

**Rev. Dr. Van Johnson**

Curriculum Vitae

**EDUCATION:**

BA, McGill, Montreal

MDiv, Trinity Evangelical Divinity School, Chicago

ThD, Wycliffe College, University of Toronto

**PROFESSIONAL LIFE:**

**A. In church:**

Pastor, *Trinity Pentecostal Church*, Montreal, 1982-3

Pastor, *Agincourt Pentecostal Church*, 1986-1993

Pastor, *Agincourt Pentecostal Church*, 1996-2018

Ordained Minister with Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, 1983–

**B. In the academy:**

Faculty, *Eastern Pentecostal Bible College (now Master's College)*, 1983-5

Faculty, *Western Pentecostal Bible College (now Summit Pacific)*, 1994-1996

Dean, *Master's Pentecostal Seminary (Canadian Pentecostal Seminary)*, 1996—

Adjunct Professor of New Testament, *Tyndale Seminary*, 1996–

Program Director, MTS in Pentecostal Studies, *Tyndale Seminary*, 2002

Member of the *Society for Pentecostal Studies*

Member of the *Society of Biblical Literature*

**C. In the church and academy:**

Co-chair of Theological Study Commission of PAOC, with David Wells

Co-host of MCS *Pentecasts*. [mcspentecasts.podbean.com](http://mcspentecasts.podbean.com)

**D. Elsewhere**

Chair of the Board, *Teen Haven*, Montreal, 2016–

**ARTICLES FOR MAGAZINES**

“Raising the Resurrection.” Ask a Theologian column, *Faith Today*, Mar/Apr 2007.

“Do Pentecostals Think They Are the Only Ones Filled with the Spirit?” Ask a Theologian column, *Faith Today*, Nov/Dec 2008.

“Speaking of Tongues: Understanding the Sign of Spirit Baptism.” *Testimony*. Vol. 99. No. 3 (May/June 2018)

“Theologizing on the Run.” *Testimony and Enrich*. Vol. 100, no. 2 (2019).

### ARTICLES IN JOURNALS

“Jesus is Coming Soon.” *Eastern Journal of Practical Theology* 3, no. 2 (1989): 25-34.

Holm, R., V. Johnson, and D. Wells. “The End of Tongues? A Conversation with Gabriel, Stewart and Shanahan.” *Canadian Journal of Pentecostal-Charismatic Christianity* 7, no. 1 (2016): 25-40.

“Eschatology and Mission: A Pentecostal Perspective.” *Asian Journal of Pentecostal Studies* 23 no. 1 (Feb 2020): 85-108. Presented at the Reformed-Pentecostal Dialogue in Accra, Ghana, hosted by the World Communion of Reformed Churches.

### CHAPTERS IN BOOKS

“Romans.” In *Full Life Bible Commentary to the NT*, edited by French Arrington and Roger Stronstad. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 1999.  
[republished as *Life in the Spirit Bible Commentary to the New Testament*, 2016].

“Fulfilment of God’s Promise in the Soon-to-Return King.” In *Pentecostals in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century: Identity, Beliefs, Praxis*, edited by Corneliu Constantineanu and Christopher Scobie, 181-201. Eugene, OR: Cascade Books, 2018.

“The End of Pentecostal Preaching.” In *Pentecostal Preaching and Ministry in Multicultural and Post-Christian Canada*, edited by Steven Studebaker, 103-124. Eugene, OR: Pickwick Publications, 2019.

“Pentecostals and Luke-Acts: Reading St. Luke in the Pre and Post Stronstad Eras” In *Reading St. Luke’s Text and Theology: Pentecostal Voices: Essays in Honor of Professor Roger Stronstad*, edited by R. Tuppurainen, 35-47. Eugene, OR: Pickwick Publications, 2019.

### BOOK REVIEWS

Review of *Reading Luke-Acts in the Pentecostal Tradition*, Martin W. Mittelstadt (Cleveland, TN: CPT Press, 2010). *Pneuma* 33.2 (2011).

Review of *Winds From the North: Canadian Contributions to the Pentecostal Movement*, edited by M. Wilkinson and P. Althouse, Leiden: Brill, 2010. *Canadian Journal of Pentecostal-Charismatic Christianity*, vol. 2, no. 1 (2011): 188-91.

Albertini, V., D. Coulter, V. Johnson, and Jennifer Miskov. "Authors Meet Critics: Reviewing *Catch The Fire: Soaking Prayer and Charismatic Renewal*," M. Wilkinson and P. Althouse, Northern Illinois University Press, 2014. *Canadian Journal of Pentecostal-Charismatic Christianity* Vol 6 no. 1 (2015): 1-21.

Review of "Pentecostal Hermeneutics: A Reader," Lee Roy Martin, ed. *Pneuma* 38, no. 1-2 (2016): 232-33.

## **BOOKS EDITED**

Van Johnson and David Wells, eds. *Authentically Pentecostal: Here's What We See, A Conversation*. Mississauga, ON: Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, 2011.

Van Johnson and David Wells, eds. *His Witnesses: Christian Witness in a Multi-Religious World*. Mississauga, ON: Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, 2013.

Van Johnson and David Wells, eds. *Nexus: Where Theology and Mission Meet*. Mississauga, ON: Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, 2015.

McGhee, Quentin, executive editor, and Steve Eutsler, Van Johnson, and Edgardo Muñoz, eds. *Romans and Galatians: The Gospel According to Paul*. Springfield, IL: Faith & Action Team, 2012.

## **LECTURESHIPS/CONFERENCES**

Bi-annual lecturer, "History of Pentecostalism," ACTS (TWU), Langley, BC, 1998–2012

Annual lecturer, "Pentecostal History," Vanguard, Edmonton, AB, 2015—

Plenary Speaker, "Pentecostal Power and Other Things We Have Lost," General Conference of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, Winnipeg, 1996.

Plenary Speaker, "Holy Spirit: Person, Language, and Work," Fall Conference on the Ministry, Burlington, ON, 2008.

Plenary Speaker, "A Reminder and a Revelation," General Conference of the Pentecostal Assemblies of Canada, Victoria, 2018.

Plenary Speaker, "Healthy Church = Healthy Eschatology," Fall Conference on the Ministry, Niagara Falls, ON, 2019.

## **VIDEO SERIES**

*Conversations About the Holy Spirit / 2018*

[Onechurch.to/holyspirit](http://Onechurch.to/holyspirit)

*YOLO: How's It All Going to End? / 2019*  
Onechurch.to/yolo