

**COURSE THEMES**  
**2022/23 ACADEMIC YEAR SEMESTER I**

<b>Course name: Methodism Basics</b>	<b>Course code: (T203)</b>	<b>Credit: 3</b>
<b>Prerequisites: –</b>		
<b>Instructor of the course.</b> Iványi Gábor <b>Instructor contact details:</b> ivanyigabor@yahoo.com		
<b>Course location and time:</b> zoom/google-meets/ or in person		
<b>Type of lesson: lecture;</b> semester, number of hours: N: 30; L: 15 in the semester, (if the subject is not (only) taught in Hungarian, the language of the subject is: english Additional (specific) methods and features to be used in the delivery of the course: source analysis, thematic presentations.		
<b>Course description, topics (topics per lesson, to be read/processed for the given lesson) required literature [if any] or textbook chapter):</b> <b>1. Cultural-educational-familial background: pathfindings and failures</b> <b>2. The Wesley brothers' conversion: conversion?</b> <b>3. The universality of grace and the depreciation of faith</b> <b>Methodism and its relation to pietism</b> <b>5. Contemporary conversion stories: religious movement stories?</b> <b>6. Direction(s)</b>		
<b>Method of marking: Colloquium</b>		
<b>Required literature for the course (all required works, with full bibliography):</b> Enikő Bollobás: "The performative rhetoric of American conversion stories." In: CONVERSIO CONVERSIO conference on Religious Studies. Editor Balázs Déri. Dérios S. Dériosio, DÉVEROSIO, Budapest. <a href="https://vallastudomany.elte.hu/sites/default/files/u5/429-437-Bollobas%20Eniko.pdf">https://vallastudomany.elte.hu/sites/default/files/u5/429-437-Bollobas%20Eniko.pdf</a> Jenő Czakó. The Reformed Church District of Dunamelléki,2002.[ISBN: 963 00 9764 8] pp. 85-108. Gábor Iványi Jr.: "Church, conversion and civil society in John Wesley." In CONVERSIO CONVERSIO Conference on Religious Studies. Editor Balázs Déri. Dérios L. Dérios, Dérisio Conversio, Budapest.439-448. <a href="http://vallastudomany.elte.hu/sites/default/files/u5/439-448-Ivanyi%20Gabor%20jr..pdf">http://vallastudomany.elte.hu/sites/default/files/u5/439-448-Ivanyi%20Gabor%20jr..pdf</a> John, Wesley (trans., ed., note by Dr. Jenő Czakó). Translator's edition, Cegléd 1944. Jónás Miklós: The history of the Methodist congregation of Nyíregyháza [thesis]. <a href="http://metkapolna.hu/nyiregyhazi-metodista-gyuelekezet-toertene.html">http://metkapolna.hu/nyiregyhazi-metodista-gyuelekezet-toertene.html</a> (the link on the page ["a. The history of the church of the Metropolitan Church", in Hungarian).document can be read/downloaded") [pp. 5-20] Dr. László Khaled A.: The history of Methodism in Hungary between 1920 and 1948 - A religious The chances of a religious alternative from Trianon to the year of the turn. <a href="https://idi.btk.pte.hu/dokumentumok/disszertaciok/khaledalaszlotezis.pdf">https://idi.btk.pte.hu/dokumentumok/disszertaciok/khaledalaszlotezis.pdf</a> [5-32- p.] Lean, Garth (trans. Dr. Sándor Kovács). Methodist Church of Hungary,Győr 1981.		
<b>Recommended literature for the course:</b> Jónás Miklós: The history of the Methodist congregation of Nyíregyháza [thesis].		

<http://metkapolna.hu/nyiregyhazi-metodista-gyuelekezet-toertenete.html> (the link on the page ["a. The history of the church of the Metropolitan Church", in Hungarian].document can be read/downloaded") [pp. 5-20]

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<https://idi.btk.pte.hu/dokumentumok/disszertaciok/khaledalaszlotezis.pdf> [5-32- p.]

Lean, Garth (trans. Dr. Sándor Kovács). Methodist Church of Hungary, Győr 1981.

**Other note:**

**Knowledge:** Familiar with the major stages in the history of Western Christianity. Notes: The course covers the history of the main Christian Churches in Europe.

Knowledge of the Hungarian church history (political, socio-political) aspects of the 20th century.

**Ability:** Ability to creatively combine the findings of different branches of theology.

The ability to integrate the different theological theories of theological theories and to synthesise the different perspectives of theological theology

Ability to formulate opinions and to correct opinions.

**Attitude:**

Strives to develop his/her abilities and to know and be accountable for his/her limits in his/her work.

An interest in the biblical and theological tradition, the challenges of Christian communities past and present, and the ways in which they are lived and practised.

and their responses to them.

**Autonomy and responsibility:**

In the development of his theological convictions, he seeks the critical reflection of others, mature and is prepared to present its convictions to a wide audience. Increased capacity for self-monitoring, leadership and self-discipline.

developing an increasingly constructive relationship with managerial control.