

# **The Twentieth Century History: The Modern Church**

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### **1. Important Movements:**

- Fundamentalism

- Pentecostalism

- Bible Translation



- Music in the Church

- Conservative Resurgence

- The Global South

## 2. Important People:

- Karl Barth (1886-1968)
- Dietrich Bonhoeffer (1906-1945)



- C. S. Lewis (1898-1963)

- Mother Teresa (1910-1997)

- Billy Graham (1918-2018)

- Martin Luther King Jr. (1929-1968)



## **A Brief overview of major 20<sup>th</sup> Century ideologies in chronological order:**

- 1900s: Progressivism in the United States and Europe, characterized by social and political reforms aimed at improving living standards and fighting corruption.
- 1910s-1920s: Communism and Socialism, with the Bolshevik Revolution in Russia and the rise of Soviet-style communism, and the growth of socialist movements in Europe.
- 1930s: Fascism in Italy and Nazi Germany, characterized by extreme nationalism, totalitarianism, and anti-communism.
- 1940s-1960s: Cold War, with the domination of the ideological struggle between the communist Soviet Union and capitalist United States, each promoting their own ideology.
- 1960s-1970s: New Left and the counterculture, characterized by anti-war and civilrights activism, and a rejection of traditional political and cultural norms.
- 1980s-1990s: Neoliberalism, characterized by a focus on free markets, deregulation, and globalization.
- Late 1990s-early 2000s: Postmodernism, characterized by a rejection of grand narratives and a focus on individualism, cultural diversity, and relativism.