**Religion & Reform in the 1800s**

**Theme: “Perfectionism”… make America a better/holier place to live**

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| **Movement** | **Leaders** | **Effects** |
| Second Great Awakening | Charles G. Finney | Brought people back to churchPoor people, equality, ProtestantismNew York’s “Burned-Over District”Spun off into other movements… anti-slavery, anti-alcohol, etc. |
| Mormonism/ LDS | Joseph Smith,Brigham Young | Book of Mormon, polygamyMormons were persecuted, Smith was killedExodus (migration) to Utah, led by Young |
| Abolitionist… abolish slavery | QuakersGrimke SistersDavid WalkerNat TurnerWilliam Lloyd GarrisonFreed slavesFrederick DouglassHarriet TubmanSojourner Truth | Holy spirit = “inner light” = equalityEncouraged owners to set slaves free*David Walker’s Appeal*… encouraged slave rebellionsTurner’s Rebellion… 50+ dead, white fears & anti-literacy lawsEncouraged northerners to break fugitive slave law,published *The Liberator*… caused friction with southFounded African colony of Liberia*The North Star,* encouraged US gov’t to use black troopsUnderground RR/fugitive slaves“Ain’t I a Woman?” speech |
| Women’s Rights | Catharine BeecherElizabeth Cady Stanton & Lucretia MottSusan B. Anthony | “Cult of Domesticity”… home is woman’s arenaSeneca Falls Declaration of Sentiments… women’s equalityFought for women’s suffrage (right to vote) |
| Temperance Movement | Carrie Nation | Abstinence pledges… alcohol consumption droppedSmashed bottles with her hatchet |
| Penal (prison) reform | Dorothea Dix | Change from punishment to rehab |
| Mental health reform | Dorothea Dix | Mental hospitals/asylums |
| Education | Horace Mann | Public schools, longer school year, improve school quality |
| Utopian (ideal) communities | ShakersBrook FarmOneida | Celibacy, gender separationTranscendentalist communityComplex marriage |