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The Conclusion to the Fullness of Time Series

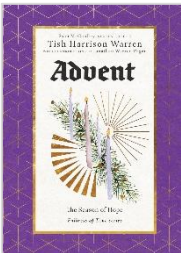
The church year has been forming the faithful in the Christian story since the church’s early days. The Fullness of Time series invites readers to explore the riches of the church year, guided by some of our finest church theologians. Each volume introduces the traditions, prayers, Scriptures, and rituals of a season of the church—not as an academic exercise, but as reflections on the theological and spiritual treasures of the church calendar.

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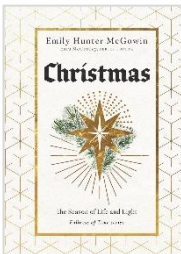
- Explorations of each season of the church year: Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Lent, Easter, Pentecost, and Ordinary Time
- Rich historical, theological, and spiritual reflections to deepen your faith and understanding
- Contributions from authors like Esau McCaulley, Fleming Rutledge, Amy Peeler, and Tish Harrison Warren

Other volumes in the series include:



Advent: The Season of Hope by Tish Harrison Warren
August 29, 2023 | \$21.99, 128 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0018-2

In this short volume, priest and writer Tish Harrison Warren explores the three “comings” of Christ that Advent is about: the first coming of Christ at his incarnation, the second coming at the last day, and the coming of Christ to meet us in the present moment, to make us holy by his Word and Sacrament.



Christmas: The Season of Life and Light by Emily Hunter McGowin
September 12, 2023 | \$21.99, 152 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0040-3

Of all the seasons on the church calendar, we’re most familiar with Christmas—but that can also make it harder to see past all of its cultural trappings to its timeless beauty. In this Fullness of Time volume, Emily Hunter McGowin invites us into the church’s celebration of Christmas in all its theological and liturgical splendor.

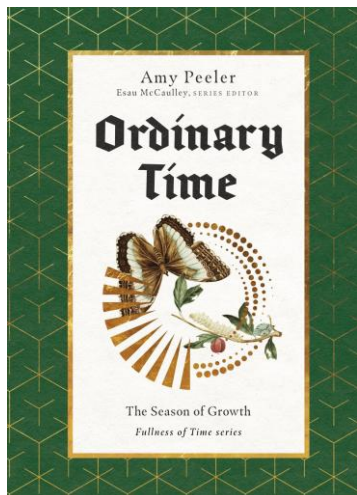


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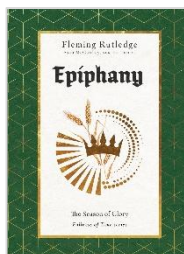


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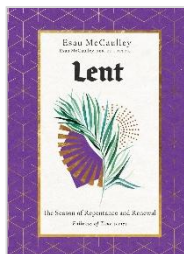
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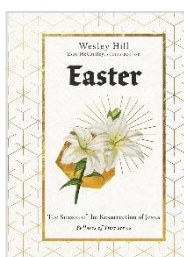
Epiphany: The Season of Glory by Fleming Rutledge
November 14, 2023 | \$22.99, 176 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0038-0

Christmas celebrates Christ’s birth; Epiphany manifests his glory. Many of us associate Epiphany with the visit of the Magi but don’t know much more about it. In this Fullness of Time volume, priest and theologian Fleming Rutledge expounds the primary biblical texts and narrative arc of the season, inviting us to discover God’s glory anew.



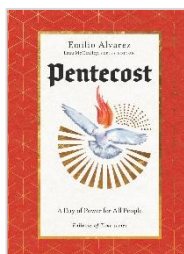
Lent: The Season of Repentance and Renewal by Esau McCaulley
November 8, 2022 | \$21.99, 112 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0048-9

Lent is inescapably about repenting. We often experience the Lenten fast as either a mindless ritual or self-improvement program. In this short volume, priest and scholar Esau McCaulley introduces the season of Lent, showing us how its prayers and rituals point us not just to our own sinfulness but also beyond it to our merciful Savior.



Easter: The Season of the Resurrection of Jesus by Wesley Hill
February 4, 2025 | \$21.99, 128 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0036-6

“He is risen indeed!” In this short volume, Wesley Hill offers an accessible introduction to the season of Easter. This exploration of the history and significance of the Easter season contains practical application for our spiritual formation that will open readers up to the joyous, radical way of living that turns the world upside down.



Pentecost: A Day of Power for All People by Emilio Alvarez
April 25, 2023 | \$21.99, 144 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0054-0

Pentecost is one of the most misunderstood days on the church calendar. In this Fullness of Time volume, Emilio Alvarez offers us a rich biblical and theological introduction to the day of Pentecost and sets it in its liturgical context—not only in the Protestant tradition but also in Catholic, Orthodox, and Pentecostal expressions.



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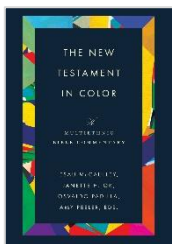
January 27, 2026 | \$21.99, 152 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0968-0

Ordinary Time by Amy Peeler invites Christians to see the beauty and significance in the longest, yet often overlooked, season of the church year. Far from being mundane, this season is a vital time for spiritual growth and maturity—a time when the routine helps sustain and nurture faith. This time in the church calendar isn’t just a placeholder—it’s a vibrant and essential season in its own right.

An Introduction to the Longest Liturgical Season

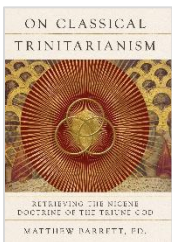
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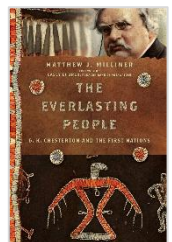
The New Testament in Color: A Multiethnic Bible Commentary
General Editor: Esau McCaulley, Associate Editors: Janette H. Ok, Osvaldo Padilla, and Amy Peeler
August 6, 2024 | \$64.99, 808 pages, hardcover | 978-0-8308-1409-1

In this one-volume commentary, a multiethnic team of scholars holding orthodox Christian beliefs brings exegetical expertise coupled with a unique interpretive lens to illuminate the ways social location and biblical interpretation work together. These diverse scholars offer a better vantage point for both the academy and the church.



On Classical Trinitarianism: Retrieving the Nicene Doctrine of the Triune God
Editor: Matthew Barrett
October 1, 2024 | \$74.99, 832 pages, hardcover | 978-1-5140-0034-2

Motivated by the longstanding need to retrieve the classical doctrine of the Trinity, theologian Matthew Barrett brings together over forty Protestant, Roman Catholic, and Eastern Orthodox scholars in one ecumenical volume, demonstrating that Nicene orthodoxy can endure in the modern world and unite the church catholic.



The Everlasting People: G. K. Chesterton and the First Nations
Matthew J. Milliner
December 14, 2021 | \$21.99, 184 pages, paperback | 978-1-5140-0032-8

How might the life and work of Christian writer G. K. Chesterton shed light on our understanding of North American Indigenous art and history? In these discerning reflections, art historian Matthew Milliner appeals to Chesterton’s life and work in order to understand and appreciate both Indigenous art and the complex, often tragic history of First Nations peoples.



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