

## Editorial

Dear Readers,

Today we can present to you the August 2022 issue of *Religions & Christianity in Today's China* (中国宗教评论) which is the third issue this year.

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.

Prof. Dr. Leo Leeb, Renmin University of China in Beijing, in his article “Lu Bohong, the ‘Forgotten Saint’ of Shanghai” vividly portrays and resurrects the Catholic entrepreneur and active “apostle of charity.” Alongside Ma Xiangbo (1840–1939), Joseph Lu Bohong (1875–1937) was probably the best known Chinese Catholic of his times, but due to the war and subsequent developments he sank into oblivion.

The issue closes with a book review by Michael Kropp, Misereor in Germany, of Chan Shun-hing – Jonathan W. Johnson, *Citizens of Two Kingdoms. Civil Society and Christian Religion in Greater China*.

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