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Evangelism in Global Perspective
Tuesday, Sept. 21, 1999
How evangelical missions are affecting relations among Christians around the world
Speaker
Dr. Kent R. Hill, President
Eastern Nazarene College, Quincy, Mass.
Respondents
The Rev. Brian J. Wells, Zion Hope Baptist Church
The Rev. Joseph Folzenlogen, S.J.
Archdiocese of Indianapolis

Christianity in the New China
Tuesday, Jan. 25, 2000
The growth and role of Christianity in the world’s largest nation
Speaker
Dr. Daniel H. Bays
University of Kansas, Lawrence
Respondents
Jeanne Knoerle, S.P., St. Mary of the Woods
Dr. Eriberto P. Lozada Jr., Butler University

The Papacy in the New Century
Wednesday, Oct. 20, 1999
Contemporary challenges to the authority of Christianity’s oldest international institution
Speaker
The Rev. Dr. Robert J. Schreiter, C.P.P.S.
Catholic Theological Union, Chicago
Respondents
Dr. Mary Jo Weaver, Indiana University, Bloomington
The Rev. Dr. Paul A. Crow Jr.
Christian Church–Disciples of Christ

Prospects for Christian Unity
Tuesday, Feb. 22, 2000
Reflections on the search for Christian unity in the new century
Speaker
Dr. Mary Tanner, Church of England, London
Respondents
The Rev. Dr. Angelique Walker-Smith
Church Federation of Greater Indianapolis
The Rev. Anastasios Gounaris
Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church

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Interfaith Dialogue in Indianapolis 1999–2000

Christianity is shaped also by its relations with other faith traditions. The following opportunities for interfaith dialogue in Indianapolis in 1999–2000 will be of interest to the Butler Seminar audience.

Developing Muslim and Christian Understanding
Friday–Saturday, Oct. 8–9, 1999
A Friday night dinner program and one-day conference with Dr. John Voll, Center for Muslim-Christian Understanding, Georgetown University, Washington, D.C.

For information, contact Dr. Max Case, Indiana Office for Campus Ministries, iocm@aol.com or (317) 923-4839.

19th Annual Forum on Jewish/Christian Relations
Monday, March 13, 2000
Christian Theological Seminary
A one-day seminar featuring Dr. Alan Segal, Barnard College, New York City.

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