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**Saying what “spiritual seekers” want to hear
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Many churches today are seeking numbers. As a result, they try to reach out to spiritual seekers. Churches do this by focusing on what theologians call God’s immanence, his nearness. Churches talk about personal relationship with Christ and emphasize Jesus as a friend. They talk about the Holy Spirit as God’s continuing friendly presence and never talk about the work of the Spirit as a judge who reprimands and withholds permission. The result is that folks who mostly hear about Jesus as a friend and the Holy Spirit as companion and comforter do not really know much about the God described in the Bible.

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