DEPARTMENT OF **RELIGION** STUDIES





NEWSLETTER

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We wish everyone a relaxing and joyful December



and merry Christmas to those who celebrate it!



Publications and other news from the department

Prof Lilly Nortjé-Meyer has been appointed as the Head of Department for a second term 2020-2022. She also received a long service award for 35 years of uninterrupted service at RAU / UJ.



Dr P.R. Hesman, a former PhD student of Prof Nortjé-Meyer, and **Prof Nortjé-Meyer** co-authored an article titled 'Intertextuality and the metanarrative of new creation in Romans I: Sociological dimension' that was published in *Pharos Journal of Theology*. Prof Nortjé-Meyer also published a single-authored article titled 'The wife as stranger in the family' in the journal *HTS Teologiese Studies/Theological Studies*. You can find a full text of the latter here: https://doi.org/10.4102/hts.v75i4.5655.



Dr George Nche, a Postdoctoral Research Fellow in the department, recently published an article titled 'Cultism in Rivers State: Causes, faith-based organizations' role and the setbacks' in the journal *Transformation: An International Journal of Holistic Mission Studies*.



Tsitsi Bvute (MA) and **Wayne Saldanha** (honours), who recently graduated from our department, were among the graduates celebrated by the Faculty of Humanities as Top Achievers (i.e. top performing graduates) in November. Congratulations! We are proud of you!

We'll be back in 2020