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## EDITORIAL

We are now six. Entering our seventh year, *The Confessional Presbyterian* journal has two new editors. The Rev. James J. Cassidy and the Rev. Dr. C. N. Willborn have agreed to take on the task of overseeing the large Articles section of the journal.

Dr. Willborn is Adjunct Professor of Historical Theology at Greenville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, Greenville, South Carolina, and pastor of Covenant Presbyterian Church (PCA) in Oak Ridge, Tennessee. Dr. Willborn's 2003 Ph.D. Dissertation was *John L. Girardeau (1825–98): Pastor to Slaves and Theologian of Causes*. His writings and publications include: "Adoption: A Historical Perspective with Evangelical Implications," in *Sanctification: Growing in Grace* (2002); "The Diaconate: God's Office of Temporal Affairs," in *Confessing Our Hope* (2004); "The 'Ministerial and Declarative' Powers of the Church and In Thesi Deliverances," in *The Confessional Presbyterian* 1 (2005); "Gilbert Tennent," in *Colonial Presbyterianism* (2007); "Presbyterians in the South and the Slave: A Study in Benevolence," in *The Confessional Presbyterian* 3 (2007); "Biblical Theology in Southern Presbyterianism," in

*The Hope Fulfilled* (2008) and "The Deacon: A Divine Right Office with Divine Uses," in *The Confessional Presbyterian* 5 (2009). He is currently working on what would be the first critical biography of John L. Girardeau, the famous Southern Presbyterian preacher to slaves.

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Both men have been enthusiastic contributors since the journal's inception in 2005, and join the work along with the Rev. Lane Keister who took up management of the Reviews section in 2009. The assembling of this fine team of editors will ensure this publication continues offering quality material on issues of concern and interest from a confessional Presbyterian and Reformed point of view. In the balance of this editorial, the editors will survey and highlight the contents of our sixth issue, which while not quite as long as our longest issue to date last year, is a far larger compilation than

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