

## COURSE INFORMATION

### Readings

Textbook: *A History of Christianity in the U.S. and Canada* by Mark Noll  
You may skip chapter 10 on Canada. By the mid-term, read chpts. 1-8. Finish this text by the final exam.

### Reports

OPTION #1: Two papers

- 1) **Biographical report** on the life and work of a significant individual in American Church History. This report will be 5+ typed pages, standard format with bibliography.
- 2) **Term paper**, on a pertinent subject (non-biographical) of your choice. Plan on 8 typed pages, standard format with bibliography.

OPTION #2 (Preferred)

Prepare three **class lectures** on the event/trend or major individual or your choice. Each lecture will address a different century, from the 17th to the 20th, and should be completed in class by the end of our discussions of that century. See topic sheets for ideas.

Your lecture will include a typed outline of 2-4 pages given to the rest of the class, and you will be given opportunity to present your report in class as time permits. Bibliography should include three sources besides the class text.

### Exams

A Mid-term and Final Exam will be shipped under separate cover. The mid-term will cover the first two centuries of church history in America, and the final will cover the last two centuries.

These exams should be completed and returned to WRS by June 30, 2014.

### Grading

Exams - 60%  
Reading - 15%

Reports - 20%  
Class Oral Exam -5%