

The Areopagus

FORUM

Presentations and discussions of significant issues,
literature and films related to Christianity and culture

<u>2003</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presented by</u>
Sep 15	"Defending the Faith: Responding to Challenges from Skeptics"	Paul Copan
<u>2004</u>		
Nov 12	"The Jesus Movement Off the Record: A Retrospective on America's Last Spiritual Renewal Movement"	Jefrey Breshears
Dec 3	"The Best (<i>and Worst</i>) Christmas Music Ever!"	Jefrey Breshears
<u>2005</u>		
Apr 8	"The Question of God: The Divergent Spiritual Lives of C. S. Lewis and Sigmund Freud"	Jefrey Breshears
Apr 26	"Why Study Christian History? The Value of Understanding the Past"	Jefrey Breshears
May 7	"Christian Faith and Absolute Truth"	Paul Copan
Jun 18	"The Great Resurrection Debate" (DVD and discussion)	William Lane Craig & John Shelby Spong
Aug 12	"The Gospel According to Dylan"	Jefrey Breshears
Aug 27	"Intelligent Design: A Scientific Challenge to Naturalistic Evolution?"	Mark Whorton
Oct 7	"A Mere Christian: The Life and Works of C. S. Lewis"	Jefrey Breshears
Dec 9	"The Best (<i>and Worst</i>) Christmas Music Ever!"	Jefrey Breshears
<u>2006</u>		
Feb 8	"The Question of Human Origins: Who Were Adam and Eve?"	Fazale Rana
Feb 18	"God In the Grooves: Religious Themes in Popular Music From the Sixties To the Present"	John Clark
Mar 26	"Christian Apologetics in the New Testament"	Alexandru Neagoe
Apr 15	"The Historicity of the Passion and Resurrection of Christ"	William Lane Craig
Apr 23	"Deconstructing <i>The Da Vinci Code</i> "	Jefrey Breshears
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Jul 9	"An <i>Apologia</i> for Apologetics: The Value of Christian Apologetics"	Jefrey Breshears

<u>2006</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presented by</u>
Jul 13	Stephen Barr, <i>Modern Physics and Ancient Faith</i>	Bruce Phillips
Jul 23	"Why Study Christian History? The Value of Understanding the Past"	Jeffrey Breshears
Aug 10	Alister McGrath, <i>The Twilight of Atheism</i>	Dennis Fuller
Aug 24	Rodney Stark, <i>The Victory of Reason</i>	Bruce Phillips
Sep 14	Bart Ehrman, <i>Misquoting Jesus</i>	David Ott
Sep 16	"Upon These Rocks: Significant Discoveries and Current Controversies in Biblical Archaeology"	Ed Bez
Sep 23	"The Scandal of the Evangelical Mind"	Paul Copan
Oct 12	Keith Windschuttle, <i>The Killing of History</i>	Mike McKeithen
Nov 9	Ronald Sider, <i>Rich Christians In an Age of Hunger</i>	Heatheranne Martin
Dec 14	Eddie Gibbs and Ryan Bolger, <i>Emerging Churches</i>	Bill Smith
Dec 16	"The Best (<i>and Worst</i>) Christmas Music Ever!"	Jeffrey Breshears
 <u>2007</u>		
Jan 11	Juan William, <i>Enough! The Phony Leaders... and Culture of Failure That Are Undermining Black America</i>	Leroy Lamar
Feb 8	Hugh Ross, <i>Creation as Science</i>	Mark Whorton
Mar 8	Francis Collins, <i>The Language of God</i>	Terry Snell
Apr 12	Sam Harris, <i>The End of Faith</i>	Dennis Fuller
Apr 28	" <i>Obsession: Radical Islam's War Against the West</i> " (DVD and discussion)	Sasan Tavasoli
Apr 26	"Has the Bible Been Accurately Transmitted and Preserved Through the Centuries?"	Jeffrey Breshears
May 10	Wayne Federman, <i>Maravich</i>	Wayne Federman
Jun 14	David Kupelian, <i>The Marketing of Evil</i>	Bob Christensen
Aug 9	Neil Anderson, <i>The Biblical Guide to Alternative Medicine</i>	David Lee
Sep 20	Hank Hanegraaff, <i>The Apocalypse Code</i>	Ken Temple
Oct 11	Robert Spencer, <i>The Politically Incorrect Guide to Islam and the Crusades</i>	Iraj Ghanouni
Oct 18	Lawrence Wright, <i>The Looming Tower: Al-Qaeda and the Road To 9/11</i>	Iraj Ghanouni
Nov 8	George Marsden, <i>The Soul of the American University</i>	David Richardson
Dec 8	"The Search for the Historical Christmas: Dating the Birth of Christ and the Star of Bethlehem"	Jeffrey Breshears
Dec. 13	J. Budziszewski, <i>What We Can't Not Know</i>	Richard Howe
 <u>2008</u>		
Jan 6	"Origins of Anti-Semitism and the Holocaust"	Jeffrey Breshears
Jan 10	Richard Land, <i>The Divided States of America</i>	Bruce Phillips
Feb 9	"Why Atlanta Needs a Christian Study Center"	Ronald Macaulay
Feb 14	Dinesh D'Souza, <i>What's So Great About Christianity?</i>	Bill Smith

