

Community Group Discussion Guide

Sola Fide

Galatians 2:15-16; Romans 1:17, 3:21-26

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Sermon Summary

Today, we discover the second sola of the Protestant Reformation, Sola Fide (Faith Alone). Today, we will traverse the same path as Martin Luther by meditating on God's word through Paul's letter to the Galatians and the Romans. In it, we will discover this all important answer to the question: What must I do to be saved? The answer? We are justified by faith alone and by faith we receive the righteousness of God.

Discussion Questions

- Last week we discussed Sola Scriptura (Scripture alone). Why is this principle vital in discovering Sola Fide (Faith Alone).
- Do you believe that people today are worried over the state of their souls like Luther was? Why or why not?
- Why can't we be justified by our good works? Why do we tend to so easily fall into a work's righteousness mindset?
- What does it mean for God's righteousness to be alien? What does it mean for God's righteousness to be imputed?
- How do we receive the righteousness of God?
- Why is it essential that we are saved by faith alone and not by something else?
- Have you put your faith in Christ as your savior and Lord? If so, what does saving faith look like?