

Order and Novelty

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The Wesleyan Quadrilateral

- Scripture
- Reason
- Tradition
- Experience

Order

Tough Minded
Tradition
Justice
Law
Science

Novelty

Tender-hearted
Experience
Mercy
Grace
Art

ORDER

NOVELTY

Form

Intentionality
Self-conservation
Being
Identity
Rest
Conservation
Structure

Dynamics

Vitality
self- transcendence
Becoming
difference
movement
Change
Potential

Destiny

law

Freedom

Spontaneity

Participation

Individuation

Paul Tillich – Polarity Elements in Ontological Thought

Scriptures:

He said to them, "Therefore every teacher of the law who has become a disciple in the kingdom of heaven is like the owner of a house who brings out of this storeroom new treasures as well as old." Matthew 13:52

See, I am sending you out like sheep into the midst of wolves; so be wise as serpents and innocent as doves. Matthew 10:16

What does the Lord require of you, but to do justice, and to love mercy and to walk humbly with God. Micah 6:8

Neither is new wine put into old wineskins; otherwise, the skins burst, and the wine is spilled, and the skins are destroyed; but new wine is put into fresh wineskins, and so both are preserved. Matthew 9:17

Jeremiah 18 – Potter and the Clay

We played the flute for you and you did not dance, we wailed and you did not mourn. Matthew 11:16-19