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## **SE/TH702 History of Global Pentecostalism Syllabus**

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### **Description and Purpose of the Course**

The History of Global Pentecostalism is birthed by the advent of the Holy Spirit as recorded in Acts 2:1-21. The context of the advent is in fulfillment of the promise by our Lord, Christ Jesus, that another Comforter would be coming to be a guide into all truth (John 16:12). Also, the immediate context of the advent is one of international ethnicity which, from its very beginning, was determined to be global. Therefore, this course will trace the Spirit Streams that developed in the history of Pentecostalism in its positive and negative manifestations. This means that in dealing with Pentecostalism, the theology of the Holy Spirit will be given due consideration in light of the historical context.

### **Course Skills and Learning Objectives**

After completion of this course, the student should be able to:

- 1) Have a basic understanding of pneumatology and the apostolic ministry.
- 2) Identify and explain the trans-spatial and trans-temporal characteristics and qualities of the Pentecostal/Charismatic roots and heritage.
- 3) In various historical contexts, evaluate the church's teaching on the Holy Spirit.
- 4) Analyze the specific outpourings of the Holy Spirit, distinguishing their characteristics and impact on subsequent Christian history.
- 5) Evaluate the socio-political and religious context of Pentecostalism, including the historical tendencies of the church to marginalize renewal elements.
- 6) Evaluate the theological contributions that Pentecostal/Charismatic movements have made to our understanding of Christian life.
- 7) Demonstrate the ability to integrate the study of the history of Pentecostal/ Charismatic movements into one's personal life, ministry, teaching, and discerning praxis.
- 8) Participate in group interaction regarding differences of opinions relative to Pentecostalism.

### **Core Values of the Program**

- 1) The apostolic ministry is a gift to the Body of Christ.
- 2) The sixty-six canonical books of the Bible as originally written were inspired of God, hence free from error. They constitute the only infallible guide in faith and practice.

- 3) The Holy Spirit is the third Person of the Triune God.
- 4) We are committed to sound biblical, theological, and hermeneutical application in the process of “rightly dividing” (interpreting) the biblical text.
- 5) We are committed to the expressions of the fruit and gifts of the Spirit and to world evangelization which is at the very core of the Christian mission.
- 6) We are committed to prepare men and women as servant leaders through practical training for the various roles to which they are called within a Pentecostal context.

### **Course Procedures**

- 1) There will be pre-residential assignments, residential lectures, case studies practicum while in residence, and a post-residential assignment.
- 2) A flash drive of the power point presentation will be furnished for the student at the price of \$5.00, but it is for your personal use only.
- 3) Pre-residential work means the student will have the assignment ready to turn in on the first day of the class. Anyone turning this in late will be docked points from your final grade.
- 4) Each student will receive a reading log sheet to indicate how much he or she has read, as well as a place to indicate his or her preferred theme for a final paper.

### **Required Texts**

- 1) Anderson, Allan. ***An Introduction to Pentecostalism: Global Charismatic Christianity.*** Cambridge University Press (July 2004). ISBN-10: 0521532809; ISBN-13: 978-0521532808.
- 2) Anderson, Allan. ***Spreading Fires: The Missionary Nature of Early Pentecostalism.*** Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 2007. ISBN-13: 978-1570757495
- 3) Synan, Vinson. ***The Century of the Holy Spirit: 100 Years of Pentecostal and Charismatic Renewal, 1901-2001.*** Thomas Nelson Publishers, First Edition (March 2001). ISBN-10: 0785245502; ISBN-13: 978-0785245506.
- 4) Burgess, Stanley M, Editor. ***Christian Peoples of the Spirit: A Documentary History of Pentecostal Spirituality from the Early Church to Present.*** New York: New York University Press, 2011. ISBN-978-08147-9997-0; ISBN-978-0-8147-9998-7. (Students need only read all the pages specified on page three for preparation for the focus groups to be assigned during residency).

Note: These books can be ordered through a Christian book store or online at **Amazon.com**.

## Methodology

- 1) **General Reading:** All four books will need to be read. A reading log will be given out so each student can indicate how much he or she has read concerning the required books.
- 2) **Pre-Residential Book Reviews:** The student will need to prepare and turn in the following book reviews with cited pages as end notes (Chicago or Turabian Style):
  - A. Anderson's book, *Spreading the Fire*, is to be three (3) pages.
  - B. Synan's book, *The Century of the Holy Spirit*, is to be three (3) pages in length. The reviews are to be typed in Times New Roman or Arial and double-spaced. One-inch margins on all four sides. These book reviews are due the first day of class.
- 3) **Pre-Residential and Residential Period:** Four focus groups will be assigned selected readings from *Christian Peoples of the Spirit*. It would be best to read the following sections from the *Christian Peoples of the Spirit* (Stanley M. Burgess) before class:
  - A. The Ancient Churches: pp. 1-30
  - B. The Medieval Churches: pp. 85-116
  - C. The Early Modern Churches: pp. 156-186
  - D. Contemporary Peoples of the Spirit: pp. 233-294
- 4) **Post-Residential Assignments:**
  - A. **Final Paper:** The student will indicate the theme of his or her final paper with the approval of the professor. The final paper is to be eight (8) pages, typed, double-spaced, and contain at least 15 references from four resources. It should integrate the required readings, lecture presentations, and practicum material. **DO NOT USE WIKIPEDIA AS A REFERENCE** because your final paper will then not be accepted.
  - B. The final due date for **all** work is **April 20, 2018**.

**Academic Honesty:** Students are on their honor to complete assignments with integrity. Relative to the entire course of study, it must be stressed that cheating and plagiarism, which is using the intellectual property (work) of others without giving proper citation credit, leaving the impression that it is the student's own work, is not acceptable.

