

Step Into The Story

TOUR GUIDE

- Most links are to **outside sources**
- Links highlighted in **yellow*** are **short, tour-friendly** videos or articles

MISSIONARIES IN THE FIRST HALLWAY ALCOVE

- Martha Myers
 - [Video](#) from **Nik Ripken**
 - [Global Voices](#)
- Lottie Moon
 - [Article / Biography](#)
- Carl Whirley
 - [Article](#)

Biblical Narrative

Hallway Display

- Click [HERE](#) for an explanation of the biblical narrative in the hallway – The 7 “Acts” of Scripture
- Please **press the “On” button** on the screen in the second alcove for a brief introductory video from Dr. Parks. Use the buttons below the screen to select the next video. Please press “Off” when you are finished.
- There are more videos on a second screen in the third alcove. Follow the same instructions as above for this screen.
- When you are finished, please proceed through the door into the Global Center to continue with your tour – unless there is an ongoing event and a “DO NOT ENTER” sign on the door.

Missions History Narrative

in Global Center

“Missionaries” = **Top** of the timeline

“Undercurrents” = **Bottom** of the timeline

Missionaries

- Ignatius of Antioch
 - [Video](#): (has inaccurate date early in video. Should say “BC” instead of “AD” when Greeks conquered Antioch)
- Perpetua and Felicity
 - [Video](#): trailer for movie, Perpetua Lost Legacy
 - [Video](#)*
- Gregory Thaumaturgus
 - [Article](#) from Christianity Today (must have subscription)

Undercurrents



Spread of the Gospel in the Early (ante-Nicene) Church

- [Article: Five Unique Features of the Early Church](#)* – Tim Keller
- [Article: Social Factors](#)
- [Article: Four Reasons Why Early Christianity Grew So Quickly](#)

Missionaries

- Bishop Frumentius
 - [Article*](#)
- John Chrysostom
 - [Video](#)

Undercurrents



Constantine, End of Persecution, and the Roman Church

- [Article](#): Constantine and the Edict of Milan (Christianity Today)
- [Video](#): Edict of Milan
- [Article/Video*](#): Constantine and beginning of Church and State

Missionaries

- St. Patrick of Ireland
 - [Video*](#) (includes St. Columba and island of Iona)
 - [Article*](#)
 - [Article](#)
- St. Columban
 - [Video*](#)
- Alopen
 - [Video*](#)

Undercurrents



From Cultural Christianity to Missionary Monks

- [Video](#): Interview with Dr. Ed Smith, author of *Missionary Monks*.

Missionaries

- Ansgar
 - [Video](#) by Dr. Gavin Ortlund. *Was Scandinavia's Christianization all politics?*

Undercurrents



St. Boniface and Power Encounters

- [Video](#)
- [Article*](#)



Charlemagne and Conversion by the Sword

- [Article*](#)
- [Article](#)

Missionaries

- Cyril and Methodius
 - [Video*](#)

Undercurrents



The Gospel going East and the Silk Road

- [Video](#)
- [Video*](#)
- [Video](#)

Missionaries

- St. Francis of Assisi
 - [Article](#)
 - **Article***: Did St. Francis say, “Preach the gospel at all times. Use words when necessary?”
 - [Scholarly article](#) from Dr. Ed Smither
 - [Video](#): First five Franciscan missionary martyrs
- Ramon Llull
 - [Article](#)

Undercurrents



The Crusades and the Lingering Results

- **Article*** (Begins with Charlemagne)
- [Article](#) (must have Christianity Today subscription)

Missionaries

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 - [Article](#)
- Francis Xavier
 - [Video*](#)
 - [PBS Documentary](#): narrated by Liam Neeson

Undercurrents



The Treaty of Tordesillas

- [Video*](#)



The Printing Press, The Reformation, and Missions

- [Article*](#): 5 Ways The Reformation Gave Us Missions
- [Article](#): The Reformers and Missions

Missionaries

- Count Nicolas Von Zinzendorf
 - [Video*](#) from Dr. J.D. Payne
- George Liele – The first American missionary was African-American
 - [Video*](#)
 - [Video](#)



Undercurrents

Moravian Missionary Movement

- [Video*](#)

African-American Church

- [Article](#): The Inconceivable Start of African-American Christianity (Christianity Today)
- [Video](#) (Global Voices): African-American Missions History
- African-Americans and Missions
 - [Video*](#): National African-American Missions Council

Missionaries

- William Carey
 - [Video*](#)
 - [“An Enquiry”](#) – Short book from Carey, published in **1792**. Argued for the necessity of missions. Launched the modern missions movement.
 - [Trailer](#) for A Candle in the Dark: The Story of William Carey
- Henry Martyn
 - [Video](#)
 - [Audiobook](#) (1 hour)
 - [Article*](#)
 - [Article](#)
- Samuel Mills
 - [Video](#)
 - [Video*](#) about *Student Volunteer Movement*
- Lott Cary
 - [Article*](#)
 - [Video](#)

