REPORT OF THE COLLEGE THEOLOGY SOCIETY

THE FIFTY-FIRST ANNUAL MEETING
SPRING HILL COLLEGE
MOBILE, ALABAMA
JUNE 2-5, 2005

Officers: President: Robert Masson; Vice President: Carol J. Dempsey; Secretary: Jonas Barciauskas; Treasurer: Gerald Vigna
Executive Director of National Conventions: Shannon Schrein
Editor of Horizons: Walter Conn
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Incoming Members: Elena Procario-Foley; Anthony Godzieba; Sally Kenel; Christopher McMahon; Timothy Muldoon; Philip Rossi; Virginia Ryan

I. Business Meeting, June 4, 2005

Reports
Executive Director, National Conventions: Shannon Schrein
(a) 2005 Convention: 198 registered
(b) 2006 52nd Annual Convention: Location—Regis University, Denver, CO. Theme—"God's Grandeur: Art and Imagination in Theology" (June 1-4); Local Coordinator: John Kane; Executive Director of National Conventions: Philip Rossi

Treasurer: Gerald Vigna

2004 Income:	$89,198.85
2004 Expenses:	$84,765.20
Assets (12/31/04)	$144,101.93

- The College Theology Society will remain affiliated with CSSR.

Secretary: Jonas Barciauskas
Current Membership: 783
New Members since Nov. 2004: 25

- The next review of the membership list will use the 2005 renewal list from Sheridan Press

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Editor of Horizons: Walter Conn

(a) During the period of June 2004 to May 2005, two issues of *Horizons* (Volume 31, Number 2 and Volume 32, Number 1) have been published with a total of 466 pages.
(b) Anthony Godzieba will begin his editorial duties at *Horizons* in the coming year.
(c) *Horizons* received three Catholic Press Association awards: Best Essay Awards for essays by Paul Knitter and William Shea, and Best Review Section

Director of Research and Publication: Dennis Doyle

(a) Thanks were extended to Terrence Tilley for editing annual volume *New Horizons in Theology*. The text was finished well ahead of schedule.
(b) William Madges is editing the 2005 Annual Volume.
(c) Sandra Yocum Mize is submitting the manuscript of the CTS history to Sheed and Ward.

Vice-President: Carol J. Dempsey

(a) Resolutions Committee: one resolution was received.
(b) Nominations Committee: four new officers and two new board members were elected in March 2005. There were 190 votes.

1. Secretary	Elena Procario-Foley
2. Director of Research and Publications	Sally Kenel
3. Executive Director of National Conventions	Philip Rossi, S.J.
4. Treasurer	Christopher McMahon
5. Board Member	Virginia Ryan
6. Board Member	Timothy Muldoon

(c) Regional Meetings: Jeremy Miller, convener of the Eastern Pennsylvania College Theology Society wrote to say that "the Eastern PA Region of CTS continues to have a successful soiree . . . each autumn at Gwynedd Mercy College, centered on a theological topic." A group of twenty-five met Friday evening, October 29, 2004. They enjoyed a four-course dinner, followed by a discussion of Mel Gibson's movie, "The Passion of the Christ," along with selected material that had been written about the movie. The region anticipates another lively gathering in the fall of 2005.

President: Robert Masson

(a) The Resolutions Committee is in need of a process for dealing with resolutions. To this extent, an ad hoc committee was formed: Kevin Burke (Chair); Ellen Murray; and Timothy Muldoon

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(b) A report, on behalf of the College Theology Society, has been formulated for the meeting of INSeCT (International Network of Societies for Catholic Theology). The report outlines the challenges and developments for college theology in the United States. It will become part of an international project.
(c) New members for the standing committees were appointed: Awards Committee: Judith Merkle and Terrance Klein; Nominations Committee: Shannon Schrein.
(d) The 2006 Annual Volume Editors will be: David Robinson and Terry Dempsey.

II. Report of the 2005 Annual Meeting

The fifty-first meeting of the College Theology Society was held concurrently with the meeting of the National Association of Baptist Professors of Religion (NABPR), June 2-5, 2005, at Spring Hill College in Mobile, Alabama. The theme of the convention was "Vatican II, Forty Years Later: Envisioning the Church of the Future." CTS plenary sessions featured Peter C. Phan, Ignacio Ellacuria, S.J. Professor of Catholic Social Thought at Georgetown University, Washington, DC, addressing "'Reception' or 'Subversion' of Vatican II by the Asian Churches? A New Way of Being Church in Asia"; Christine Firer-Hinze, of Marquette University, Milwaukee, WI, presenting "Straining Toward Solidarity in a Suffering World: Gaudium et Spes 'After Forty Years'"; and Paul Knitter, of Xavier University, Cincinnati, OH, delivering "Bridge or Boundary? Vatican II and the Other Religions." Respondents were: Elena Procario-Foley of Iona College, NY; William French of Loyola University of Chicago, IL; and Monika Hellwig, Executive Director, Association of Catholic Colleges and Universities, Washington, DC, respectively.

At the convention banquet, awards were given to CTS members: "Best Book" to William M. Shea for *The Lion and the Lamb: Evangelicals and Catholics in America*; "Best Journal Article" to William L. Portier for "Here Come the Evangelical Catholics"; and "Best Student Essay" to Sharon K. Perkins for "The Correlational Christology of Peter C. Phan." Susan Perry, Senior Editor at Orbis Books, received the CTS Presidential Award.

III. Fifty-Second National Convention

The 2006 annual meeting will be held June 1-4 at Regis University, Denver, CO on the theme "God's Grandeur: Art and Imagination in Theology."

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