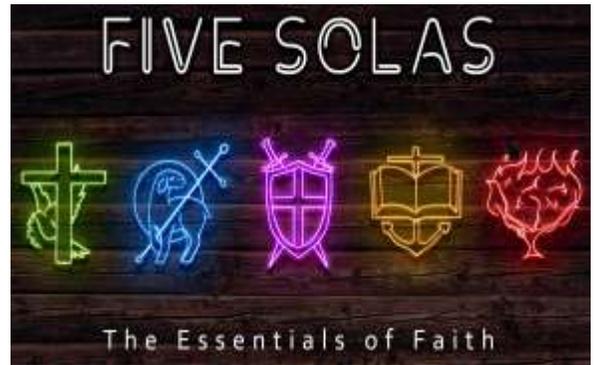


Sola 5: Sola Fide-By Faith Alone

MV: ***Blessed** is the one whose transgressions are forgiven, whose sins are covered. 2 Blessed is the one whose sin the LORD does not count against them and in whose spirit is no deceit. (Psalms 32:1-2)*



Who are the "players" in a courtroom?

What is "justification"? How do we obtain it?

A Holy God will never be satisfied with _____

What is "imputation"?

Psalms 32:1-11 (possibly written after Psalm 51-David's confession)

David highlights the _____ and _____ of God.

According to David, what makes a "blessed person"? _____

What are David's sins from 2 Samuel:11, his encounter with Bathsheba?

Psalms 51

What truths do we see here?

What are the benefits of confession of sin?

Romans 3:21-26

Romans 4:1-12

Why doesn't keeping the Law (obedience) save people?

What evidence from Paul says salvation is by faith alone?

Why does righteousness need to come from outside ourselves?

Why was "propitiation" (substitutionary sacrifice) necessary?

How does the death of Jesus satisfy God's justice and wrath?

Faith is simply _____ in the finished work of Jesus Christ.

It is the object of our faith that saves us---God/Jesus

DON'T FORGET YOUR SMALL GROUP GUIDELINES....

These are your small group guidelines, designed to keep your group a safe place to share.

1. Keep your sharing focused on your own thoughts & feelings. Please limit your sharing to 3-5 min.
2. No cross talk, please. Cross talk is when two people engage in a dialogue which excludes all others. Each person is free to express feelings without interruption. Discussion, where appropriate, is welcome.
3. We are here to support one another. We will not attempt to "fix" one another.
4. **Anonymity (secrecy) and confidentiality are basic requirements. What is shared in the group stays in the group! The only exceptions are when someone shares about hurting themselves or others, or being abused. Please trust your leaders to do the right thing with the information shared.**
5. Offensive language has no place in our small group.

WRITE ABOUT IT AND TALK ABOUT IT

1. What is justification?
2. What does "imputed" mean?
3. What does "propitiation" mean?
4. What example does David leave for us about sin, forgiveness, etc.?
5. Memorize Psalm 32:1-2

PRAY ABOUT IT

Ask God to help you rest/trust in the finished work of Christ.