



CONFIRMATION 2.0

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1ST

PSALMS, PROVERBS, ECCELESIASTES

Psalms: The Psalms are designed to be the prayer book of God's people as they follow his commands and wait for the Messianic King.

Proverbs: The purpose of this book is to develop a set of practical skills (wisdom) for living well in the world that God has created.

Ecclesiastes: The basic message of the teacher is that everything is meaningless, or rather like smoke. It is temporary, fleeting, and enigmatic. Someday, God will clear away all of the enigma and meaninglessness.

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2ND

THE APOSTLES CREED

This is a road map to the story of God that we see as God reveals himself to man throughout the generations.

It is broken up into the three distinct persons of God, we call the trinity, and the unique ways in which God works in our world and our lives through each person of the trinity.

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✓ PSALMS

It is important to take the poetic features of the Psalms into account when reading them. It is important also to recognize the type of poem you're reading. There are psalms of praise and psalms of lament. It's okay to lament to God.

✓ PROVERBS

The wisdom in this book functions as a reference book that you return to. Wisdom literature explore how to live well, but it is not the same as law or prophecy. Wisdom literature is accumulated human knowledge that have been put together as God's word to his people. Proverbs are probabilities, not promises. For example, being a moral person will lead to a better life, but there are no guarantees here.

✓ ECCLESIASTES

The goal is targeting all the ways we try to find meaning in life. The author uses the teacher to deconstruct how we try to find meaning. The basic message of the teacher is that everything is meaningless, or rather like smoke. It is temporary, fleeting, and enigmatic. The key to true enjoyment is accepting that all of life is out of your control. A posture of trust allows you to enjoy life as you experience it not how you expect it. Someday, God will clear away all of the enigma and meaninglessness

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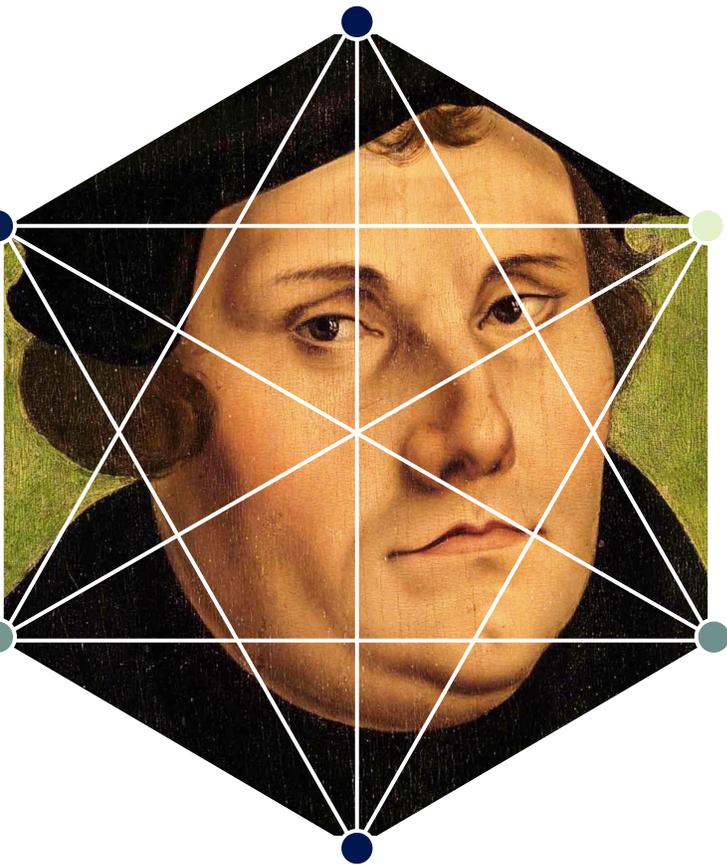
I believe in God, the Father almighty, Creator of heaven and earth.

And in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord, who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried; he descended into hell. On the third day he rose [again]; he ascended into heaven, seated at the right hand of God, the almighty Father, from where he will come to judge the living and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, one holy Christian church, the community of the saints, forgiveness of sins, resurrection of the flesh, and eternal life. Amen.

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Luther

1ST ARTICLE - ON CREATION

This article focuses on God the Father and creator. When we say the first article we are talking about things that deal with creation and the created order.

2ND ARTICLE - ON REDEMPTION

This article focuses on Jesus Christ, his incarnation and his work he did to save and redeem the world.

3RD ARTICLE - ON BEING MADE HOLY

The final article of the creed focuses on the Holy Spirit, the church, and the work that God is doing in each and every Christian and the hope we have in Jesus for our lives today and the life to come.

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