

Editorial

Dear Readers,

Here you find the second 2022 issue of *Religions & Christianity in Today's China* (中国宗教评论).

We continue with the regular series of News Updates on recent events and general trends with regard to religions and especially Christianity in today's China.

This year Katharina Wenzel-Teuber has again compiled "Statistics on Religions and Churches in the People's Republic of China and in Singapore" with an "Update for the Year 2021." Besides many details and trends of the various numerically measurable developments in the religions of China, this year's statistical update covers the results of a survey on the response to different Bible translations among Catholics in Mainland China. New data are presented on the religions in multi-ethnic Singapore, where the population is 74.3% ethnic Chinese.

The article "A City Set on a Hill": A Priest and His Church Whose Design Had Been Revised Seven Times" by Song Mingyan, editorial journalist of *Xinde*, describes the beautiful and eye-catching design of the Liulin Catholic Church in Lüliang City, Shanxi Province and its development process.

This issue closes with a book review by Prof. Dr. Elisa Giunipero, Catholic University of Sacred Heart in Milan, of Bibiana Yee-ying Wong, *The Short-lived Catholic Central Bureau: National Catalyst for Cultural Apostolate in China (1947–1951)*.

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