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Towards A Malawian Theology of Laity / Volker Glissmann (Ed)

Luviri Press, Mzuzu, Malawi 2021

288p. ; 210x148mm.

Includes Bibliography

9789996066603

\$ 35.00 / null

500 gm.

A key theological emphasis of the church is the priesthood of all believers. This emphasis implies that lay empowerment and lay participation are central to what the church does. Yet, lay participation is a bit of an unfulfilled promise in many cases. This book brings together church leaders, theological educators, as well as practitioners who are actively involved in lay ministry here in Malawi, so that a stronger theology of laity for the Malawian church can emerge.

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Indispensable Life : Secret Keys to Always Overcoming / Sylvester E. Nonde (Ed)
Andrew Cartwright

Sylvester E. Nonde, Zambia 2019

210p.

9780620824880

\$ 20.00 / null

350 gm.

Is it possible to move beyond one's current reality and experience the greater abundance God has promised? So many people across the world today desire a more fulfilled life, yet it seems that an invisible barrier holds them back.

In this power-packed book, Sylvester Nonde shines a spotlight on the simple steps and timeless beliefs, needed to enjoy fruitfulness in every area of life. With insights forged over decades as an entrepreneur and minister, he also red-flags the wrong thinking that stops people from climbing the ladder to success.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=755102>

The Power of United Languages : "Divided by Color, Tribe, and Language Yet United By Love" / Simon Mulolo

DNK Publishers, Lusaka, Zambia 2020

132p.

9789982180672

\$ 18.00 / null

250 gm.

There are over 6500 languages spoken on planet earth. On average, many people speak about 2-3 languages. The Bible teaches that in the beginning there was only one language on earth, until the tower of Babel where the diversity of languages started from. This diversity of languages also indicates the diversity of cultures and traditions across the world.

In this his first ever brand new book Simon Mulolo explains the importance of learning other people's languages, especially those with whom we mingle in the communities. He has pointed out that the diversity of languages has for a long time affected us in areas including; Social interactions, business interactions, and the spreading of the Gospel to all the world.

He has therefore shared some practical ways to help you learn a new language within 6 months.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=755103>

Roots of Africa Problems : Understanding African Problems from the Roots to the Fruits / Christopher Ampadu

The Samaritan Strategy, Accra, Ghana 2020

xvi, 242p.

Includes Bibliography

9789988892074

\$ 40.00 / null

400 gm.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=756901>

Nigeria : A Prayer, A Song / Dolapo Osinbajo

Dolapo Osinbajo, Nigeria 2020

210p.

9789789836284

\$ 20.00 / null

500 gm.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=756373>

Christianity and Anglicanism / Seye Ademtunmbi

Mindscope Africa, Lagos, Nigeria 2020

240p.

9789789836826

\$ 35.00 / null

400 gm.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=756374>

The Bewitched Church : A Spiritual and Sociological Exposition of Unbiblical Teachings in the Church : A Compendium for Heaven Seekers / Ebongabasi Expe-Juda

Newswatch Books Limited, Lagos, Nigeria 2008

428p.

9782704156

\$ 35.00 / null

520 gm.

The book 'The Bewitched Church' is about what we teach in the church that is not in the Bible. It presents the truth of what the Bible says and does not say. Its aim is to correct anomalies in the church which we erroneously teach today. It has taken on the controversial areas of doctrinal interpretation, and the author has succeeded in throwing into great relief certain topics and issues that had not been generally understood and about which there had persisted great misconceptions, especially in areas of understanding, applying and interpreting certain scriptural passages. The book has taken up long held spurious beliefs in spirituality. It is an excellent scholarship directed by the Holy Spirit, very educative and revealing and is an eye-opening book. It is a book that should be read by all church leaders. It should be made a compulsory text for students and teachers of Christian Religious Study, as it is a bold, courageous and laudable effort to reposition the church for effective performance of its core responsibility. It codifies numerous practices in the church which are wrong but have been accepted as the truth, and revisits some of the misconceived "truth" that have become widely accepted and offers deeper insight into the real truth behind them. It is a book for Christians who seek to walk in the truth of God's word without compromise or dilution. It opens the eye of the believer in Christ to the evil that Satan and his agents have done to the word of God. It is a celebration of Bible-based practice, a timely and corrective book for the church of God that is daily going astray. It has indeed taken on so many controversial Christian issues boldly and confronts well entrenched but unbiblical orthodoxy. In the process it has revealed the shroud of evil in the church, and is a spiritually intriguing book, that lovers of the truth of God's word will find as a very useful tool. Its content, knowledge, wisdom and revelations no doubt shall bless, transform and set many ignorant persons free from false teaching, lies, deceptions and satanic doctrine. The book will aid our return to the old and eternal path set out in the Bible. It is intellectually sound, only the righteous will admire the true revelations contained therein. Many fathers of the faith on reading this book have changed their perception on some doctrinal issues and consequently their teachings.

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Morena Graciosa : The Devotion to the Virgin of Antipolo Through the Centuries / Michael P. Delos Reyes

Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2016

264p.

9786218009738

\$ 45.00 / null

800 gm.

This painstaking study of the author is all about popular piety as understood and practiced across the centuries. The book attempts to unravel the rich historical development of the popular devotion to Our Lady of Peace and Good Voyage. The study spans five years of careful and diligent research. This contribution is very timely since we are at the threshold of the Fourth Centennial Jubilee of the devotion to the Virgin of Antipolo. We need more studies that uncover our popular devotions so we can better appreciate our faith.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757106>

Spaces : Narratives about the Mission of Fr. Angel Calvo, CMF / Maria Frenchie Carreon

Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2020

viii, 344p.

