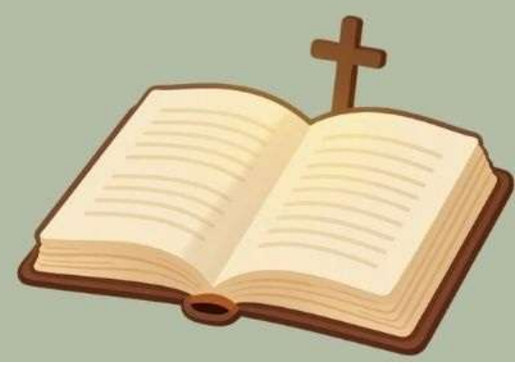
LET'S TALK!

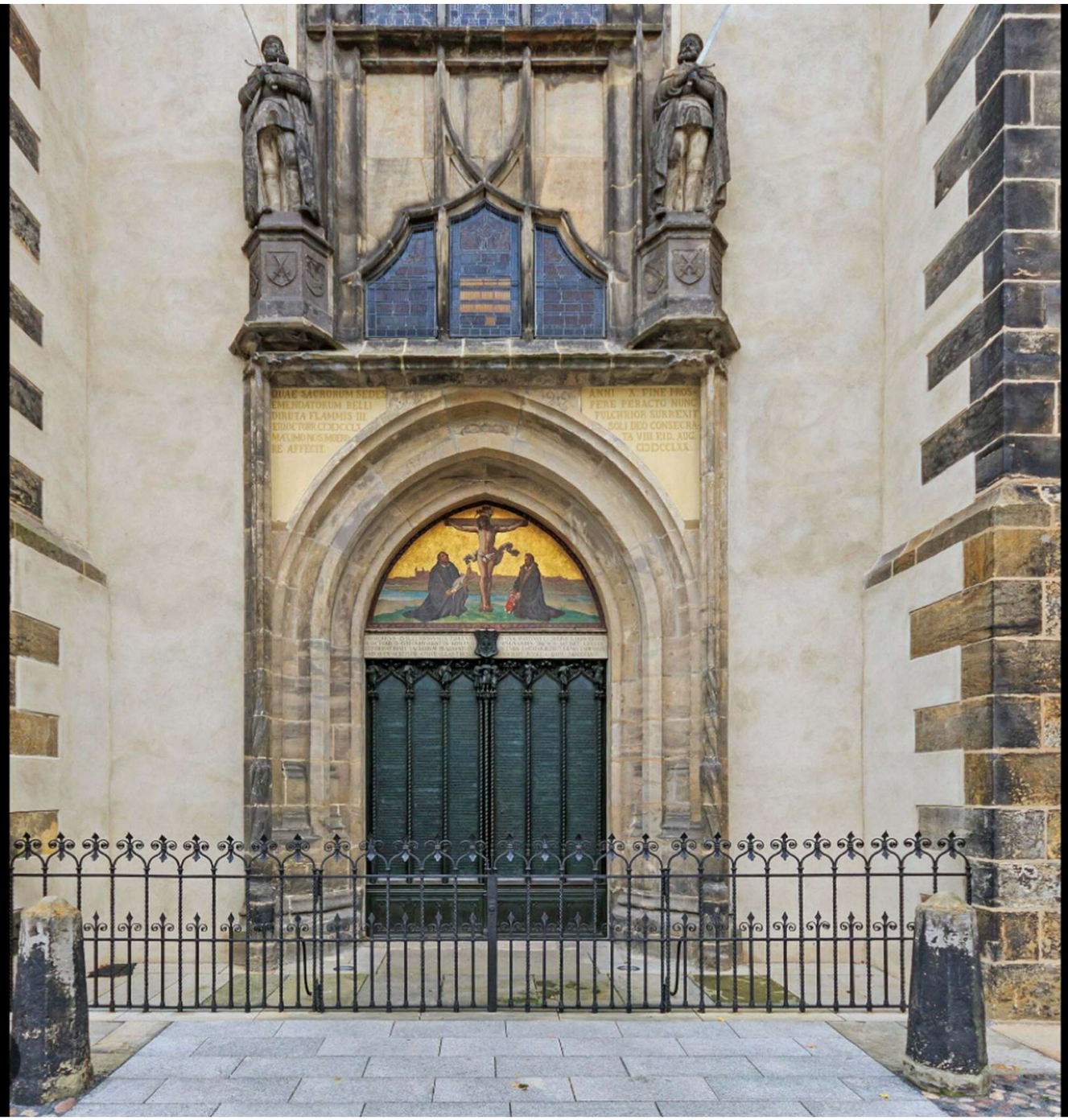
DENOMINATIONS

THE MAIN DIFFERENCES BETWEEN PROTESTANTS & CATHOLICS

HOW DO DIFFERENT CHRISTIAN DENOMINATIONS WORK?

THE DIVERSE INFLUENCES ON ROOTED, A NON-DENOMINATIONAL CHURCH

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WHAT IS AUTHORITATIVE?

"The task of giving an authentic interpretation of the Word of God, whether in its written form or in the form of Tradition, has been entrusted to the living teaching office of the Church alone. Its authority in this matter is exercised in the name of Jesus Christ."

~ Modern Catholic Catechism pp 85

THE SUFFICIENCY OF JESUS

When we read the Bible with the whole Church throughout her history we know he means that Jesus is the absolutely unique Mediator whose sole sacrifice is able to make eternal atonement for sin and therefore reconcile men eternally with God. All other mediators draw their efficacy from his office, insofar as they cooperate with and unite their efforts to his.

To the degree we take seriously the responsibility to mediate and reconcile with others, we ourselves will be saved

~ Ascension Press, Catholic journal

WHAT IS AUTHORITATIVE?

2 Timothy 3:16 - All Scripture is God-breathed and is useful for teaching, rebuking, correcting, and training in righteousness, so that the man of God may equipped for every good work.

Hebrews 4:12 - For the Word of God is living and active; sharper than any double-edged sword, it penetrates even to dividing soul and spirit

1 Peter 2:4 - As you come to him, the living Stone—rejected by humans but chosen by God and precious to him— you also, like living stones, are being built into a spiritual house to be a holy priesthood, offering spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ.

Galatians 1:6-9 - But even if we or an angel from heaven should preach a gospel other than the one we preached to you, let them be under God's curse!

WHAT IS Sufficient?

Colossians 1:22 - But now he has reconciled you by Christ's physical body through death to present you holy in his sight, without blemish and free from accusation

Colossians 2:11-12 - Your whole self ruled by the flesh[b] was put off when you were circumcised by Christ, having been buried with him in baptism, in which you were also raised with him through your faith in the working of God, who raised him from the dead.

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NOT-CATHOLIC BUT NOT LUTHERAN



Lutheran



ANGLICAN (Church of England)



Presbyterian (Reformed church in Scotland)



Baptist (Left the church of England)

American Conflict

Lutheran —> ELCA / Missouri Synod

ANGLICAN (Church of England) ->  Episcopal ->

Presbyterian (Reformed church in Scotland) -> PCA / PCUSA / EPC

Baptist —> A little bit of everything

Methodist —> 

Wesleyan / Pentecostal / Charismatic / Holiness movement

Assemblies of God, Foursquare,Church of God, Calvary Chapel

What is Rooted

Autonomous Congregation

Plurality of appointed Elders

Priesthood of all believers

Believer’s baptism

Communion is symbolic, commanded, means of grace

Exegetical preaching of the Word
Emphasis on the Gospel of Grace

Membership

Kids Ministry

Small Groups

Personal Discipleship