

HTR

---

Harvard  
Theological  
Review

CAMBRIDGE  
UNIVERSITY PRESS

109:2  
APRIL 2016

ISSN 0017-8160



# Harvard Theological Review

## 109:2

ISSUED QUARTERLY BY THE FACULTY OF DIVINITY IN HARVARD UNIVERSITY

The *Harvard Theological Review* is partially funded by the foundation established under the will of Mildred Everett, daughter of Charles Carroll Everett, Bussey Professor of Theology in Harvard University (1869–1900) and Dean of the Faculty of Divinity (1878–1900). The scope of the *Review* embraces history and philosophy of religious thought in all traditions and periods—including the areas of Hebrew Bible, New Testament, Christianity, Jewish studies, theology, ethics, archaeology, and comparative religious studies. It seeks to publish compelling original research that contributes to the development of scholarly understanding and interpretation.

---

#### CO-EDITORS

**Kevin J. Madigan and Jon D. Levenson**

#### EDITORIAL BOARD

**Giovanni Bazzana, Francis X. Clooney, David N. Hempton, Mayra Rivera**

#### ASSOCIATE EDITORS

**Members of the Faculty of Divinity**

#### MANAGING EDITOR

**Faye Bodley-Dangelo**

#### EDITORIAL ASSISTANTS

**Timothy M. Baker, Austin Campbell, Alex Douglas, Matthew Hass, Helen Kim, Elizabeth Ainsley Land, Eunyung Lim, Michael Motia, Jennifer Quigley, Tyler Schwaller, Axel Takács, Klaus Yoder, John Zaleski**

#### PRODUCTION STAFF

**Alex Douglas, Hyunwoo Koo, Maria Metzler, Michael Motia, Orli Robin, Jason Silverstein, Kynthia Margaret Taylor, Jennifer van der Grinten, Jacqueline Vayntrub, Klaus Yoder, John Zaleski**

---

Manuscripts and communications on editorial matters should be emailed to [htr@hds.harvard.edu](mailto:htr@hds.harvard.edu) or mailed to the Managing Editor, *Harvard Theological Review*, Harvard Divinity School, 45 Francis Avenue, Cambridge, MA 02138. Instructions to contributors and a full style guide may be downloaded from [www.journals.cambridge.org/htr/ifc](http://www.journals.cambridge.org/htr/ifc).

*Harvard Theological Review* (ISSN 0017-8160; e-ISSN 1475-4517) is published four times a year in January, April, July, and October. The subscription prices, which include delivery by air where appropriate (but excluding VAT), for volume 109, 2016 are: individuals, online only: \$44/£27; individuals, print and online: \$66/£44; individuals (AAR, SBL, Langham Scholars), print only: \$38/£23; institutions, online only: \$265/£169; institutions, print and online: \$331/£204; institutions, print only: \$305/£190; institutions (ABTAPL), print only: £58. EU subscribers (outside the UK) who are not registered for VAT should add VAT at their country's rate. VAT registered members should provide their VAT registration number. For all subscriptions queries in the USA, Canada, and Mexico, email [subscriptions\\_newyork@cambridge.org](mailto:subscriptions_newyork@cambridge.org), call (800) 872-7423 or write to Cambridge University Press, 32 Avenue of the Americas, New York, NY 10013-2473, USA. For subscription queries elsewhere in the world email [journals@cambridge.org](mailto:journals@cambridge.org), call +44 (0)1223 326070 or write to Cambridge University Press, Journals Fulfillment, Department, UPH, Shaftesbury Road, Cambridge CB2 8BS, UK. For advertising queries contact [ad\\_sales@cambridge.org](mailto:ad_sales@cambridge.org).

Photocopying information: Permission to copy (for users in the USA) is available from the Copyright Clearance Center: [www.copyright.com](http://www.copyright.com) or email: [info@copyright.com](mailto:info@copyright.com). For all other reuse, permission must be sought from Cambridge University Press.

The foreign language and transliteration fonts used in this journal are available from Linguist's Software Inc., PO Box 580, Edmonds, WA 98020-0580 USA; tel: (425) 775-1130; website: [www.linguistsoftware.com](http://www.linguistsoftware.com).

*Published by Cambridge University Press, New York, New York*

© Copyright by the President and Fellows of Harvard College, 2016

# Harvard Theological Review

109:2

APRIL 2016

## ARTICLES

For Comparative Theology's Christian Skeptics: An Invitation to Kenotic Generosity in the Religiously Pluralistic Situation <i>Lauren Smelser White</i>	<b>159</b>
The Emergence of Max Scheler: Understanding Rabbi Joseph Soloveitchik's Philosophical Anthropology <i>Alex S. Ozar</i>	<b>178</b>
Praeparatio Evangelica—or Daemonica? C. S. Lewis and Anders Nygren on Spiritual Longing <i>Jason Lepojärvi</i>	<b>207</b>
Philosophy, Heresy, and Kabbalah's Counter-Theology <i>Sandra Valabregue</i>	<b>233</b>
Byzantine Art and Gospel Commentary: The Case of Luke 13:6–9, 10–17 <i>François Bovon and Nancy P. Ševčenko</i>	<b>257</b>
<i>Il Trionfo?</i> The Untold Story of Its Development and Pope Gregory XVI's Struggle to Attain Orthodoxy <i>Christopher Korten</i>	<b>278</b>
Review Essay: Why Persons Matter: A Jewish Defense <i>Celia Deane-Drummond</i>	<b>302</b>
Books Received	<b>313</b>