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This Special Issue exemplifies some of the internal diversity within Reformed theology. It focuses on challenges, opportunities, shortcomings, history, and hope as the Christian church enters its twenty-first millennium, and the Reformed tradition begins its fifth century. Essays explore the ongoing vitality of a tradition that began in Central Europe and now has its largest representation in the Global South. Some essays focus on doctrinal themes—sovereignty, covenant, and atonement—that have marked the tradition since its inception. Other pieces focus on emerging perspectives and underdeveloped themes within the tradition. Still, others explore the present impact of historical witnesses within and beyond the tradition, and how these voices have shaped Reformed theology for good and ill. The result is a collection that demonstrates how a moderately sized branch of the Christian family has avoided stasis by fostering a degree of pluralism in its attempt to discern the ongoing task of reform.

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