## Grading System

(Students are required to attend a minimum of six of the seven sessions to avoid losing a letter grade.)

Required Reading	20%
Book Reviews	20%
Case Studies Groups	20%
Final Paper	40%

## Course Outline

Thursday, March 8, 2018 (8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.)

### Session One

- A. Pneumatology: General lecture on the doctrine of the Holy Spirit, the divinity of the Spirit, the role of the Spirit, and personhood of the Spirit (*perichoresis*).
- B. Ancient Perspectives on the Holy Spirit
  - 1. Review of some Ancient Ecclesial Leaders and the Holy Spirit
  - 2. The Didache
  - 3. Radical Spirit Groups
    - a. Montanism
    - b. Macedonianism (Pneumatomachians)
    - c. Messalians
    - d. Eastern Christian Tradition and the Holy Spirit

### Session Two

- A. The Radical Reformers
  - 1. Anabaptists, Spiritualists, Revolutionaries
  - 2. Review of Edward Irving
  - 3. Review of William Arthur – the Tongue of Fire
- B. Precursors of Modern Pentecostalism
  - 1. Methodist and Holiness Movements
  - 2. Pentecostal Catalyst
    - a. Camp Meetings – Cane Ridge
    - b. Welsh Revival
    - c. Pandita Ramabai Mukti Mission (Kedgaon, Pune)
    - d. Frank Sandford – Holy Ghost and Us Bible School
    - e. Latter Rain Impetus
    - f. Charles F. Parham; Agnes Ozman
    - g. William Joseph Seymour
    - h. Azusa Revival – Frank Bartleman
    - i.

Friday, March 9, 2018 (8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.)

### Session Three

- A. Pioneers of Holiness and Pentecostalism
  - 1. John Wesley
  - 2. Phoebe Worrall Palmer
  - 3. Minnie Abrams

4. Smith Wigglesworth
5. G. B. Cashwell
6. Thomas Ball Barratt and Alexander Boddy
7. Petrus Lewi Pethrus
8. Florence Crawford
9. Ivan E. Fimovich Voronaev
10. Luigi Francescon and Giacomo Lombardy
11. John G. Lake
12. Lillian Trasher and Maria Woodworth-Etter

B. Holiness – Pentecostalism: Ecclesial Bodies

1. Church of God in Christ – Charles H. Mason
2. International Pentecostal Holiness Church – J. H. King
3. Church of God (Cleveland, TN) – A. J. Tomlinson
4. Church of God of Prophecy (Cleveland, TN) – A. J. Tomlinson
5. Pentecostal Women Pioneers
6. Foursquare Church – Aimee Semple McPherson

**Session Four**

A. The Assemblies of God

B. The “New Issue” – Oneness Pentecostalism  
1913 Camp Meeting Los Angeles

C. Theology as a Movement

1. Theocracy of the Godhead
2. Subsequent Transition
3. Comfort – Holy Spirit Guidance
4. Case Study – The Split of a Pentecostal Church

**Saturday, March 10 (8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m.)**

**Session Five**

A. Latin Context Pioneers – Leaders

1. Abundio de Lopez & wife, Rosa
2. Adolfo C. Valdez
3. Dr. Willis C. Hoover – Chile
4. Luigi Francescon – Argentina and Brazil
5. Daniel Berg and Gunnar Vingren – Brazil
6. Henry C. Ball
7. Francisco Olazabal
8. Cesáreo Burciaga

9. Alice E. Luce
10. Juan L. Lugo, Frank (Francisco) Ortiz, Esther & Francisco Rodríguez
11. Carlos Annacondia, Omar Cabrera, Claudio Friedzon, Héctor Aníbal Giménez

### **Session Six**

- A. Catalyst Pentecostals
  1. William Bronham
  2. A. A. Allen
  3. Oral Roberts
  4. David Yonggi Cho
  
- B. Charismatic Renewal
  1. Dennis Bennett
  2. Kevin Ranaghan
  3. Kathryn Kuhlman
  
- C. Third Wave Neo-Charismatic Movement
  1. Peter Wagner
  2. John Wimber
  
- D. A Discernment Paradigm: Norms
  1. Celebration, Transference, Irregularities
  2. Balance: Fruit of the Spirit, Gifts of the Spirit
  3. Balance: Biblical Text and Holy Spirit

**Sunday, March 11 (8:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.)**

### **Session Seven**

- A. Report by all four focus groups
- B. Evaluations/Dialogue with the Instructor and Students

## HISTORY OF GLOBAL PENTECOSTALISM

### Reading Assignment Log Sheet

**Course Requirements:** This sheet is to be turned in the first day of class. As a student, there are required readings to be completed before the course begins. Indicate below the readings you have accomplished as this is part of your final grade. Check the appropriate space. (Note: Exceptions for late reading will be made for those who are unable to read the entire fourth book entitled: *Christian Peoples of the Spirit: A Documentary History of Pentecostal Spirituality from the Early Church to Present.*)

*Introduction to Pentecostalism: Global Charismatic Christianity* Y\_\_\_ N\_\_\_

*Spreading Fires: The Missionary Nature of Early Pentecostalism.* Y\_\_\_ N\_\_\_

*Century of the Holy Spirit: 100 Years of Pentecostal and Charismatic Renewal* Y\_\_\_ N\_\_\_

*Christian Peoples of the Spirit: A Documentary History of Pentecostal Spirituality from the Early Church to Present* I will read the assigned pages outlined in the required readings: Y\_\_\_ N\_\_\_

**Final Paper: 8 pages**  
**Due: April 20, 2018**

The subject of my final paper will be entitled:

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I have discussed this with the instructor and he has approved this subject: Y\_\_\_ N\_\_\_

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