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Lucardis of Oberweimar (* ca. 1274 – † 22 Mar 1309)

1. Name variants: Lukardis

2. Places: Oberweimar

3. Biography: L. entered Oberweimar in 1286, where she later became responsible for the hospital. According to the two surviving vitae manuscripts, she received the stigmata and was granted mystical visions. Being skeptical about these, her confessor encouraged her to reveal them, which led to increasing veneration for L. The imitation of Christ's suffering played an important role in her visions; she often slept and stood crosswise and performed acts of self-mutilation. Veneration for L. ceased during the Reformation period.

4. Cultus:

a. Relics: –

b. Liturgical commemoration: 22 Mar (DE BACKER, 365)

c. Patronage: –

d. Attributes: –

5. Fontes: *Vita venerabilis Lukardis monialis ordinis Cisterciensis in Superiore Wimaria*, ed. J. DE BACKER, in: *AnBoll* 18 (1899), 305–367.

6. Literature: VerLex 2nd ed. 5, 1045–1046; P. DINZELBACHER, *Deutsche und niederländische Mystik des Mittelalters. Ein Studienbuch*, Berlin 2012, 134–136; P. NAGY, *Sharing Charismatic Authority by Body and Emotions: The Marvelous Life of L.*, in: *Mulieres religiosae*, ed. V. FRAETERS / I. DE GIER, Turnhout 2014, 109–126.

7. Illustrations: –

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