

THIRTY-FOURTH ANNUAL MEETING

**THE SOCIETY OF
CHRISTIAN ETHICS**

JANUARY 8-10, 1993

**HYATT REGENCY HOTEL
SAVANNAH, GEORGIA**

PROGRAM: Presiding: Joseph L. Allen, President

Friday, January 8

8:30-noon Pre-meeting Tours

9:00-noon Board of Directors Meeting (Sloane, Second Floor)

10:00-5:00 Registration (Mezzanine Booth, Second Floor)

**1:00-2:30 Opening Plenary: POLITICAL CULTURE
AND THE FUTURE OF EUROPE**

**Ballroom Wolfgang Huber (University of Heidelberg)
AB Respondent: John Pawlikowski (Catholic Theological
(Second Union)
Floor) Convener: William J. Everett (Candler School of
Theology, Emory University)**

2:30-2:45 Coffee Break

2:45-4:00 Concurrent Sessions, I

**Verelst APPROPRIATION AND RECIPROCITY IN THE DOING
(Second OF WOMANIST AND FEMINIST ETHICS
Floor) Katie G. Cannon (Temple University), Kristine A.
Culp (University of Chicago), and Beverly Wildung
Harrison (Union Theological Seminary, New York
City)
Convener: Emilie M. Townes (St. Paul School of
Theology)**

**Percival PUBLIC AND OTHER DISCOURSES: ALTERNATIVE
(Second VISIONS OF THE SEXUAL SELF
Floor) Meryl Mowrey (Central Michigan University), and
Ann Swahnberg (Augustana College)
Convener: Susan Dolan-Henderson (Episcopal
Theological Seminary of Texas)**

- Vernon (Second Floor) **ACADEMIC FREEDOM AND FIRST AMENDMENT SPEECH: LEGAL LIMITATIONS**
Richard H. Hiers (University of Florida)
Convener: Douglas Sturm (Bucknell University)
- Sloane (Second Floor) **ENOUGH IS ENOUGH: FEAR AND TREMBLING IS NOT ABOUT ETHICS**
Ronald M. Green (Dartmouth College)
Convener: William J. Meyer (Indiana University)
- Savannah (First Floor) **PRAYER AS PRAXIS: THE GENIUS OF REFORMATION ETHICS ACCORDING TO CALVIN'S GENEVA THEOLOGY**
Raymond K. Anderson (Wilson College)
Convener: TBA
- Waterfront North (First Floor) **THE DISTINCTION BETWEEN PUBLIC ORDER AND THE COMMON GOOD IN ROMAN CATHOLIC SOCIAL TEACHING**
James L. Nash (The Catholic University of America)
Convener: Stephen E. Lammers (Lafayette University)
- Waterfront South (First Floor) **THE CHURCH AND GERMANY'S 'PEACEFUL REVOLUTION'**
William Johnson Everett (Candler School of Theology, Emory University)
Convener: Max Stackhouse (Andover Newton Theological School)
- Ballroom D (Second Floor) **THE IMPACT OF TECHNOLOGY ON HEALTH CARE: THE ETHICS OF ALLOCATION AND DISTRIBUTION IN AMERICAN SOCIETY**
Convener: John Wilcox (Manhattan University)
Moderator: Dennis Brodeur (SSM Health Care System)
Panelists: Sidney Callahan (Mercy College), Ren Davis (Crawford Long Hospital), John Kilner (Park Ridge Center), Robert Padgug (Empire Blue Cross/Blue Shield)

