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General. For example,

- *Encyclopedia of Christianity*. Ed. Bowden. REF BR95 .E47 2005.
- *Oxford dictionary of the Christian church*. Ed. Cross & Livingstone. 3rd ed. rev. 2005. REF BR95 .O8 2005, and online via the catalog, or <http://ezproxy.spu.edu/login?url=http://www.oxford-christianchurch.com/>.
- *New Catholic encyclopedia*. 2nd ed. Ed. Marthaler et al. 15 vols. 2003. REF BX841 .N44 2003.
- *Religion past and present*. Ed. Betz et al. 10 vols. to date. 2007- .
- *Encyclopedia of Christianity*. Ed. Fahlbusch et al. 5 vols. 1999-2008.
- *Encyclopedia of Eastern Orthodox Christianity*. Ed. McGuckin. 2 vols. REF BX230 .E53 2011.
- *Encyclopedic dictionary of the Syriac heritage*. Ed. Brock, Butts, Kiraz, & Rompay. Gorgias Press, 2011. REF BX100.7 .G46 2011.
- *New Westminster dictionary of church history*. Ed. Benedetto. 1 vol. to date. REF BR95 .W496 2008. This first volume covers church history through the Reformation only. For a complete version, see the earlier *Westminster dictionary of church history*, at BR95 .W496 1971.
- *Blackwell dictionary of Eastern Christianity*. Ed. Parry, Melling, Brady, Griffith, & Healey. REF BX100.7 .B53 1999.
- *Oxford dictionary of Byzantium*. Ed. Kazhdan. 3 vols. 1991. REF DF521 .O93 1991.

Most DICTIONARIES AND ENCYCLOPEDIAS OF THEOLOGY cover the whole of church history from *some* angle, at least.

Early church. For example,

- *Encyclopedia of ancient Christianity*. 2nd ed. Ed. Di Berardino. 3 vols. InterVarsity Press, 2013. On order. Updates the *Encyclopedia of the early church*, below.
- *Oxford dictionary of late antiquity*. Forthcoming.
- McGuckin. *Westminster handbook to Patristic theology*. 2004. REF BR162.3 .M38 2004.
- *Encyclopedia of early Christianity*. 2nd ed. Ed. Ferguson. 2 vols. REF BR162.2 .E53 1997.
- *Encyclopedia of the early church*. Ed. Di Berardino. 2 vols. REF 66.5 .D5813 1991. Updated by the *Encyclopedia of ancient Christianity*, above.



More specialized. For example,

- **Augustine** *through the ages: an encyclopedia*. Ed. Fitzgerald. 1999. REF B655 .Z69A84 1999.
- *Brill dictionary of Gregory of Nyssa*. Ed. Mateo-Seco & Maspero. 2010. REF BR65 .G76D5313 2010.
- *Westminster handbook to Origen*. Ed. McGuckin. 2004. REF BR65 .O68W46 2004.

Medieval church. For example,

- *Oxford dictionary of the middle ages*. Ed. Bjork. 4 vols. 2010. University of Washington Suzzallo Reference D114 .O94 2010 (we're waiting for the e-version).
- *Encyclopedia of the middle ages*. Ed. Vauchez. 2 vols. 2000. REF D114 .E53 2000.
- Routledge (or Garland) encyclopedias of the Middle Ages, http://www.routledge.com/books/series/routledge_encyclopedias_of_the_middle_ages_ENCYMIDDLEAGES/. 1995- . SPU has only *Medieval Iberia* (2003, REF DP99 .M33 2003), *Medieval England* (1998, REF DA129 .M43 1998), and *Medieval France* (1995, at <http://ezproxy.spu.edu/login?url=http://search.ebscohost.com/login.aspx?direct=true&AuthType=ip&db=nlebk&AN=38857&site=ehost-live>).
- *Dictionary of the middle ages*. Ed. Strayer. 13 vols. + 1 suppl. 1982- . REF D114 .D5 1982.

Protestant and Catholic Reformations. For example,

- *Westminster handbook to theologies of the Reformation*. Ed. Holder. 2010. REF BR305.3 .W47 2010.
- *Dictionary of the Reformation*. Ed. Ganzer & Steimer, trans. McNeil. 2001. REF BR95 .E47 2001.
- Hillerbrand. *Historical dictionary of the Reformation and Counter-Reformation*. 2000. REF BR302.8 .H55 2000.
- *Oxford encyclopedia of the Reformation*. Ed. Hillerbrand. 4 vols. 1996. REF BR302.8 .O93 1996, and <http://ezproxy.spu.edu/login?url=http://www.oxford-reformation.com/>.

Church in North America. For example,

- *Encyclopedia of religion in America*. Ed. Lippy & Williams. 4 vols. 2010. REF BL2520 .E52 2010.
- *Encyclopedia of American religious history*. 3rd ed. Ed. Queen, Prothero, & Shattuck. 3 vols. 2009. SPU has the 2001 edition at REF BL2525 .Q44 2001.
- *Dictionary of Christianity in America*. Ed. Reid. 1990. REF BR515 .D53 1990.

Church in the world today. For example,

- Barrett, Kurian, & Johnson. *World Christian encyclopedia*. 2nd ed. 2 vols. Oxford, 2001. REF BR157 .W67 2001.