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Feb 21	Dinesh D'Souza, <i>What's So Great About Christianity?</i>	Bill Smith
Mar 13	Jim Wallis, <i>God's Politics: Why the Right Gets It Wrong and the Left Doesn't Get It</i>	Tom Buchanan
Apr 18	"Contemporary Controversies in Christian Apologetics"	Paul Copan
Mar 20	George Marsden, <i>The Soul of the American University</i>	David Richardson
Apr 17	Mark Noll, et al., <i>The Search for Christian America</i> and David L. Holmes, <i>The Faiths of the Founding Fathers</i>	Jefrey Breshears
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May 6	<i>Expelled: No Intelligence Allowed</i> : An Areopagus Panel Discussion	Bruce Phillips, Richard Howe and Dave Richardson
May 8	Stephen Prothero, <i>Religious Literacy: What Every American Needs to Know – and Doesn't</i>	Spencer Haygood
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Jun 12	Antony Flew, <i>There Is a God</i>	Dennis Fuller
Jun 19	Antony Flew, <i>There Is a God</i>	Dennis Fuller
Aug 14	Alan Sears, et al., <i>The ACLU vs. America: Exposing the Agenda to Redefine Moral Values</i>	Mike McKeithen
Aug 21	Alan Sears, et al., <i>The ACLU vs. America: Exposing the Agenda to Redefine Moral Values</i>	Mike McKeithen
Sep 9	Veritas Forum Lecture: "Has the Bible Been Accurately Transmitted and Preserved Through the Centuries?"	Jefrey Breshears
Sep 11	William Paul Young, <i>The Shack</i>	David Ott and Cathy Stebbins
Sep 18	William Paul Young, <i>The Shack</i>	David Ott and Cathy Stebbins
Sep 20	"Recent Discoveries and Controversies in Biblical Archaeology"	Ed Bez and James Fleming
Sep 27	"Understanding Islam" (Co-sponsored with Ravi Zacharias Ministries and the C. S. Lewis Institute)	Sasan Tavassoli, Joshua Lingel and Jay Smith
Oct 9	Eckhart Tolle, <i>A New Earth: Awakening To Your Life's Purpose</i>	Jefrey Breshears
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Nov 13	Os Guinness, <i>The Case for Civility – and Why America's Future Depends On It</i>	Richie Willard
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Dec 11	The Best (<i>and Worst</i>) Christmas Music Ever!	Jefrey Breshears