4:30-5:45 Concurrent Sessions II

- Verelst (Second Floor) **MOVING BEYOND CURRENT CULTURAL AND RELIGIOUS 'WARS' OVER SEXUALITY**
Karen Bloomquist (Evangelical Lutheran Church in America)
Convener: TBA
- Percival (Second Floor) **VIRTUE, REASON, AND RESISTANCE TO EMPIRE**
G. Scott Davis (Princeton University)
Convener: Gerard Magill (Saint Louis University)
- Vernon (Second Floor) **A NEW CASE FOR THE LIVING WAGE: CAN ETHICS AND ECONOMICS MEET?**
Christine Firer Hinze (Marquette University), and Sandra Odorzynski (St. Norbert College)
Convener: Frida Kerner Furman (DePaul University)
- Sloane (Second Floor) **HEALTH CARE IN CRISIS: THE CANADIAN CASE**
Roger Hutchinson (University of Toronto)
Convener: James Smurl (Indiana University)
- Savannah (First Floor) **PRAGMATIC LIBERALISM AND CIVIC AGAPISM: THE PRIORITY OF CHARITY TO POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY**
Timothy P. Jackson (Stanford University)
Convener: David Hollenbach (Boston College)
- Waterfront North (First Floor) **STILL IN THOUGHT AS FREE AS EVER: THE POLITICAL THEOLOGY OF 19TH CENTURY AFRICAN AMERICAN WOMEN**
Thomas G. Poole (The Pennsylvania State University)
Convener: Mary McClintock Fulkerson (Duke University)
- Waterfront South (First Floor) **POWER DISCOURSE AND ECOLOGICAL CONCERN: GOD AND BIOSPHERE AS SUPERPOWERS**
William C. French (Loyola University Chicago)
Convener: John Berkman (Duke University)

Ballroom D (Second Floor) **'BODILY KNOWING' AND MORAL JUDGMENT: A RESPONSE TO THE CHALLENGE OF GILES MILHAVEN**
 Convener: Terrence Reynolds (Georgetown University)
 Panelists: Don Browning (University of Chicago), Ruth Smith (Worcester Polytechnic Institute), and Diane Yeager (Georgetown University)

6:30-8:30 Annual Presidential Banquet
Regency Ballroom (Second Floor) Presiding: Margaret Farley (Yale University)
 Presidential Address: **POWER AND COMMUNITY**
 Joseph L. Allen (Perkins School of Theology, Southern Methodist University)

8:45-10:15 Interest Groups

Verelst (Second Floor) **TEACHING BUSINESS ETHICS**
 Convener: Ronald M. Green (Dartmouth College)

Percival (Second Floor) **AMERICAN THEOLOGICAL ETHICS**
 Conveners: William C. Spohn (Jesuit School of Theology) and Thomas A. Byrnes (Illinois Benedictine College)

Vernon (Second Floor) **MEDICAL ETHICS**
 Conveners: Dennis Brodeur (SSM Health Care System) and John Kilner (The Park Ridge Center)

Sloane (Second Floor) **ENVIRONMENTAL ETHICS AND THEOLOGY**
 Convener: David Trickett (Washington Theological Consortium)

Savannah (First Floor) **WAR, PEACE, REVOLUTION, AND VIOLENCE**
 Conveners: John Howard Yoder (Notre Dame University) and John Langan (Georgetown University)

Waterfront North (First Floor) **COMPARATIVE RELIGIOUS ETHICS**
 Convener: Bruce Grelle (California State University-Chico)

Patrick's Porch (First Floor) **ETHICS AND THE PROFESSIONS and ETHICS AND SEXUALITY (Joint Meeting)**
 Conveners: Kenneth Weare (University of Dayton), John Wilcox (Manhattan College), Bob Blaney (University of the Pacific) and Ann Swahnberg (Augustana College)

Waterfront South (First Floor) **ETHICS AND LAW**
 Convener: Marjorie Maguire

7:30-9:00 "Breakfast with an Author"

Ballroom AB (Second Floor) James J. Walter and Thomas Shannon. *Quality of Life: The New Medical Dilemma* (Paulist Press, 1990)
Convener: Russell B. Connors, Jr. (St. Mary Seminary)

David S. Cunningham. *Faithful Persuasion: In Aid of A Rhetoric of Christian Theology* (University of Notre Dame Press, 1990)
Convener: Charles Pinches (University of Scranton)