Undercurrents



The Three Eras of Protestant Missions

- [Article](#): *Four Men, Three Eras* by Ralph Winter
- **Robert Woodberry’s** research about social impact of Protestant Christian missions, complications of colonialism
 - [Video](#): The Social Impact of Protestant Missions
 - [Video*](#): The Missionary Roots of Liberal Democracy

Missionaries

- Adoniram and Ann Judson
 - [Video*](#)
 - [Video](#)
- Samuel Crowther
 - [Video](#)
 - [Article*](#)
- Rufus Anderson
 - [Article*](#)
- Henry Venn
 - [Article*](#) about Venn and Samuel Crowther
 - [Article](#) about the three-self formula of Anderson and Venn

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The Three Eras of Protestant Missions (Continued from previous page)

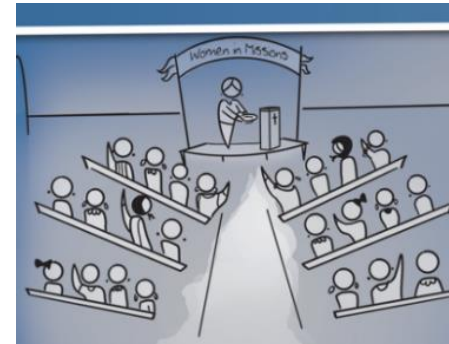
- Robert Woodberry's research
 - [Article](#): The Surprising Discovery About Those Colonialist, Proselytizing Missionaries (Christianity Today)
 - [The Missionary Roots of Liberal Democracy](#)
 - Journal Article in The American Political Science Review (May 2012)

Missionaries

- Hudson Taylor
 - [Video*](#)
 - [Movie](#) (1 hour)
 - [Book](#) – *A Retrospect*, by Hudson Taylor
- Lottie Moon (*see first page*)
 - [Article / Biography](#)
- Pandita Ramabai
 - [Video](#)
 - [Website](#): (panditaramabai.org)
- Amy Carmichael
 - [Video*](#)

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Women in Missions

- [Article*](#)
- [Article](#): Betty Greene, first pilot for Missionary Aviation Fellowship

Missionaries

- Alonzo and Althea Edmiston
 - [Article*](#) (Scroll down)
 - [Book](#)
- Operation Auca (Nate Saint, Jim Elliot, etc.)
 - [Video*](#) by Steve Saint (Nate Saint's son)
 - [Video](#) (50 minutes)
 - [Trailer](#) for movie: *End of the Spear*
 - [Video*](#) – Jim Elliot
- Roland Allen
 - [Video](#)

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The Missionary Conference of Edinburgh, Scotland, 1910

- [Article*](#)
- [Article/Podcast](#)
- [Article](#): From Edinburgh to Lausanne

Missionaries

- E. Stanley Jones
 - [Video](#)
- Cameron Townsend
 - [Video](#)
 - [Video*](#)
- Eliza Davis George
 - [Video](#) – Global Voices
 - [Article*](#)

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Student Volunteer Movement

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Missionaries



- Beeson's 6: These are the six 20th century martyrs, one from each habitable continent, chosen by Beeson Divinity School to be represented in our chapel. You can get more information on them through the free tours routinely conducted throughout the day, often including drop-ins.
- Ralph Winter
 - [Video*](#)
 - Article from Winter in *Perspectives on the World Christian Movement: Three Eras of Protestant Missions*

Orality Movement to Reach the Unreached

In this “third era of Protestant missions,” missionaries realized many unreached groups do not read or write, but possess excellent memories and ability to reproduce stories of the Bible.

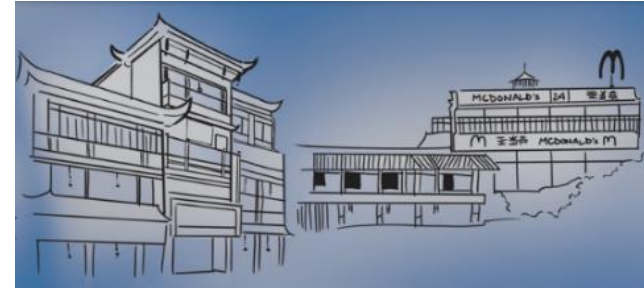
- [Video*](#) - Discipling Oral Learners
- [Ee-taow*](#) - Inspiring story of people reached through chronological Bible storying
- [Video](#) – Is it enough for oral (non-literate) people to only have an oral Bible consisting of narrative portions of Scripture?
- [Video](#) – An Oral-Literate Approach

Missionaries

- Martha Myers (see above)
 - [Video *](#)
 - [Global Voices](#)
- Chun Chae Ok
 - [Scholarly article](#) about her life and missiology

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Globalism and Tribalism

- [Jihad vs. McWorld](#): Classic 1992 article from Benjamin Barber, explaining the forces of globalism and tribalism which would shape the future

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The 10/40 Window

- [Article*](#) - The 10/40 Window explained
- [Video](#) – The Remaining Task
- [Video](#) – Lausanne’s 2024 “State of the Great Commission” report



From Everywhere To Everywhere

- [Article*](#) - Lausanne: Polycentric Missions