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<u>Video 4: Discernment as embodied Christian practical wisdom - https://youtu.be/L6II8U_KSgQ</u>

Slow wisdom book: see chapter 4 for more detail

- Feeling and discernment create a Baptist divine gut; embodied Christian practical wisdom.
- The divine gut is both an index of the presence of Christ and a recognition of the Spirit's movement.
- Wisdom = *Phronesis* in Matthew 7.24, we wisely build on Christ.
- Embodied wisdom = knowledge 'where the body itself knows how to act' (Tanaka, 2011)
- Baptist bodies participate at the Church Meeting and dis-member when other members of the body are poorly treated.
- bell hooks (2010): Practical wisdom helps us to remember that ideas are not fixed and static but always subject to change.
- Baptists are open to the new, Spirit always transforming and renewing (John 3.8).

QUESTION: In what ways might the Baptist divine gut help us to discern the mind of Christ?