Don S. Browning. *A Fundamental Practical Theology with Descriptive and Strategic Proposals* (Fortress Press, 1991)
Convener: TBA

Christine E. Gudorf. *Victimization: Examining Christian Complicity* (Trinity Press International, 1992)
Convener: Susan Dolan-Henderson (Episcopal Theological Seminary of Texas)

James A. Nash. *Loving Nature: Ecological Integrity and Christian Responsibility* (Abingdon Press, 1991)
Convener: George L. Frear, Jr. (St. Lawrence University)

Roy H. May, Jr. *The Poor of the Land: A Christian Case for Land Reform* (Orbis Books, 1991)
Convener: Gary L. Chamberlain (Seattle University)

Glen Stassen. *Just Peacemaking: Transforming Initiatives for Peace and Justice* (Westminster/John Knox Press, 1992)
Convener: Rick Axtell (Centre College)

Dolores Christie. *Adequately Considered: An American Perspective on Louis Janssens' Personalist Morals* (Peeters Press, 1990)
Convener: TBA

Martin Cook. *The Open Circle* (Fortress Press, 1991)
Convener: TBA

Stephen E. Fowl and L. Gregory Jones. *Reading in Communion* (Eerdmans, 1991)
Convener: Anthony J. Tambasco (Georgetown University)

Philip LeMasters. *Discipleship for All Believers* (Herald Press, 1992)
Convener: TBA

Richard B. Miller. *Interpretations of Conflict* (University of Toronto)

Karen Lebacqz and R. G. Barton. *Sex in the Parish* (Westminster/John Knox Press, 1990)
Convener: Merle Longwood (Siena College)

T. Richard Snyder. *Divided We Fall: Moving from Suspicion to Solidarity* (Westminster/John Knox Press, 1992)
Convener: Kenneth Manning (Georgetown University Law Center)

Darrell J. Fasching. *Narrative Theology After Auschwitz: From Alienation to Ethics* (Fortress Press, 1992)
Convener: Stephen Pope (Boston College)

Audrey R. Chapman. *Faith, Power, and Politics: Political Ministry in Mainline Churches* (Pilgrim Press, 1991)

Convener: Reinhilde Ruprecht

9:15-10:30 Concurrent Sessions, III

Verelst (Second Floor) **ETHICS FROM THE UNDERSIDE: THIRD WORLD TESTIMONIAL LITERATURE**
June O'Connor (University of California, Riverside)
Convener: Stephen J. Casey (University of Scranton)

Percival (Second Floor) **COMMUNITY, RELIGION, AND VIRTUE -- IN THE MODERN UNIVERSITY?**
Gary S. Hauk (Emory University)
Convener: Jon Gunnemann (Emory University)

Vernon (Second Floor) **AGAPE, EROS, AND LOVING THE PERSON IN PERSONAL LOVE**
William Werpehowski (Villanova University)
Convener: Richard Miller (Indiana University)

Sloane (Second Floor) **THE INTERNAL LOGIC OF JUSTICE**
Richard L. Fern (Yale Divinity School)
Convener: Michael Naughton (University of St. Thomas)

Savannah (First Floor) **RADICAL PROTESTANTISM AND RELATIVE GOODS**
Philip LeMasters (Wake Forest University)
Convener: Duane K. Friesen (Bethel College)

Waterfront North (First Floor) **HUMAN ECOLOGICAL RESPONSIBILITIES AND THE RIGHTS OF NATURE: A CASE FOR BIOTIC RIGHTS**
James A. Nash (Churches' Center for Theology and Public Policy)
Convener: J. Andy Smith III (American Baptist Churches USA)

Waterfront South (First Floor) **THE POWER OF CLERGY: HOW CAN IT BE USED AND SHARED RESPONSIBLY?**

Allison M. Moore (Grace Episcopal Church)
Convener: TBA

Ballroom D (Second Floor) **THE WORKERS' COUNCILS IN THE HUNGARIAN REVOLUTION OF 1956: AN ALTERNATIVE VISION OF DEMOCRACY**
Leslie A. Muray (Lansing Community College)
Convener: Keith Pavlischek (Northeast Missouri State University)

