

Textbooks Religion and Violence

1. Juergensmeyer, Mark. *Terror in the Mind of God: The Global Rise of Religious Violence*, 3rd edition (University of California Press, 2003). \$25.00 (\$20 Ebook)
2. Cavanaugh, William. *The Myth of Religion Violence: Secular Ideology and the Roots of Modern Conflict* (Oxford: Oxford University Press, 2009). \$38 (\$35 Ebook)
3. Girard, René. *The Girard Reader* (Crossroad Herder, 1996). \$30
4. Mendieta, Eduardo and Jonathan VanAntwerpen, editors. *The Power of Religion in the Public Sphere* (New York: Columbia University Press, 2011). \$20 (\$13 Ebook)



Overall Reading Schedule

Here is a broad reading schedule (the first week, of which, I have given specific instructions):

Date	Day	Assignment Individual
11/30	Monday	Most important moments
12/1	Tuesday	Violence and sociology
12/2	Wednesday	Defining Religion
12/3	Thursday	Juergensmeyer
12/4	Friday	Juergensmeyer
12/5	Monday	Juergensmeyer
12/7	Monday	Cavanaugh
12/8	Tuesday	Cavanaugh
12/9	Wednesday	Cavanaugh
12/10	Thursday	Benjamin and Ricoeur
12/11	Friday	Girard
12/14	Monday	Girard
12/15	Tuesday	Girard
12/16	Wednesday	Secularism and Kung/Ricoeur
12/17	Thursday	Secularism (Butler and West)
12/18	Friday	Conference