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## **Discerning Ethics**

Diverse Christian Responses to Divisive Moral Issues

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"We hope that open, sincere, and civil dialogue in the study of diverse Christian moral traditions will help to reduce, if not completely remove, distrust and division within the body of Christ, contributing to the depoliticizing of rhetoric in our ethical discourse and to a better mutual understanding of people with different positions."

—Hak Joon Lee

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