10:30-10:45 Coffee Break

10:45-noon Concurrent Sessions, IV

Verelst (Second Floor) **THE RELEVANCE OF SCHLEIERMACHER'S ETHICS TODAY**
John P. Crossley, Jr. (University of Southern California)
Convener: Louke Siker (Loyola Marymount University)

Percival (Second Floor) **CASUISTRY AND THE NEW WORLD: PARIS PROFESSORS AND SPANISH MERCHANTS**
James F. Keenan, S.J. (Weston School of Theology)
Convener: Jean Porter (University of Notre Dame)

Vernon (Second Floor) **TOWARD A NONFOUNDATIONALIST CHRISTIAN SOCIAL ETHIC**
Paul Lewis (St. Olaf College)
Convener: M. Therese Lysaught (Park Ridge Center)

Sloane (Second Floor) **THE ORTHODOX CHURCHES IN POST-SOVIET SOCIETY: A CONSIDERATION OF THE CHURCH/STATE QUESTION**
Moderator: Stanley Harakas (Holy Cross Greek Orthodox School of Theology)
Panelists: Vigen Guroian (Loyola College in Maryland), Ihor Kutash (University of Manitoba), and Alexander Webster (Ethics and Public Policy Center)

✓ Savannah (First Floor) **AQUINAS: FOR AND AGAINST THE DEATH PENALTY**
Judith W. Kay (University of Puget Sound)
Convener: William McDonough (St. Paul Seminary School of Theology)

Waterfront North (First Floor) **CHARTING OUR RELATIONSHIP WITH THE PLANET: UNCED 1992 AND THE VOICE OF WOMEN**
Moni McIntyre (Duquesne University)
Convener: TBA

Waterfront South (First Floor) **DOES PROTESTANT REALISM ASSUME A COMMON CULTURE?**
John B. Orr (University of Southern California)
Convener: James Gilman (Mary Baldwin College)

Ballroom D (Second Floor) **RECONFIGURING MORAL DECISIONMAKING AFTER FREUD**
Ernest Wallwork (Syracuse University)
Convener: Lloyd Steffen (Lehigh University)

Noon-1:15 Lunch

1:30-3:00 Concurrent Sessions, V

Verelst (Second Floor) **MOVING BEYOND HETEROSEXISM: REMAPPING SEXUAL ETHICS**
Patricia Beattie Jung (Wartburg Theological Seminary)
Convener: J. Giles Milhaven (Brown University)

Percival (Second Floor) **THE ETHICS OF BELIEF IN IMMORTALITY: SCIENCE AND SYMBOL IN THEOCENTRIC ETHICS**
P. Travis Kroeker (McMaster University)
Convener: David Murphy (Northeast Missouri State University)

Vernon (Second Floor) **THE USE OF ZAIRIAN CHILDREN IN HIV VACCINE EXPERIMENTATION: A CROSS-CULTURAL STUDY IN MEDICAL ETHICS**
Thomas A. Nairn (Catholic Theological Union)
Convener: Luis Collazo

Sloane (Second Floor) **VATICAN STATECRAFT: A TEST CASE FOR DISCOURSE ETHICS IN THE TRADITION OF JOHN COURTNEY MURRAY**
Dennis P. McCann (DePaul University)
Convener: J. Leon Hooper (Woodstock Theological Center, Georgetown University)

Savannah (First Floor) **TOWARD CONSENSUS ON A JUST PEACEMAKING THEORY**
Panelists: Duane Friesen (Bethel College), Alan Geyer (Wesley Theological Seminary), Barbara Green (Presbyterian Church, USA), Brian Hehir (Georgetown University), David Hollenbach (Boston College), Edward LeRoy Long, Jr. (Emeritus, Drew University), Glen Stassen (Southern Baptist Theological Seminary), Ronald Stone (Pittsburgh Theological Seminary), Susan Thistlethwaite (Chicago Theological Seminary)
Convener: Peter J. Paris (Princeton Theological Seminary)

