

Martin Luther and the Reformation



Assignment:

- Read Pages 20-25 in the front of the Catechism and complete the following study guide.

A.) Before you read define the following terms to increase your comprehension: (you may have to use the internet or ask a parent for help)

Pope:

Mohammedans: the followers of the prophet Mohammed, who is the founder of the Islamic religion (around 600 AD). Islam teaches that God (Allah) is one, he has no Son, and people need no Savior, but earn heaven by their good deeds. Islam also allows for the use of violence to force people to accept their faith.

Saints:

Purgatory:

Reformation:

Catholic Monk:

Monastery:

B.) Answer the following questions:

- 1.) What was Luther's spiritual problem (p. 21)? What solution to his problem did he find in God's Word (p. 22)?
- 2.) Many people challenged the "new" things that Luther taught, even to the point of threatening his life, but still he remained courageous. Where did Luther find his answers and his courage to continue on?