I will now briefly write a detailed review on this book, which I believe professor Migliore had done a great and deep work in this field of doctrinal theology by introducing basic doctrines as believed by the church. In this work, Daniel Migliore introduces basic fundamental Christian theologies from the reformed perspective. The nature, basis and theme of these basic doctrines are discussed in a critical and contextual manner. The author has carefully selected the title of a book as "Faith Seeking Understanding" in which he asserts that this a first Faith Seeking Understanding - St. Anselm The most striking theme in Anselm's Proslogion, or faith seeking understanding, is the idea that in order to prove God's existence one must first have faith in Him, and only then will one be able to truly understand and appreciate God's existence. Anselm argues for this eloquently, "I do not seek to understand that I may believe, but I believe in order to understand. For this also I believe, that unless I believed, I should not understand" (Ch.1 Proslogion). Let us now investigate what Anselm means by this, what led him to his I 1 - Introduction: Faith Seeking Understanding. Francis J. Beckwith, Baylor University, Texas. Publisher: Cambridge University Press. For I do not seek to understand that I may believe, but I believe in order to understand. For this also I believe, â€” that unless I believed, I should not understand. St. Anselm of Canterbury (1033â€”1109). I want atheism to be true and am made uneasy by the fact that some of the most intelligent and well-informed people I know are religious believers. It isn't just that I don't believe in God and, naturally, hope that I'm right in my belief. It's that I hope there is no God! Email your librarian or administrator to recommend adding this book to your organisation's collection. Taking Rites Seriously. Francis J. Beckwith.