



**LOS ANGELES DISTRICT TRAINING CENTER**  
*Member of the Alliance for Ministry Training*

**OTR-2013 GLOBAL EVANGELISM**  
**SPRING- 2003 - THREE SEMESTER HOURS CREDIT**  
**SYLLABUS - KEEP THIS DOCUMENT FOR YOUR PORTFOLIO**

**COURSE PROFESSOR:**

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**CLASS LOCATION:**

Walnut Community Church of the Nazarene, 20801 La Puente Rd., Walnut, CA 91789-2096

**CLASS SCHEDULE:**

Friday, May 2, 1:30 p.m. -10:30 p.m.; Saturday, May 3, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.  
Friday, May 23, 1:30 p.m. -10:30 p.m.; Saturday, May 24, 8 a.m. - 6 p.m.

**REQUIRED COURSE TEXTBOOKS**

1. *Perspectives on the World Christian Movement*, Third Edition. Ralph Winter and Steven Hawthorne, Editors (Pasadena, CA: William Carey Library, 1999). ISBN: 0878082891
2. *Evangelism That Works*, George Barna (Ventura, CA: Regal, 1995). ISBN: 0830717765
3. *Mission to the World*, J. Fred Parker (Kansas City, MO: Nazarene Publishing House, 1988). ISBN: 0834112094  
(Currently out of print but photocopies may be purchased from NBC bookstore by permission of NPH). The instructor has a copy of the book for anyone to use if prearranged. Otherwise please buy the photocopy.

NOTE: Students are responsible to have the required textbooks prior to the first day of class. Students are also encouraged to begin reading the books in preparation for the class as soon as possible.

**ADDITIONAL RECOMMENDED RESOURCES**

- From Jerusalem to Irian Jaya*. Ruth A. Tucker (Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan Publishing House, 1983).
- Customs and Culture*. Eugene Nida (Pasadena, CA: William Carey Library, 1981 [1st. pub. 1954, Harper & Bros.]).
- The Kingdom of God*. John Bright. (Nashville, TN: Abingdon Press, 1953).
- Christianity Rediscovered*. Vincent J. Donovan (Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 1978).

**COURSE DESCRIPTION:**

An overview of the biblical and theological foundations for personal, congregational, and mass evangelism, both local and global. Attention will also be given to the mission program of the Church of the Nazarene.

**COURSE OBJECTIVES:**

The following are competencies for Ordination Course of Study which are achieved by this course:

1. Ability to describe how the church implemented its mission in the various periods of Church History. (CN-26)
2. Ability to think globally & engage cross-culturally for the purpose of mission. (CP-19)
3. Ability to preach evangelistically and to be engaged with and equip others in personal and congregational evangelism. (CP-20)
4. Ability to analyze and describe congregations and communities. (CX-2)
5. Ability to describe socialization and to apply its dynamics to the life of the Christian community. (CX-3)
6. Ability to sensitively explain the nature of cultures. (CX-6)
7. Ability to identify & apply the principles of cross-cultural communications. (CX-7)
8. Ability to place the ministry context in light of the large schemes of world and national history. (CX-8)
9. Ability to understand and articulate the biblical, historical, and theological bases for Christian mission. (CX-10)
10. Ability to describe basic missiological principles & to apply them to the development of the life of a church. (CX-11)

**COURSE REQUIREMENTS:**

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| A. Attendance and participation  | 35% |
| Attendance is expected. You must be present on all four class days to pass the course. No exceptions. Class time will be very interactive and will require the student's full participation. Students will lead in class discussions.  |     |
| B. First Project   | 20% |
| Choose one country outside of North America and examine the history of evangelization of that country up to the present. Examine cultural and worldview issues related to the communication of the gospel there. Discern principles that could be applied to other contexts. Tell how you or your church could participate in spreading the gospel there.  |     |
| C. Second Project  | 20% |
| Choose one ethnic group other than your own in the Los Angeles basin and briefly describe that ethnic group's history here in America. Examine the extent of evangelization of that group. Examine cultural, worldview, and practical issues related to the communication of the gospel to that group. Discern between cultural and worldview change both with first and second generations! Tell how you or your church could participate in spreading the gospel among them. |     |
| D. Essay   | 10% |
| Write a report on Fred Parker's <i>Mission to the World</i> . First give a brief overview of the contents, second give your assessment and response to the book. Five pages maximum.   |     |
| E. Midterm Quiz  | 5%  |
| A midterm quiz will be given on material covered.  |     |
| F. Final Exam  | 10% |
| Essay  |     |

**COURSE SCHEDULE AND OUTLINE:**

Course sessions will include devotionals, lectures, and interactive questions and responses on the required texts and related topics. Necessary breaks will be taken.

If you are coming from a long distance, please contact me, and I will help you with lodging.

***Before you step foot in the door:***

Read Hawthorne & Winter, *Perspectives on World Evangelism*, assigned reading for May 2,3  
George Barna, *Evangelism that Works*, Chapters 1- 5

***Friday, May 2***

Introduction & Slides  
*Perspectives*, Chs. 1, 7, 10, 25, 29, 30, 33  
Barna, Chs. 1, 2, 3  
Missions History (3)  
*Mission Frontiers Magazine*

***Saturday, May 3***

**Quiz** “NIM News,” NIM structure & funding  
*Perspectives*, Chs. 34, 35, 38, 41, 44, 50, 51  
Barna, Chs. 4, 5  
Missions History  
Cultural Anthropology (4)  
“Changing Face of Church” video

***Friday, May 30***

**Parker essay due** First Project Presentation  
**First Project due** *Perspectives*, Chs. 52, 54, 55, 57, 60, 61, 62  
“Adopt-A-People” video  
Barna, Chs. 6, 7, 8  
“Jesus Film Project” video  
Cultural Anthropology  
Biblical Theology of Mission (3)

***Saturday, May 31***

**Final exam** “Samaritan’s Purse” video  
*Perspectives*, Chs. 72, 75, 79, 81, 86, 112, 124  
“30 Day famine” video  
Barna, Chs. 9, 10, 11  
Biblical Theology of Mission  
Exam

Lectures will be given each class period and will cover 1) the history of missions (with a focus on major personalities), 2) cultural, anthropological and worldview issues, and 3) biblical theology of missions.

Each class is to begin with a devotional from Scripture, and we have a total of fifteen minutes for breaks.

Due to the intensive nature of the class, assignments **MUST** be read before class or be turned in on time. Not having read assigned readings or turning in projects late will cause significant grade reduction.