Record Nr. UNINA9910784192303321 Autore Pascoe Louis Titolo Church and Reform: Bishops, Theologians, and Canon Lawyers in the Thought of Pierre d'Ailly (1351-1420) / / Louis Pascoe Leiden; ; Boston: ,: BRILL, , 2005 Pubbl/distr/stampa **ISBN** 1-280-85994-6 9786610859948 1-4294-2716-7 90-474-0618-4 1-4337-0652-0 Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (344 p.) Collana Studies in Medieval and Reformation Traditions:: 105 Disciplina 262/.1 Soggetti Canonists Church offices theologians Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese Materiale a stampa **Formato** Livello bibliografico Monografia Description based upon print version of record. Note generali Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Preface -- Abbreviations -- Introduction -- 1. Church and Reform: The Apocalyptic Context -- 2. Bishops: Status, Office, Authority -- 3. Bishops: Pastoral Reform, and the Apostolic Life -- 4. Bishops: Personal Reform, and the Apostolic Life -- 5. Theologians: Status, Office, Authority -- 6. Theologians: Theology, Science, Method -- 7. Canon Lawyers: Law, Critique, Authority -- Conclusion -- Bibliography --Index of Subjects and Terms -- Index of Persons and Places -- Index of Modern Scholars. Sommario/riassunto This work examines Pierre d'Ailly's (1351-1420) views on bishops, theologians, and canon lawyers, not primarily in their conciliar context but within the broader dimensions of their individual status, office, and authority within the Church. These views also unfold, in varying degrees, within the apocalyptic context of his thought and result in a call for both pastoral and personal reform, especially for the episcopacy. This call, moreover, reveals strong apostolic and

evangelical influences, especially those of the Franciscans and the Brethren of the Common Life, and adds a distinctive dimension to the

wide variety of late medieval reform ideologies which, while having some influence at the Council of Constance, contributed heavily to the reform decrees of Trent.