

Writings on C. S. Lewis

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Books (4):

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- Joad.” *Sehnsucht*, Vol. 3 (2009).
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- “C. S. Lewis’ Philosophy of Education.” *Encyclopedia of Christian Education*, London: Rowman & Littlefield, 2015, Volume 2: G-R, 953-955.
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Talks (8):

- “C. S. Lewis Responds: Trends in Religion,” Keynote speech at “C. S. Lewis Across the Curriculum,”
A symposium on C. S. Lewis at Concordia Lutheran Theological Seminary, St. Catharines,
Ontario, March 19-21, 2006
- “Irrigating Deserts: C. S. Lewis on Education,” Keynote speech, The Hill Country Institute for
Contemporary Christianity and Concordia University at Austin, April 21, 2007
- Bible Class on *Mere Christianity*, Covenant Presbyterian Church, Austin, April 15-May 27, 2007
- Bible Class on *The Screwtape Letters*, Covenant Presbyterian Church, Austin, Spring, 2008
- “The Personal Heresy: Scholars Can Be Gentlemen,” Keynote address for “A Day with C. S. Lewis,”
sponsored by the Hill Country Institute for Contemporary Christianity and Concordia
University Texas, October 4, 2008.
- Workshop on “The Writings of C. S. Lewis.” Lord of Life Lutheran Church, Plano, Texas. February
21, 2009.
- Bible Class on *The Screwtape Letters*, First Evangelical Free Church, Austin, Spring, 2009.
- Workshop at the ALOA meeting at Faith Lutheran Church, Georgetown, Texas, Feb. 4, 2011, on “The
War Writings of C. S. Lewis.”