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2011 Spring Lectureship, January 18-20, 2011
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See: Tan, Siang-Yang.
[Counseling and
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Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Academic, 2011

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January 19, Morning Lecture: [Christian Faith in Clinical Practice:
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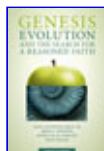
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"Philemon: The Power of Grace, A Commentary on Philemon 8-21"
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Book Reviews



Mary Katherine Birge, Brian G. Henning, Rodica M. M. Stoicoiu, Ryan Taylor, [*Genesis Evolution and the Search for A Reasoned Faith*](#) (Winona, MN: Anselm Academic, 2011) 133 pages. Reviewed by **Steve Badger**, Professor of Chemistry, [Evangel University](#), Springfield, MO



Amos Yong and Clifton Clarke, eds. [*Global Renewal, Religious Pluralism, and the Great Commission*](#) (Lexington, KY: Emeth Press, 2011) 181 pages. Reviewed by **Gary Black, Jr.**, Ph.D. Cand, Univ. of Exeter, U.K. and **Mark Hausfeld**, Assoc. Prof. of Urban and Islamic Studies, [Assemblies of God Theological Seminary](#); and International Director of Global Initiative: Reaching Muslim People (AGWM), Springfield, MO



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Shane Clifton, [*Pentecostal Churches in Transition: Analyzing the Developing Ecclesiology of the Assemblies of God in Australia, vol. 3 of Global Pentecostal and Charismatic Studies*](#) (Boston, MA: Brill, 2009) 249 pages. Reviewed by **Fred Haltom**, Professor of New Testament; Chair, Biblical Education, [Central Bible College](#), Springfield, MO



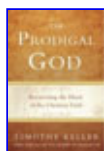
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John Piper, [*Think: The Life of the Mind and the Love of God*](#) (Wheaton, IL: Crossway, 2010) 223 pages. Reviewed by **Jim Hernando**, Professor of New Testament, [Assemblies of God Theological Seminary](#), Springfield, MO



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Tim Keller, [*The Prodigal God: Recovering the Heart of the Christian Faith*](#) (New York: Dutton, 2008) 140 pages. Reviewed by **Martin Monacell**, Young Adults Pastor Jubilee Christian Center, Fairfax, VA



Joann Butrin, [*From the Roots Up: A Closer Look at Compassion and Justice in Missions*](#) (Springfield, MO: Roots Up Publishers, 2010) 216 pages. Reviewed by **Johan Mostert**, D.Phil., Professor of Community Psychology, [Assemblies of God Theological Seminary](#), Springfield, MO



Gary B. McGee, [*Miracles, Missions, & American Pentecostalism, American Society of Missiology Series, No. 45*](#) (Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 2010) 326 pages. Reviewed by **Annette Newberry**, Visiting Professor of Church History and Missions, [Assemblies of God Theological Seminary](#), Springfield, MO



Wolfgang Vondey, [*Beyond Pentecostalism: The Crisis of Global Christianity and the Renewal of the Theological Agenda, Pentecostal Manifestos*](#), Series editors: James K. A. Smith and Amos Yong (Grand Rapids, MI: Eerdmans, 2010) 267 pages. Reviewed by **Tony Richie**, D.Min. (Asbury Theological Seminary), Ph.D. (Middlesex University/London School of Theology) Senior Pastor, New Harvest Church of God, Knoxville, TN



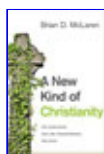
James K. A. Smith, [*Thinking in Tongues: Pentecostal Contributions to Christian Philosophy*](#) (Grand Rapids: Eerdmans, 2010) 151 pages. Reviewed by **Douglas F. Olena**, Ph.D., Cardiff University; Adjunct Professor, [Evangel University](#) and [Drury University](#), Springfield, MO.



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