

OVERVIEW OF CHURCH HISTORY IN 36 ILLUSTRATED LECTURES

SYLLABUS

EARLY CHURCH (30-500)

Lecture 1 Introduction Cradle of Christianity	Topics (1) Septuagint (2) C2 Church worship	Lecture 2 Apostolic Fathers C2 Apologists
Lecture 3 Early Christianity at Rome and Alexandria	(3) Date of Easter (4) Marcion	Lecture 4 First heresies NT Canon
Lecture 5 Tertullian at Carthage Christian language	(5) Montanus (6) Cyprian and Eucharist	Lecture 6 Cyprian at Carthage Church government
Lecture 7 Persecution of early Church Constantine's conversion	(7) Constantine's faith? (8) Jerome and Vulgate	Lecture 8 Golden Age of the Church Chrysostom; Ambrose
Lecture 9 Augustine Pelagians; Donatists	(9) Pelagius (10) Athanasius	Lecture 10 Councils and Creeds to 451

MIDDLE AGES (500-1500)

Lecture 11 Rise and fall of Papacy to 1500	(11) Charlemagne (12) Benedict of Nursia	Lecture 12 Monasticism to 1500 Mendicant Orders
Lecture 13 Evangelism in West 'Christian Europe'	(13) Synod of Whitby (14) Icons	Lecture 14 Evangelism in East Division of Church
Lecture 15 Crusades Indulgences	(15) Damage by Crusades (16) Anselm	Lecture 16 Medieval Church life Schoolmen
Lecture 17 Voyages of Discovery Catholic 'Propaganda'	(17) Francis Xavier (18) Thomas a Kempis	Lecture 18 Movements for reform Humanism

REFORMATION (1500 – 1650)/

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Lecture 19 Reformation overview Martin Luther	(19) Philip Melanchthon (20) Heinrich Bullinger	Lecture 20 Ulrich Zwingli Reformers' differences
Lecture 21 Radical Reformers (a) Anabaptists	(21) Anabaptist Munster (22) Amish	Lecture 22 Radical Reformers (b) Mennonites
Lecture 23 John Calvin Arminianism	(23) Calvin's <i>Institutes</i> (24) Westminster Confession	Lecture 24 English Reformation Puritans and Pilgrims
Lecture 25 Scottish Reformation Church government	(25) Presbyterianism (26) Ignatius Loyola	Lecture 26 Catholic Reformation Evaluation of Reformation

MODERN PERIOD (1650-2016)

Lecture 27 Introduction to Modern Period Deism	(27) Quakers (28) Count Zinzendorf	Lecture 28 Pietists, Moravians Early American Christians
Lecture 29 C18 Evangelical Revivals Methodism	(29) Charles Wesley (30) D. L. Moody	Lecture 30 C19 Evangelical Revivals
Lecture 31 C19 Societies and mission C19 Denominations	(31) David Livingstone (32) Salvation Army	Lecture 32 C19 Church / Society The Social Gospel
Lecture 33 Pentecostals; Fundamentals Neo-orthodoxy	(33) Dispensationalism (34) Albert Schweitzer	Lecture 34 Evangelical Christians Para-Church groups
Lecture 35 Ecumenical Movement Vatican II	(35) Liberation theology (36) John R. W. Stott	Lecture 36 C20 Crusades; Congresses C20/C21 Church survey