9786214261246

\$ 40.00 / null

600 gm.

Within 50 years of missionary life, Angel crosses cultures to understand better Paolo Freire's methodology through real-life applications, traversing Europe to Asia and Latin America, from Vatican to Quezon City, wholeheartedly spreading the Claretian Spirit among humanity, whilst experiencing the people's poverty and hardships. Author Maria Frencie Carreon pens how Claretian missionary Angel Calvo breathed through harsh spaces in a period of Martial Law, in times of fear and trauma of domestic terrorists abducting religious leaders, in years of heart-gripping homelessness of the urban poor, in agonizing months of trafficked young women and children, and in sleepless nights for wandering street children. In such soul-clinching experiences, when one finds breathing moments of life - whether his or others'. he finds the essence of God's mission for him.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757107>

Salvation in the Interstice Between the Local and the Global : A Multicultural Approach to Soteriology / Rev. Fr. Dave D. Capucao

Institute of Spirituality in Asia (ISA), Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2020

264p.

Includes Bibliography

9789719642145

\$ 35.00 / null

450 gm.

This book offers an integrated approach to the experience of pain from a multicultural perspective. It combines local and global realities of suffering and reflects on them from the perspective of salvation. In its multi-perspective and poly-methodical approach, it differs from other models of contextual theology. The book is worth reading and is highly recommended to all who are interested in a fresh look on soteriology.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757108>

Handumanan (Rememberance) : Digging for the Indigenous Wellspring / Karl M. Gaspar, CSsR

The Episcopal Commission on Indigenous People and Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2021

xiv, 662p.

Includes Index ; Bibliography

9786214261376

\$ 40.00 / HB

750 gm.

What Brother Karl Gaspar has written in this book is Philippine Church history critically and beautifully woven into the socio-political past of this country. Though written by someone who serves the Church, this work was never meant to aggrandize the institution. In fact, it is upon the Church's shortcomings and previous faults that Brother Karl anchors his call for the church to reflect on the present issues and concerns confronting the Indigenous Peoples and how such concerns can be integrated into the Church's contemporary mission.- Dr. Juvanni A. Caballero Ph.D Professor of History and Chief of Staff to the Office of the Chancellor Institute Secretary of Mindanao State University-Iligan Institute of Technology, Iligan City

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757109>

Journeying Towards a New Way of Being Church : Basic Ecclesial Communities in the Philippines / Amado L. Picardal, CSsR , Orlando Cardinal Quevedo

Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2016

xiv, 402p.

9786218009769

\$ 35.00 / null

500 gm.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757110>

The Shape of the Filipino Church to Come : A Vision of Renewal in Filipino
Sacramental Worship / Michael Demetrius H. Asis
Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2020
168p.

9786214261215

\$ 20.00 / null

220 gm.

What will it take to make sacramental worship finally inspire genuine Christian discipleship? This book offers a radical vision of renewing current Filipino sacramental understanding and practice. Grounded in a renewed vision of "church" consistent with Vatican II ecclesiology, this work examines the crucial link between worship and discipleship, so that our prayer, whether private or public, truly becomes, now and in the future, the "source and summit" of all Christian life.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757111>

The Filipino Church : At the Cross Roads / Michael Demetrius H. Asis
Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 2016

x, 216p.

Includes Bibliography

9786218009820

\$ 25.00 / null

300 gm.

What will it take to make sacramental worship finally inspire genuine Christian discipleship? This book offers a radical vision of renewing current Filipino sacramental understanding and practice. Grounded in a renewed vision of "church" consistent with Vatican II ecclesiology, this work examines the crucial link between worship and discipleship; so that our prayer, whether private or public, truly becomes, now and in the future, the "source and summit" of all Christian life.

<https://www.marymartin.com/web?pid=757112>

MDXXI : 500 Years Roman Catholic (1521-1872), Volume One / Jose Mario
Bautista Maximiano

Claretian Communications Foundation, Inc., Quezon City, Philippines 200

xx, 244p.

9786214261277

\$ 30.00 / null

350 gm.

This book of DR. JOSE MARIO BAUTISTA MAXIMIANO will make us understand that the history of the Filipino Church is not just the story of Padre Damasos and Padre Salvis, but a precious story of numerous great leaders like Bishop Domingo de Salazar, OP, who exposed the abuses committed by his fellow Spaniards. It is a story of many other leaders like Fathers Pelaez, Gomez, Burgos and Zamora who championed equality and fairness. We recall that the Filipinos have manifested himagsikan through their Christian faith. The Spanish missionaries taught us to chant the Pasión text (Gaspar Aquino de Belén, 1704) about our suffering Messiah during the Holy Week, which somehow inspired our heroes, like the Gomburza, Rizal, and Bonifacio, to offer their lives for the sake of Inang Bayan. In this sense, religion has inspired people like Hermano Puli and numerous believers who gathered during the peaceful EDSA Revolution in 1986 to fight for their rights. So how can we not celebrate 500 years of Christianity, a milestone in Philippine history, when Christianity has become a significant part of our personal and national experiences? Yes, we are the People of God humble enough to admit the great need to purify ourselves (semper purificanda) and learn the hard lessons from the past. But we are also the People of God who should not be deprived of celebrating our triumphs and the gift of faith we have received.

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