#### **LAIDLAW COLLEGE**

Te Wananga Amorangi

# 302.715 History of Christianity: Reformation to Current Times Course Assessment and Delivery Outline

Campus: Auckland NQF Level 7
15 Credits

#### **CONTENT OVERVIEW**

Key individuals are in italics

#### Section A: Reformation Continued...

- 1. The Radical Reformation: The Anabaptists. *Menno Simons*
- 2. The Catholic Reformation: Trent, Papal Reform, New Orders, Mission. Ignatius Loyola
- 3. The Reformation in England and Scotland. English Puritanism. *Thomas Cranmer, John Knox, Oliver Cromwell*

## Section B: The Church in a Revolutionary Age

- 1. New challenges to the Church in the Eighteenth Century: the Enlightenment and the French Revolution.
- 2. Renewal: Pietism, revivals, Methodists, Evangelicals, Tractarians. *John Wesley, George Whitefield, Jonathan Edwards.*
- 3. Attacks on religious authority: higher criticism, science and religion.
- 4. The Church and social change: the Clapham Sect, the Salvation Army, the Social Gospel. *William Wilberforce, William and Catherine Booth.*
- 5. Christianity in the USA: frontier religion, Revivalism, cults, Pentecostalism, fundamentalism, neo-evangelicalism. *Charles Finney, D.L. Moody. William Seymour Aimie Semple-McPherson.*

#### **Section C: Global Christianity**

- 1. Christianity becomes a world religion: main features of the missionary movement in the 19th and 20th centuries. *William Carey. Student Seminars*
- 2. Christianity in Africa & Asia Student Seminars
- 3. Christianity in New Zealand & the Pacific Student Seminars
- 4. Christianity in Europe: Church & State interaction. Bonhoeffer
- 5. Winds of Change: Ecumenism, The Vatican Councils

## **ASSESSMENT TASKS AND DUE DATES**

## 1. Weekly Forum and Required Pre-Reading

Learning outcomes: 1, 2, 3, 4

Due Date: Weekly prior to class for Weeks 2 - 8.

Weighting: (combined) 25% Length: 200-250 words each **Required reading** is outlined on pages 8-11 of this Assessment and Delivery Outline. Read the appropriate pages prior to class and write a reflective historical & contemporary response in the form of eleven forums on Moodle on the suggested people/ events / movements.

- Entries should be between 200 (minimum) to 250 (maximum) words each.
- Record your reading as a title for each of your forums. Footnote or bracket any additional references.
- A final grade will be awarded at the end of the semester

Readings should be completed prior to class on the assigned weeks.

**Forum topics** are outlined on pages 8-11 of this Assessment and Delivery Outline. Forums are to be completed fortnightly on even weeks

Nb. Your forum will be visible to other students.

#### Placing your reflection on Moodle:

Prepare your response in a separate word processor document and then cut and paste it into your forum.

#### Grading

One final grade will be awarded overall at the end of the semester. For this grade students need to have completed & passed 6 of the 7 reading responses . One overall grade will be awarded across all 7 whether completed or not.

Late Submissions: Forums not submitted before 6pm on the Wednesday prior to the appropriate class will be marked down one grade step per day for the first week, unless a special exemption on medical or compassionate grounds has been sought from Student Services. Forums submitted over one week late without an approved extension will be automatically failed as per normal academic procedures.

#### Assessment Criteria:

- Discerning interaction with required reading
- Depth of understanding of key points/ Issues
- Critical reflection &/or application in light of history
- Critical judgement, valid conclusions
- Clarity

## 2. Seminar

Learning outcomes: 1, 4, 5

Due Date: as assigned by lecturer

Weighting: 30%

Seminar duration 20 mins + 5-10 mins for questions

Seminar handout 1500 words

Prepare and deliver a seminar on the emergence and/or development of Christianity in one country in Africa, Asia or the Pacific after 1500 A.D. and offer a critical evaluation of mission engagement with local people groups. (If the development in your chosen country is extensive - as is the case with Africa - offer a background summary then focus on a period of approx. 50-100 years where significant development occurred)

## Choice of Country:

Choose one of the following in consultation with your lecturer (Only one seminar per country - a sign up list will be available to ensure no double ups)

- Asia: e.g., India, Vietnam, Thailand, Malaysia, Indonesia, Singapore, China, Hong Kong, Taiwan, Japan, Philippines, Burma, Sri Lanka and Korea
- Africa any current country
- Pacific: One island group e.g., Niue, Samoa, Tonga, Vanuatu, Fiji, Cook Islands, Tuvalu, Papua New Guinea

## Seminar Preparation and Delivery:

- In preparation for your seminar, consult at least five books or articles.
- Your full seminar in essay form should be prepared prior to class and offered as a hand-out at the beginning of your seminar. Hand-outs should include footnotes and a bibliography as for an academic essay.
- Seminars should be well structured and clearly delivered. Creativity is invited including the use of a PowerPoint &/or short (no more than 3 min) YouTube/ Dvd clips.

