

# **Building Green, Being Green**

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It's not easy building green. But churches that take the call to wise environmental stewardship seriously have a wide variety of options.

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# **Faith Digest: Graham tops list**

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Evangelist Billy Graham was named by American pastors as the United States' most influential living preacher, according to a recent survey by LifeWay Research.

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# **At church cafe, eat what you want, pay what you can**

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At A Better World Cafe in Highland Park, N.J., it's not exactly "all you can eat." It's more like whatever you can pay.

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## **Movie spotlights Darwin's loss of faith, family crisis**

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Heated debate. Loss of faith. Religious discord. Questions about death, the universe, and our place in it. According to a new film, Charles Darwin saw—and wrestled with—all of that and more.

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## **After quake, Haiti missionaries ask: 'Why not me?'**

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As the dust settles from Haiti's devastating quake, mission workers of all types are wondering why they survived, why others didn't.

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## **Super Bowl parties OK as long**

# **as NFL guidelines followed, experts say**

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Despite crackdowns from the National Football League in recent years that frightened many church leaders into abandoning watch parties for America's biggest sporting event, experts say churches are free to host viewings of Super Bowl XLIV on Feb. 7 as long as they follow a few NFL guidelines.

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# **Swiss aren't only ones who resist mosque construction**

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When Switzerland recently voted to ban construction of minaret towers at mosques, some observers interpreted it as an expression of European xenophobia that never would find a home in multicultural America. But to say it couldn't happen here would be wrong—or at least premature.

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# **Is forgiveness always appropriate for Christians? Yes, but...**

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Should Christians always forgive, regardless of circumstances? Is granting forgiveness always appropriate? “Yes, but ...,” four Christians who deal with the concept in different contexts responded.

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# **Ministry helps wounded pastors stay in the pulpit**

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The 2008 murder of 35-year-old Mashonda Griffin in her home was a blow to her fellow church members—especially when they learned one of the people charged in her death was a former parishioner whom Griffin had helped in the past.

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# **Forgive us our trespasses**

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Some theologians suggest many Christians struggle with forgiveness and reconciliation in interpersonal relations because they fail to grasp exactly what those concepts mean.

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# **Christian moviemakers use their craft to inspire potential missionaries**

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Three hundred evangelical Christian college students attended the Film Festival and Forum at the Urbana conference, the largest gathering of mission agencies in the world. Its purpose is to connect more than 16,000 young, idealistic, energetic college students with the 280 mission organizations and seminaries that staffed booths for the five-day event.

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# **Faith Digest: Sydney bishop**

# **dresses down casual clergy**

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An Anglican bishop in Australia's largest city has dressed down his clergy over their lack of sartorial style.