

# MISSIONS AND EVANGELISM SYLLABUS

Professor Jeff Lyle

#### **Class Duration:**

seven weeks

#### **Course Textbooks:**

- Let the Nations Be Glad by John Piper
- The Joshua Website (https://joshuaproject.net) will be accessed for the research paper

# **Course Description:**

In this course, students will study the topic of Missions and Evangelism, reinforced by biblical teaching concerning the advance of the Gospel in this generation. From multiple places in scripture and *The Joshua Website*, students will gain a deeper understanding of God's heart and His will concerning the billions of unsaved people alive today. This will inspire students to proactively answer the call of the Great Commission to go into all the world and preach the gospel, making disciples.

## **Course Goals and Objectives:**

#### Students will

- understand how God intertwines worship and evangelism through a study of the Psalms, which declare the glory of God and reveal His desire that all nations of the world believe in His Son
- understand Christ's commission to partner with Him in advancing the Gospel of the Kingdom locally and globally
- demonstrate the relationship between historical biblical significance and the Great Commission

- research topics related to specific 21<sup>st</sup>-century mission statistics, needs, and challenges
- review current, specific information about unreached people groups
- identify and analyze the 10/40 window, statistical graphs, articles and info grams that reinforce the great need and urgency of spreading the gospel to unreached people groups
- compare the mandate to evangelize with the mandate to make disciples

#### **Class Structure:**

- video lectures
- lecture quizzes
- reading quizzes
- research paper

#### **Assessments:**

## • Reading and Lecture Quiz Schedule

Week One	Let the Nations Be Glad-Preface/ Chapter 1
	Lecture Quiz 1
	Reading Quiz 1
Week Two	Let the Nations Be Glad-Chapters 2 - 3
	Lecture Quiz 2
	Reading Quiz 2
Week Three	Let the Nations Be Glad-Chapters 4 - 5
	Lecture Quiz 3
	Reading Quiz 3
Week Four	Let the Nations Be Glad-Chapters 6 - 7
	Lecture Quiz 4
	Reading Quiz 4
Week Five	Let the Nations Be Glad-Chapter 8 /Conclusion
	Lecture Quiz 5
	Reading Quiz 5
Week Six	Lecture Quiz 6
Week Seven	Lecture Quiz 7
	Final Exam

## • Writing Assignment / Research Paper and Rubric:

Details can be found within the course 'Assignment' tab on the student portal.

<sup>\*\*</sup> A final grade of 70 or above must be achieved to pass this class.