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**JOSEPH KWAK** is the senior pastor of the Jesus-Hope Presbyterian Church in Bun-Dang, a suburb of Seoul, Korea, which he planted in 2004 and now has grown to become one of the promising model churches with 11,000 registered members. He received his bachelor's from Soongsil University in Korea, his M.Div. from Philippines Baptist Theological Seminary in the Philippines, his Th.M. from Princeton Theological Seminary, and his doctorate from Fuller Theological Seminary. In his church ministry, Rev. Kwak has been focusing on spreading the Gospel and on Sunday worship, giving full attention to the piety often lacking in modern Christianity and its spirituality.



**SCOTT W. SUNQUIST** is professor of world Christianity at Pittsburgh Theological Seminary. He came to Pittsburgh in 1995 after teaching at Trinity Theological College in the Republic of Singapore for eight years. He was also the pastor of Covenant Presbyterian Church in Singapore for three years. Sunquist holds degrees from the University of North Carolina (B.A.), Gordon-Conwell Theological Seminary (M.Div.), and Princeton Theological Seminary (Ph.D.). He has worked as a campus staff member for Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship both in Virginia and Massachusetts. Sunquist has written in the areas of mission theology, pluralism, and Asian Christianity and at present is doing research and writing on historiography, missiology, and Christianity in the non-Western world.

		Sunday, June 10		
6:30-7:15 p.m.	Registration and hors d'oeuvres			
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### Monday and Tuesday Evening Presenter



**Deirdre King Hainsworth**  
Assistant Professor of Ethics and  
Director, Center for Business, Religion  
and Public Life, Pittsburgh Theological  
Seminary

### Monday Afternoon Concert



**Yeeha Chiu**  
Steinway Artist, born in Hong Kong  
and graduate of the Royal College  
of Music (London) and The Juilliard  
School (New York City)

### Worship Organist



**C. William Goff**  
Retired Director of Music and  
Organist, Northmont United  
Presbyterian Church, Pittsburgh, Pa.

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