

Foreword

This issue offers a broad range of articles and book reviews, including several items that give us an opportunity to familiarize CGR readers with the work of distinguished Mennonite social historian Hans-Jürgen Goertz. He is the editor of *Mennonite Geschichtsblätter*, a German scholarly journal of Anabaptist history and Mennonite studies, and enjoys a deserved reputation as a resource for Mennonite self-understanding.

We take this occasion to express our deep gratitude to colleague Arthur P. Boers of Tyndale Seminary, CGR's indefatigable book review editor, for his dedicated service to the journal for more than a dozen years, and to announce that Troy Osborne, Assistant Professor of History and Theological Studies at Conrad Grebel University College, has stepped into that role. As well, we celebrate the many valuable contributions of Carol Lichti, CGR's longtime circulation manager, whose position will now be filled by Katie Gingerich. Thank you, Arthur and Carol! And welcome aboard, Troy and Katie!

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