Record Nr. UNINA9910791943603321 Autore Lord Andrew Titolo Network church [[electronic resource]]: a Pentecostal ecclesiology shaped by mission / / By Andy Lord Leiden: Boston: Brill, 2012 Pubbl/distr/stampa 1-280-49617-7 **ISBN** 9786613591401 90-04-22548-X Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (278 p.) Collana Global Pentecostal and Charismatic studies, , 1876-2247;; v. 11 Disciplina 262/.0994 Church Soggetti Mission of the church Missions - Theory Pentecostal churches - Doctrines Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Description based upon print version of record. Nota di bibliografia Includes bibliographical references and index. Nota di contenuto Preliminary Material -- Introduction -- Mission and Methodology --Pentecostal Ecclesiology -- Trinitarian Network Church -- Network Catholicity -- Network Partnership -- Engaging the World --Conclusion -- Bibliography -- Index. Pentecostal churches have grown over the last century but only a Sommario/riassunto limited amount has been written about their ecclesiology. Much of the existing work focuses on congregational models and contemporary practice. This book argues the need for a pentecostal systematic approach to ecclesiology. Utilising the method of Amos Yong a pentecostal ecclesiology based on a network church structure is developed. Systematic issues of catholicity are addressed through mission insights on partnership, and a hospitable approach to contextualisation is developed. This book, therefore, suggests new

ways forward in pentecostal studies and ecclesiology.