

Godlikeness/piety – благочестие, набожность

Devotee – подвижник

Cell – келья

Monastic vow – монашеский обет

Hermit – отшельник, пустынник

Priesthood – духовенство, священство

Accomplishments – достоинства, таланты

Disciple – ученик

Holiness – святость

Byzantine – Византия

Influence – влияние

Faith – вера

Consequences/effect – последствия

Chronicle – летопись

Allegedly – якобы, будто бы, как утверждают

Debate

First of all... / Firstly.../ Secondly.../ Another thing is that...

On the one hand... but on the other hand...

On the other hand...

The main reason is...

Another reason is...

Well, the thing is that...

It's also true that...

And on top of that... / And on top of all...

And finally...

Giving examples

For example...

To give you an idea...

One example of this is...

Summarizing

The point I'm trying to make is...

In other words...

To sum up...

What do you think of / about...?

Expressing opinion

I think that... / In my view/opinion... / To my mind...

Personally I think... / As I see it... / From my point of view...

I don't think...

I don't really know... / I'm not sure...