The Kingdom of God in America
Professor Charles Marsh
Fall 2016: Tuesday/Thursday, 2-3:15
3 credit hours

This course examines the influence of theological ideas on social movements in twentieth and twenty-first century America. Our primary historical focus is the American Civil Rights Movement of the 1950’s and 60’s, but we will also explore the student movements of the late 1960’s and faith-based social movements of recent decades. Resources include theological books, novels, social criticism and historical documents, film and music, and guest lectures by former activists and participants.

Requirements: two papers (5-7 pages in length), two exams, weekly reading summaries, and participation in discussion sections.