#### Submission:

Upload your full hand-out mid-night prior to the date of your seminar.

## Assessment Criteria:

- Coverage of Content relevant, factual
- Understanding of Issues appreciation of setting, key factors along with immediate & ongoing significance / impact identified
- Critical Evaluation of missionary activity on the establishment of Christianity in relation to context
- Presentation clarity, objectivity, balanced use of time, creativity.
- Breadth of research, Referencing, Bibliography

3. Essay

Learning outcomes: 1, 3, 4, 5

Due Date: End of Study Week

Weighting: 45 % Length: 3000 words

In preparation for your essay, consult some primary sources where possible <u>plus</u> at least <u>six</u> books or articles. Essays should aim to offer a critical evaluation of one of the statements below.

#### Essay Topics: Choose one of the following:

- 'For nineteenth century evangelicals social action and preaching the gospel were closely linked.' (Hill, The New Lion Handbook, 352) Discuss with specific reference to at least two major social issues during this period.
- 2. 'The basic doctrines of Christianity, although essential, needed to be rethought in light of the new, modern worldview in order to regain their relevance and moral authority.' (Hill, *The New Lion Handbook*, 361) Discuss in relation to the work of eighteenth and nineteenth Century German thinkers and critics on Christian faith.
- 'Revivals were a catalyst not only for individual spiritual renewal and commitment, but also for collective acceptance of profound changes in the social order.' (Wolfe, *Expansion of Evangelicalism*, 90) Discuss in relation to the nineteenth century revivals with particular attention to the work of Finney and Moody.

- 4. 'Pentecostals endeavoured to displace dead forms and confessions and wild fanaticism with living practical Christianity.' (adapted from *Apostolic Faith*,1906) Discuss in relation to the distinctive features of early Pentecostalism and developments within Christianity in general during this period.
- 5. 'From the merely human point of view, [sending out Maoris to evangelise their own people, armed with the ability to read, and with copies of the New Testament] was the key, more than any other factor, which achieved the evangelisation of the Maori race.' (Evans & McKenzie, *Evangelical Revivals*, 23) Discuss in relation to nineteenth century mission to Maori.

## Assessment Criteria:

- Coverage & depth of understanding of relevant content
- Synthesis of ideas & development of argument
- Critical reflection and evaluation
- Breadth & critical interaction with an appropriate range of primary & secondary sources
- Communication & Presentation
- · Referencing, Bibliography

#### **LEARNING HOURS**

Lectures	36
Required Reading, reflection & Weekly Forum	34
Class Seminar	30
Essay	<u>50</u>
Total:	150

#### **TEXTBOOK**

#### Required text

Gonzales, J.L. *The Story of Christianity. Vol.2: The Reformation to the Present Day,* Rev Edition. New York: HarperCollins, 2010.

#### **BIBLIOGRAPHY**

Use at least <u>six</u> books or articles in preparation for your essay. Include some primary sources where possible.

## Key texts

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- Hill, Jonathan. *The New Lion Handbook: The History of Christianity*, 2<sup>nd</sup> ed. Oxford: Lion Hudson, 2007.
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#### Recommended reading

General (select the sections relevant to each topic)

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#### The Web - Recommended Sites

www.christianitytoday.com/ch

Denominational or organisational parent sites

Google Scholar

Google e-books

## REQUIRED PRE-READING, BLOG TOPICS AND SCHEDULE

## **Schedule**

**Reading Timetable** 

Topic	Due Date
Topics 1 & 2	Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> March
Topic 3	Wednesday 10 <sup>th</sup> March
Topic 4	Wednesday 18 <sup>th</sup> March
Topic 5	Wednesday 25 <sup>th</sup> March
Topic 6	Wednesday 1st April
MID SEMESTER BREAK	
Topic 7	Wednesday 29 <sup>th</sup> April
Topic 8	Wednesday 6 <sup>th</sup> May

## **Readings & Blog Topics**

#### All required readings are from:

Gonzalez, Justo.L. *The Story of Christianity. Vol.2: The Reformation to the Present Day.* New York: HarperCollins, 2010.

