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NEWS FROM THE MANCHESTER WESLEY RESEARCH CENTRE – October 2019

Greetings from the MWRC! In the text below, keywords are hyperlinked to web addresses where you can find full details on news items.

Conference with the Global Institute of the Fourfold Gospel Theology (Seoul Theological University)

The MWRC will host a joint conference—‘Reforming the Churches: From John Wesley to the Fourfold Gospel’—with the Global Institute of the Fourfold Gospel Theology (Seoul Theological University) on **Monday 21 October**. If you're in the UK, you're warmly invited to attend. We hope to have video recordings of the presentations available at a later date. [The programme for the day can be found at this link.](#)

The MWRC at the American Academy of Religion: 23-26 November

The MWRC will host two sessions at the AAR in San Diego next month. The first session—‘**New Research on John Wesley, Methodist Missions, and the Wesleyan Roots of British Pentecostalism**’—will be on **Sunday 24 November** from **9:00 AM to 11:30 AM** in the **Marriott Marquis-Laguna (South Tower - First Level)**. This session is session number P24-105 in the [Online Programme Book](#).

The second session—**Holiness and Pentecostal Movements: Intertwined Pasts, Presents, and Futures?**—will be on **Monday 25 November** from **9:00 AM to 11:30 AM** in the **Marriott Marquis-Laguna (South Tower - First Level)**. This session is session number P25-103 in the [Online Programme Book](#).

Full details about both sessions can be found [via this link on the MWRC website](#). Recordings of last year's sessions can be found [on our YouTube page](#).

Methodist Studies Seminars

The next seminar—co-organized by the MWRC and Cliff College—will be in Manchester at Nazarene Theological College on **Friday 6 December 2019**. [The programme is available here](#). Attendance, including lunch, is free of charge; however, please register by emailing ghammond@nazarene.ac.uk by 27 November. In light of this being the 75th anniversary year of the establishment of Nazarene Theological College, the main theme of the seminar is the history and theology of the Holiness Movement in the UK. The seminar will be live-streamed on the [MWRC YouTube Page](#).

Call for Applications for 2020 MWRC Visiting Fellowships

We are currently accepting applications for the 2020 MWRC-University of Manchester Joint Visiting Research Fellowship, MWRC Visiting Research Fellowship, and Sabbatical Fellowship. Applications are due by **13 January** and **31 January 2020** respectively. For full details on the Fellowships, including reports on the experiences of recent Visiting Fellows, visit: <http://www.mwrc.ac.uk/visiting-fellows/> and <http://www.mwrc.ac.uk/sabbatical-fellows/>.

MWRC Annual Lectures

The video of Dr Chris E. W. Green's June 2019 MWRC Annual Lecture—'The Fall of Wisdom: Reflections on Evil and the Purposes of God'—is [now available on our YouTube page](#).

Our next annual lecture will be given by [Karen B. Westerfield Tucker](#), Professor of Worship, Boston University School of Theology. The lecture will be on **Tuesday 16 June 2020 at 5pm** in the J.B. Maclagan Chapel on the campus of Nazarene Theological College. It will be live-streamed on our YouTube page.

***Wesley and Methodist Studies*, vol. 11:2 (June 2019)**

In addition to book reviews, the latest issue of [Wesley and Methodist Studies](#) includes the following articles:

Karl Ganske, Preaching Christ: John Wesley's Definition of the Gospel, 1746–51 [Post-doctoral Fellowship project]

Philip Fellows, The Faith of Our Fathers: An Examination of the Patristic Roots of John Wesley's Theology and the Relevance of His Theology and Practice for Today

Karen B. Westerfield Tucker, 'Shew Us Thy Salvation': Charles Wesley and the Liturgical Year

Andrew Nelson Pickering, Methodism in the Royal Navy, 1740–1815

Further details about the journal, including the full contents pages, how to subscribe, and how access the journal via JSTOR, can be found at the link above. Back issues of *WMS* are available to members of AAR: <https://www.aarweb.org/jstor-religion-collection>. AAR members can also save [35% off a subscription to WMS](#).

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