

## Books received

The following titles have been received by JASR as review copies. If you would like to review one of these books for the journal, please email Sarah Penicka-Smith ([sarahpenickasmith@icloud.com](mailto:sarahpenickasmith@icloud.com)). Reviews should be approximately 800 words in length and all quotations require references. We generally request a three month turn-around time on reviews.

### New titles:

Buljan, Katharine & Carole M. Cusack, *Anime, Religion and Spirituality: Profane and Sacred Worlds in Contemporary Japan*, Equinox, Sheffield, 2015

Cowdell, Scott, Chris Fleming & Joel Hodge, *Violence, Desire, and the Sacred Volume 3: Mimesis, Movies, and Media*, Bloomsbury, London, 2015 (you might like to pair with Vol. 2 of this series, still available)

Crotty, Robert, *Peter the Rock: What the Roman Papacy Was, And What It Might Become*, Spectrum Publications, Melbourne, 2015

### Still available:

Aldridge, Alan, *Religion in the Contemporary World: A Sociological Introduction, Third Edition*, Wiley-Blackwell, Cambridge, 2013

Andreassen, Bengt-Ove & James R. Lewis, eds, *Textbook Gods: Genre, Text and Teaching Religious Studies*, Equinox, Sheffield, 2014

Antonello, Pierpaolo & Paul Gifford, eds, *Can We Survive Our Origins? Readings in Rene Girard's Theory of Violence and the Sacred*, Michigan State University, Michigan, 2015

Chatfield, Graeme R., *Balthasar Hubmaier and the Clarity of Scripture: A Critical Reformation Issue*, James Clarke & Co., Cambridge, 2013

Christensen, Mark Z., *Translated Christianities: Nahuatl and Maya Religious Texts*, Pennsylvania State University Press, Pennsylvania, 2014

Cowdell, Scott, Chris Fleming & Joel Hodge, *Violence, Desire, and the Sacred Volume 2: Rene Girard and Sacrifice in Life, Love, and Literature*, Bloomsbury, London, 2014

Dupuy, Jean-Pierre, *Economy and the Future: A Crisis of Faith*, first published 2012, trans. M. B. DeBevoise, Michigan State University Press, Michigan, 2014

Elvey, Anne, Carol Hogan, Kim Power & Claire Renkin, eds, *Reinterpreting the Eucharist: Explorations in Feminist Theology and Ethics*, Equinox, Sheffield, 2013

Engebretson, Kathleen, *Catholic Schools and the Future of the Church*, Bloomsbury, New York, 2014

Ezzy, Douglas, *Sex, Death and Witchcraft: A Contemporary Pagan Festival*, Bloomsbury, London, 2014

Gladwin, Michael, *Anglican Clergy in Australia 1788-1850: Building a British World*, Boydell Press, Suffolk, 2015

Goodhart, Sandor, *The Prophetic Law: Essays in Judaism, Girardianism, Literary Studies, and the Ethical*, Michigan State University Press, Michigan, 2014

Johnson, Elizabeth A., *Ask the Beasts: Darwin and the God of Love*, Bloomsbury, London, 2014

Latre, Stijn, Walter van Herck & Guido Vanheeswijck, *Radical Secularisation?*, Bloomsbury, New York, 2015

Lewis, James R, *Sects & Stats: Overturning the Conventional Wisdom about Cult Members*, Equinox, Sheffield, 2014

McGowan, Dale & Anthony B. Pinn, *Everyday Humanism*, Equinox, Sheffield, 2014

Onnudottir, Helena, Adam Possamai & Bryan S. Turner, eds, *Religious Change and Indigenous Peoples: The Making of Religious Identities*, Ashgate, Surrey, 2013

Risha, Sarah, *Education and Curricular Perspectives in the Qur'an*, Lexington Books, Maryland, 2015

Sutcliffe, Steven J & Ingvild Saelid Gilhus, *New Age Spirituality: Rethinking Religion*, Acumen, Durham, 2013

Woodward, Andrew Ralls, *Adventure in Human Knowledges and Beliefs*, Hamilton Books, Maryland, 2014