



The Forum for Theological Exploration and Chalice Press Collaborate on New Book Series

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE (St. Louis, September 22, 2014) - The Forum for Theological Exploration (FTE) and Chalice Press are entering into a publishing partnership that will provide a new way for scholars, staff, program participants, and others who have experienced FTE's time-tested programming to share their unique, inspiring approaches to ministry with the world.

Through this cooperative effort, Chalice Press will publish print, digital, and multimedia resources. FTE will guide the selection of authors and projects offered under this new series.

"This cooperative venture with FTE is a powerful extension of both our missions," said Chalice Press president and publisher Brad Lyons. "FTE works with many talented, emerging leaders who will shape the future of the Church for years to come. Chalice Press publishes content for people who want their faith to matter, people who want to make a positive difference in the world. By collaborating with FTE, we look forward to sharing fresh ideas from these emerging voices."

"FTE is excited about the possibilities this partnership and series offer to our wide network of diverse young leaders and partners," said FTE President Stephen Lewis. "This opportunity provides a platform for emerging Christian authors in FTE's network to share innovative ideas about ministry and scholarship."

The first book in the FTE-Chalice Press partnership is expected to be available in late 2015 or early 2016.

ABOUT THE FORUM FOR THEOLOGICAL EXPLORATION

The Forum for Theological Exploration (FTE) is a leadership incubator that inspires young people to make a difference in the world through Christian communities. Founded in 1954, FTE is committed to cultivating diverse young adults to be faithful, wise and courageous leaders for the church and the academy. FTE provides resources and a forum for young adults and students to explore their purpose and call to pastoral ministry and teaching. Visit FTE online at: www.fteleaders.org. For more information, contact Kimberly Daniel: kdaniel@fteleaders.org, 678-369-6243.

ABOUT CHALICE PRESS

Chalice Press is an imprint of the Christian Board of Publication, a 501(c)3 not-for-profit organization incorporated in 1911. Chalice Press publishes resources inviting all people into deeper relationship with God, equipping them as disciples of Jesus Christ, and sending them into ministries as the Holy Spirit calls them. The resources of Chalice Press highlight faith and spirituality, social justice, congregational life, theology, and outdoor ministry tools. For more information, visit Chalice Press online at www.chalicepress.com. Follow us on Facebook www.facebook.com/ChalicePress and on Twitter @ChalicePress. For more information, contact Steve Knight: sknight@chalicepress.com, 314-231-8500, ext. 7.

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