

Sermon Notes

Title: The Fruit of Sola Scriptura

Text: Ephesians 6:17 “*and take...the sword of the Spirit, which is the Word of God*”

Theme: Live your life by God’s sufficient Word.

Historical Biography of the Reformation

What? A protest; a call for reform

Why? The church was corrupt.

Where? Europe

Who? Luther, Zwingli, Tyndale, Calvin, Knox

How? By scripture alone

Core Doctrines of the Reformation

Sola Scriptura = Scripture alone






Sola Gratia = Grace alone

Sola Fide = Faith alone

Solus Christus = In Christ alone

Soli Deo Gloria = To the glory of God alone

Further Study / Application

- “They received the word with all readiness, and searched the Scriptures daily to find out whether these things were so” ~ Acts 17:11
- Use the following symbols as study tools for any text you approach: a light bulb (something to see), a question mark (something to ask), an arrow (something to do), a Bible (somewhere else to look), & a person (someone to tell).
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- Read Jude 3-4. Is this a valid command still today?
- Look up the following verses that support the 5 ‘solas’ of the Reformation: Sola Fide – Rom 3:28, Gal 2:16; Sola Gratia – Rom 3:24, Eph 2:8-9; Sola Scriptura – Rom 3:21-22, 2 Tim 3:16-17; Solus Christus – John 14:6, Acts 4:12; Soli Deo Gloria – Eph 1:6, 12, 14
- *The Expository Genius of John Calvin* by Steve Lawson; *Portrait of Calvin* by T.H.L. Parker; *2000 Years of Christ’s Power*, Vol 3 by Nick Needham

For Life in the Body

- Use this space to write down (1) names to remember, (2) requests for which to pray, or (3) ideas for serving someone in the body.

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