

Orthodoxy – Pietism - Enlightenment 1580-1817

Maintaining Lutheran Orthodoxy in Church, School, Home

The Work of the Lutheran Dogmaticians

Their chief concerns and emphases

The Work of the Lutheran Devotional Writers and Composers

John Gerhard

Paul Gerhardt

Resisting Calvinism and Romanism

The Thirty Years War: 1618-1648

Gustavus Adolphus rescues the Lutheran Church

Clashes with Calvinists: The case of Paul Gerhardt

Pietism v. Orthodoxy

Philipp Spener – 1635-1705

Ernst Valentin Loescher's battles against Pietism

J. S. Bach and the end of Orthodoxy

The Enlightenment and Its Damage to the Lutheran Church

A Revival of Confessional Lutheranism – 1817 and following

Escape from the Prussian Union to America

A struggle for Lutheran identity in Old and New Worlds

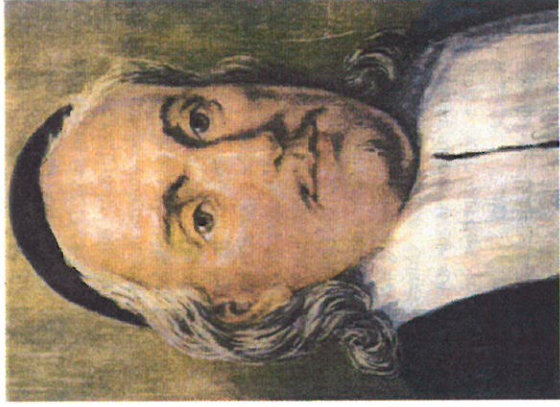
Setting the stage for the 20th and 21st Century Conditions in the Church



Martin Chemnitz
1522-1586



JOHANNES GERHARDUS
Theol. Jenensis.
John Gerhard
1582-1637



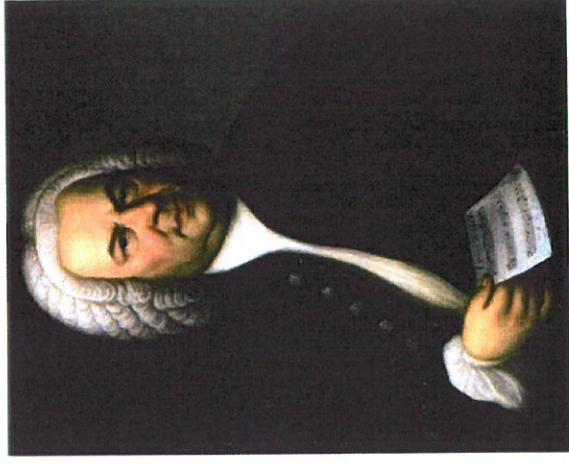
Paul Gerhardt
1607-1676



Abraham Calov
1612-1686



Gustavus Alophus
King of Sweden 1594-1632



Johann Sebastian Bach
1685-1750