Waterfront North (First Floor) **APPEALS TO AFRICAN-AMERICAN WOMEN'S LITERATURE IN RELIGIOUS ETHICS: HEARING AN OLD, OLD STORY**
Rebekah Miles (Brite Divinity School, Texas Christian University)
Convener: TBA

Waterfront South (First Floor) **TYOLOGY AND THE ETHICS OF JONATHAN EDWARDS**
Paul Chironna (University of Chicago)
Convener: TBA

Ballroom D **ETHICS AND INCULTURATION: THE SCOPE AND LIMITS OF RIGHTS' DISCOURSE**
 (Second Floor) William R. O'Neill, S.J. (Jesuit School of Theology)
 Convener: Paul Nelson (Wittenberg University)

3:30-5:30 Annual Business Meeting
 Ballroom AB (Second Floor)

5:30-6:30 Reception
 Hotel Atrium (First Floor)

6:30-8:00 SCE Soup and Salad Dinner (gratis)
 Regency Ballroom (Second Floor)

8:30-10:00 Interest Groups

✓ Verelst **ETHICS AND POLITICAL ECONOMY**
 (Second Floor) Convener: Daniel Rush Finn (St. John's University)

Percival **SCRIPTURE AND ETHICS**
 (Second Floor) Convener: Allen Verhey (Hope College)

Vernon **ACADEMIC ETHICS**
 (Second Floor) Convener: Daniel B. McGee (Baylor University)

Sloane **ADDICTION AND RECOVERY**
 (Second Floor) Convener: G. Simon Harak (Fairfield University)

Savannah **LATIN AMERICA**
 (First Floor) Conveners: Edward R. Sunshine (Barry University)
 and Robert Craig (Mount Union College)

Waterfront **COVENANTAL ETHICS**
 North (First Floor) Conveners: Douglas Ottati (Union Theological
 Seminary) and Douglas Schuurman (St. Olaf College)

Waterfront **FAMILIES AND THE SOCIAL ORDER**
 South (First Floor) Conveners: Christine Firer Hinze (Marquette
 University) and Todd David Whitmore (University of
 Notre Dame)

Patrick's **AFRICAN-AMERICAN APPROACHES TO CHRISTIAN
 ETHICS**
 Porch (First Floor) Convener: Darryl M. Trimiew (Brite Divinity School,
 Texas Christian University)

7:15-8:45 Board of Directors Westbrook (Second Floor)

8:45-10:15 Critical Book Discussions

Ballroom D (Second Floor) Martin and Malcolm and America. James Cone Discussants: Robert M. Franklin (Candler School of Theology, Emory University) and Roger Betsworth (Simpson College) Convener: John H. Cartwright (Boston University School of Theology)

Ballroom E (Second Floor) Psychoanalysis and Ethics. Ernest Wallwork Discussants: Don S. Browning (University of Chicago) and Christine E. Gudorf (Xavier University) Convener: Richard Davis (Earlham College)

Ballroom F (Second Floor) Justice, Gender, and the Family. Susan Moller Okin Discussants: Lisa Sowle Cahill (Boston College) and Jon Gunneman (Candler School of Theology, Emory University) Convener: Todd David Whitmore (University of Notre Dame)

10:15-10:30 Coffee Break

10:30-12:00 Closing Plenary: DUTIES TO THE NATURAL WORLD: SOME CHALLENGES FOR CHRISTIAN ETHICS Ballroom AB (Second Floor) Holmes Rolston (Colorado State University) Moderator: Robert L. Stivers (Pacific Lutheran University) Panel: J. Ronald Engel (Meadville/Lombard Theological School) William C. French (Loyola University of Chicago) Dieter Hessel (Center of Theological Inquiry) Carol S. Robb (San Francisco Theological Seminary)

12:15-4:00 Annual Editorial Board Meeting Westbrook Room (Second Floor)

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