M&E DESCRIPTION

Understanding Mission & Evangelism Through Biography is about the life stories and faith journeys of women and men extending grace to more and more people (II Corinthians 4:15) historically and in the present.

M&E OBJECTIVES

1. Demonstrating clear articulation of one’s definition and theology of mission and evangelism, based on the ecumenical criteria for doctrine and theology – Scripture, Tradition, Reason, and Experience.
2. Learning about thriving contemporary models of mission and evangelism as resources for leading/serving with churches to extend grace to more and more people.
3. Command of mission and evangelism stories across the Christian millennia for leaders’ personal encouragement and for teaching in their congregations.

REQUIRED TEXTS

ADNEY, FRANCES S. GRACEFUL EVANGELISM: CHRISTIAN WITNESS IN A COMPLEX WORLD (BAKER ACADEMIC: GRAND RAPIDS, 2010).


ISBN 0-8028-3867-7


**COURSE WORK FOR TRANSCRIPT EVALUATION**

1) The 7 required texts for shared background.

2) Brief (5-10 pp.) research essay, with annotated bibliography, on your theology of mission & evangelism. **DUE** on 7 March. 30% of course grade.

3) Two in class presentations on selected mission and evangelism leaders or movements. Topics selected in consultation with Charles. Presentations **begin** 21 February. 30% of course grade.

4) In-depth (15-20 pp.) formal, documented research paper on a person or movement, chosen in consultation with Charles, for one longer presentation in class. Presentations begin 4 April. Final draft of the supporting paper is **DUE** 2 May for graduating seniors, 9 May for others. 40% of course grade.
5) Owing to semester long engagement in research, writing, and presentations there will not be separate mid-term and end of term exams.

**PROGRESS OF STUDIES**

This schema is a progress chart, not a dated schedule, with starter lists for potential in class presentations. Student presentation days do not have to match this chronology.

**MISSION & EVANGELISM IN OUR EXPERIENCE**

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**ARE MISSION & EVANGELISM THE SAME?**


**FROM JOHN OF PATMOS TO JOHN CASSIAN**

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WINNING THE WEST FOR THE POPE


Augustine of Canterbury  Columba  Patrick
Brigid of Kildare  Martin of Tours  Benedict of Nursia
Boniface  Baptizing the Vikings  Charlemagne
Clotilda & Clovis  Berta & Aethelbert

CHURCH MILITANT AND TRIUMPHANT


Dominic de Guzman  Peter Waldo  Beguines
Julian of Norwich  Hildegard of Bingen  Catherine of Siena
Innocent III  Thomas Aquinas  Bonaventure
Anselm of Canterbury

REFORM CENTURIES

The First Reformation  Lollards & Reginald Pecock  Councils
Martin Luther  John Calvin  Huldrych Zwingli  John Knox
Church in/of England  Believer Baptists  Ignatius of Loyola
Francis Xavier  Matteo Rici  Teresa of Avila  John of the Cross

THE REFORMED IN ENGLAND AND AMERICA


Richard Baxter  New England Colonies  Francis Makemie
VARIETIES OF EVANGELICALS IN THE 1700s


Isaac Watts  David Brainerd  George Whitefield
The Wesleys

CONFIDENT DENOMINATIONS


Jarena Lee  Zilpha Elaw  Julia A. Foote
Ashbel Green  James Brainerd Taylor  Charles G. Finney

THE PROTESTANT MODERN MISSIONARY MOVEMENT


William H. Sheppard & Samuel Lapsley  David Livingstone
Walter Lambuth & John W. Gilbert  John Young Allen
Charles Taylor  Albert Schweitzer  Jim Elliott
Leslie Newbigin  E. Stanley Jones  William Carey
Eric Liddell  Adoniram Judson  Ko Tha Byu
Hudson Taylor  Lottie Moon  Gladys Alward
Mother Teresa  John R. Mott  Joe Oldham
Toyohiko Kawaga  Yoitsu Honda  Watchman Nee
THIS LAST CHRISTIAN CENTURY


Martin Luther King, Jr. Eugene Carson Blake G. Bromley Oxnam
Charles Albert Tindley Desmond TuTu Donald Soper
William Temple Robert E. Speer William Hocking
Pearl S. Buck

MISSION & EVANGELISM FOR THE THIRD MILLENIUM


“New Monasticism” Missional Church Model Rick Warren
Bill & Lynne Hybels Faith Fowler Nadia Bolz-Weber
Barbara Brown Taylor Tim Keller Lamin Sanneh
Hunter Farrell Peter Storey Francis
Kevin Cosby Matt Chandler Rob Bell
John Pavlovitz John Edgar
STATED CALENDAR

07 February  1\textsuperscript{st} day of 12 class meetings
21 February  shorter in class presentations begin (2 each week)
27 February  Black Church Studies Consultation
07 March     research essay due
14 March     Research & Study Week
04 April     longer in class presentations begin (2 each week)
02 May       last day of class; research papers due for graduating seniors
09 May       research papers due for those not graduating
11 May       end of semester
13 May       Graduation!!

FEAST DAY OF BRIGID OF KILDARE (1 FEBRUARY) 2018

Extending grace to more and more people in the 2\textsuperscript{nd} half of the 1\textsuperscript{st} millennium.