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The Late antique north chapel at the monastery near the modern village of Dragoinovo © Ivo Topalilov

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CHRISTIANIZATION OF THE TOPOGRAPHY IN THRACE

SOME CONSIDERATIONS

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Among the vital questions of society's Christianization in Thrace in 4th – beginning of 5th c. was the Christianization of topography. In fact, it helped the process enormously as it concerned not only the establishment of new sacred places but also the transformation of already existing ones among which were those of great importance to the local community regardless Christian or not, and even complete change of religious, political and urban landscape. As it may be an imperial, municipal, ecclesiastical or private initiative, Christianization of topography certainly reveals various specifics of the process. Since the known cases in urban and rural areas are numerous, only the most specific cases will be presented.

Im Anschluss bitten wir zu einem Glas Wein.

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