THE PSALMS AND MISSION

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The latest edition of Encounters Mission Ezine has just been released.

> *12 May 2010 saw the public launch of the Centre for the Study of Bible and Mission, a new Redcliffe College initiative aiming toÂ serve the Church by engaging in research, teaching, writing and speaking on mission in the Bible, and the Bible in mission thinking, practice and training.*
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> *In myÂ editorialÂ I outline the activitiesÂ of the Centre in more detail, one of which is to produce anÂ annual issue of Encounters on a Bible and mission theme. This current edition focuses onÂ The Psalms and Mission. The launch event also included Redcliffe'sÂ 2010 Annual Lecture in Bible and Mission, delivered by Prof. Gordon Wenham on the theme of 'The Nations in the Psalms'. The lecture is provided in full along with responses from myself, Eddie Arthur (Wycliffe Bible Translators) and David Spriggs (Bible Society).*
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> *Brian Russell and Tony Hughes outline missional readings of particular psalms, and a Redcliffe student offers a fascinatingÂ vision for the use of psalms of lament in order to helpÂ prevent missionary attrition. Finally, with kind permission from the author and Paternoster Press, we have included Ian Stackhouses's chapter on Praying the Psalms from his book, The Day is Yours: Slow Spirituality in a Fast-Moving World.*
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> *I trust you will enjoy this edition of Encounters. Please read, reflect and join in the conversation.*