Unless otherwise stated.

#### Topics 1 & 2

(complete forum prior to class – week 2)

## 1. The Radical Reformation

Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 6

#### 2. The Catholic Reformation

## Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 12

## Recommended Reading

Gonzalez A History of Christian Thought, 178-225 ~ on the theology of the Catholic

Reformation

What core affirmations at the Council of Trent ensured that Catholicism stood apart from Protestantism for the next four centuries? Explain why then offer a brief response to one of these from a protestant perspective.

## **Topic 3: The English Reformation**

(complete forum prior to class – week 3)

#### Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapters 8 & 18

## Recommended Reading

Noll Turning Points, Chapter 8

Hill History of Christianity, pages 256 – 273 "The Church of England"

Choose one of the sixteenth century monarchs... what key factors shaped their approach to the reformation? To what extent do you think their stance inevitable?

## **Topic 4: New Challenges**

(complete forum prior to class – week 4)

## Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 22 & 28 (to page 359)

## Recommended Reading

Noll *Turning Points*, pages 245 – 258

Hill History of Christianity, pages 312 – 324 "Faith and Reason"

Rationalism is thought to have contributed to the demise of European Christendom – Describe two factors that may have contributed to this idea.

What role does reason play in your faith?

#### **Topic 5: Renewal**

(complete forum prior to class – week 5)

### Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 23, 24 & pages 288-90

#### Recommended Reading

Shelley Chapters 33 – 35

Noll Turning Points, Chapter 10

In light of Gonzalez's description of the Pietists & evangelicals (e.g., Wesley, Whitefield) – briefly describe what you see as one of their most significant contributions to renewal in the 18<sup>th</sup> Century. In what areas does Christianity in New Zealand need renewal today?

## **Topic 6: Attacks on Religious Authority**

(complete forum prior to class – week 6)

## Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 31

Hill History of Christianity, pages 353-365 "Romanticism"

## Recommended Reading

Shelley Church History in Plain Language, Chapter 40

Noll Turning Points, pages 258-267

Olson The Story of Christian Theology Chapter 32-33

♣ Explain Kierkegaard's idea of cheap Christianity? To what extent do you agree with his thesis regarding the nature of 'true Christianity'?

### **Topic 7: The Church and Social Change**

(complete forum prior to class – week 7)

## Required Reading

Hill History of Christianity, pages 347 - 353 "The Social Challenge"

## Recommended Reading

Shelley Church History in Plain Language, Chapters 37 & 41

What factors shaped the 19<sup>th</sup> C Christian response to social issues? Where do you see social challenges (which may warrant addressing by the church) emerging in NZ today? (describe at least one example)

## **Topic 8: Christianity in USA**

(complete forum prior to class – week 8)

## Required Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 27 & 36

## Recommended Reading

Hill History of Christianity, pages 442 - 459 "Protestants and Catholics in the USA"

Shelley Church History in Plain Language, Chapter 43

- **↓** Locate historically then comment on the potential merits or pitfalls of:
- Either...the approach to preaching & preachers utilised by Baptists & Methodists on the frontier (p327-8)
- Or... the two positions held by the black churches in response to the issue of slavery (p355-6)

## Topics 9 & 10: Christianity Becomes a World Religion/ Christianity in Asia & Africa

(no blog this week)

#### Recommended Reading

Noll, Turning Points, Chapter 12
Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 33
Hill History of Christianity, Chapter 13 & 16

#### Topic 11: Christianity in New Zealand & the Pacific (no blog this week)

## Recommended Reading

"Henry Williams - Missionary Leader" (Additional Course resources folder)

"Pompallier - Priest of God" (Additional Course resources folder)
Davidson Christianity in Aotearoa Chapters 2 & 3
McKenzie Evangelical Revivals in New Zealand Chapter 1

## **Topic 12: Christianity in Europe** (no blog this week)

#### Recommended Reading

Hill History of Christianity, pages 410 – 421 "A changing Eastern Europe"

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 35

Topic 13: Winds of Change (no blog this week)

Recommended Reading

Gonzalez Story of Christianity. Chapter 34 & 37

Shelley Church History in Plain Language, Chapter 44

Hill History of Christianity, pages 434 – 437 "Bones and Councils" & "The Ecumenical

Movement"

