

THE FIVE SCRIPTURAL “SOLAS” OF THE REFORMATION

1. *Sola Scriptura* – This was the _____ principle of the Reformation which taught that the Bible is the only sufficient, certain, and infallible _____ for the church since it contains all that is necessary to believe for _____ and to live the _____.

- *What does *Sola Scriptura* not mean?*
- *What does the Roman Catholic Church teach about the rule of faith?*
- *How does Scripture itself support *Sola Scriptura*?*
- *Was *Sola Scriptura* held by others in Church history before the Reformers?*
- *How is *Sola Scriptura* being undermined today?*

2. *Sola Fide* – This was the _____ principle of the Reformation which taught that justification is the legal declaration by God, the holy Judge, whereby He _____ a guilty sinner who trusts in Christ to be righteous in His sight, not because of any _____ righteousness in that person, but strictly because He has _____ Christ’s own righteousness to that person as a free gift of His grace.

- *What does the Roman Catholic Church teach about justification?*
- *How does Scripture support the teaching of *Sola Fide*?*
- *Was *Sola Fide* held by others in Church history before the Reformers?*
- *How is *Sola Fide* being undermined in our day even by Evangelicals?*

3. *Solus Christus* – This is the teaching that Jesus Christ alone has the _____ a person eternally because of His person and work.

- *What does Scripture teach about Solus Christus?*
- *In contrast, what does the Roman Catholic Church teach about this?*
- *How is Solus Christus being undermined in our day even among Evangelicals?*

4. *Sola Gratia* – This is the teaching that believers are saved solely on the _____ of God's _____ rather than their own good works.

- *How does Scripture support Sola Gratia?*
- *In contrast, what does the Roman Catholic Church teach about this?*
- *How is Sola Gratia being undermined today in Evangelicalism?*

5. *Soli Deo Gloria* – This is the teaching that God alone is _____ and therefore ought to be the One we seek to magnify.

- *How does Scripture support Soli Deo Gloria?*
- *What can you learn from all of this?*