<u>2009</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presented by</u>
Jan 8	Jonah Goldberg, <i>Liberal Fascism</i>	Jim Motter
Jan 15	Jonah Goldberg, <i>Liberal Fascism</i>	Jim Motter
Feb 12	Timothy Keller, <i>The Reason for God: Belief In an Age of Skepticism</i>	Bruce Phillips
Feb 19	Timothy Keller, <i>The Reason for God: Belief In an Age of Skepticism</i>	Bruce Phillips
Mar 1	"Was Moses the Author of the Pentateuch? Deconstructing the Documentary Hypothesis"	Jeffrey Breshears
Mar 3	"The Origins of Anti-Semitism"	Jeffrey Breshears
Mar 5	C. S. Lewis, <i>The Screwtape Letters</i>	Bill Smith
Mar 12	James Piereson, <i>Camelot and the Cultural Revolution: How the Assassination of John F. Kennedy Shattered American Liberalism</i>	Randy Hough
Mar 19	C. S. Lewis, <i>The Screwtape Letters</i>	Bill Smith
Apr 16	<i>Indoctrinate U: Political Correctness on Campus</i> (DVD and discussion)	Dave Richardson
Apr 23	<i>Indoctrinate U: Political Correctness on Campus</i> (DVD and discussion)	Dave Richardson
May 14	C. S. Lewis, <i>The Great Divorce</i>	Jim Motter
May 21	C. S. Lewis, <i>The Great Divorce</i>	Jim Motter
May 28	RTB Forum: "Satan's Bookshelf: The Worst Books Ever Written – and Why Christians Should Know Them"	Jeffrey Breshears
Jul 26	"The Ministry of the Watchman: Restoring a Vital Missing Link in the Ministry of the Church"	Jeffrey Breshears
Aug 9	"Christians and the Contemporary Culture War"	Jeffrey Breshears
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Aug 13	"C. S. Lewis: His Life and Legacy"	Jim Motter
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Sep 10	"Addiction: What Every Christian Should Know About Drug and Alcohol Addiction"	Jim Seckman
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Dec 10	"Intelligent Design: The Origins, the Theory, and the Controversy"	Charles Thaxton

<u>2010</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presented by</u>
Jan 14	<i>Darwin's Dilemma</i> (DVD and discussion)	Bruce Phillips
Jan 28	<i>Darwin's Dilemma</i> (DVD and discussion)	Charles Thaxton
Feb 11	"Faith Filters: The Biases, Hang-ups, and Erroneous Assumptions That Keep People from Accepting the Gospel..."	Glenn Pearson
Feb 18	"What's Wrong With American Evangelical Christianity"	Warren Cole Smith
Mar 11	"Reflections on the Debate Wars: My Experiences Debating Atheists, Muslims, and Liberal Scholars"	Mike Licona
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Apr 15	"The Prosperity Gospel and the Word of Faith Movement: A Biblical and Critical Assessment"	Richard Howe
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May 13	"C.S. Lewis: A Man of Many Geniuses"	Jim Motter
May 20	"C.S. Lewis: A Man of Many Geniuses"	Jim Motter
July 9	"Generation Zero: America's Financial Crisis" (DVD and discussion)	Jefrey Breshears
Aug 12	"Addicted to Entertainment: Why Christians Have So Little Impact On Contemporary Culture, and What We Can Do About It"	Wes Widner
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Sep 9	"Compelling New Evidence for Intelligent Design: A Review of Stephen Meyers' <i>Signature in the Cell</i> "	Bruce Phillips
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Oct 14	"Reflections on the Campus P.C. Battles: The Georgia Tech Case"	Ruth Malhotra & Orit Sklar
Oct 21	"Reflections on the Campus P.C. Battles: The Georgia Tech Case"	Ruth Malhotra & Orit Sklar
Nov 11	"How Should Christians Relate to Muslims?"	Sasan Tavassoli
Dec 21	"Liberating Black Theology: An Biblically-Based Critique of James Cone, Jeremiah Wright, and Black Liberation Theology"	Anthony Bradley
<u>2011</u>	<u>Topic</u>	<u>Presented by</u>
Jan 20	"I Don't Have Enough Faith To Be an Atheist"	Frank Turek
Feb 17	"Three Christian Views on Creation and Evolution"	TBA
Mar 17	"Must the Sun Set on America and the West?"	Vishal Mangalwadi
Apr 21	"Christians and the Culture War: Political Correctness and American Cultural Suicide"	Jefrey Breshears

