

# 1609 Readings in Spiritual Classics

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## Reading Checklist

You can use this reading checklist to stay on track throughout the course. Submit this checklist at the end of the course by the due date: **December 21, 2016**. Late submissions will not be accepted.

Sep 6-9, 2016	<input type="checkbox"/> Review course site. Post on Introductions forum.
Session 1: The Christian Life	
Sep 19-23	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Thomas à Kempis, <i>The Imitation of Christ</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 2: Mystical experience of God's love	
Sep 26-30	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Julian of Norwich, <i>Revelations</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 3: Emotions, Faith, and Spirituality	
Oct 3-7	<input type="checkbox"/> Readings Jonathan Edwards, <i>The Religious Affections</i> .
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 4: Christian Mysticism	
Oct 10-14	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Evelyn Underhill, <i>Mysticism</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 5: Allegory of the Christian journey	
Oct 17-21	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: John Bunyan, <i>Pilgrim's Progress</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 6: Experiencing God's presence	
Oct 24-28	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Brother Lawrence, <i>Practice of the Presence of God</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
	<input type="checkbox"/> Mid-course reflection forum post
Session 7: Sin and salvation	
Oct 31-Nov 4	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: St. Augustine, <i>Confessions</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 8: Christian calling and vocation	
Nov 7-11	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Francis de Sales, <i>Introduction to the Devout Life</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 9: Dark nights of the soul (mysticism, meaning, depression)	
Nov 14-18	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: St. John of the Cross, <i>The Dark Night of the Soul</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 10: Christian devotion and piety	
Nov 21-25	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: William Law, <i>A Serious Call to a Devout Life</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 11: Union with God	
Nov 28-Dec 2	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Teresa of Avila, <i>The Interior Castle</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
Session 12: God's Providence	
Dec 5-9	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading: Jean-Pierre de Caussade, <i>Abandonment to Divine Providence</i>
	<input type="checkbox"/> Two forum entries
All assignments Due	
Dec 21	<input type="checkbox"/> Course project submitted
	<input type="checkbox"/> Reading checklist submitted

Student name

Signature

Date