

Relics / Sacraments, Cont.

Pat's shadow produces cures	Acts 5:15-16
Paul's face cloths / aprons produce cures	Acts 19:11-12
Also Try: Misc.	
Saints / Intercession	
Angel presents prayers to God	Tob. 12:12
Intercession of deceased Onias & Jeremiah	2 Macc. 15:11-16
Jesus conversed with Moses & Elijah	Mt. 17:3
Jesus conversed with Elijah & Moses	Mk. 9:4
God not of the dead, but of the living	Lk. 12:26-27
Jesus conversed with Moses & Elijah	Mk. 9:30
Intercession by departed man for his brothers	Lk. 16:27-31
The good thief, after death, will be with Christ in paradise	Lk. 23:43
The Church prayed for Peter	Acts 12:5-10
Paul asks for intercessory prayer	Rom. 15:30-32
Paul asks for intercessory prayer	Eph. 6:18-20
Paul asks for intercessory prayer	Col. 4:2-4
Paul asks for intercessory prayer	2 Thes. 3:1-2
Paul asks for intercessory prayers (in the same passage in which he says there is one mediator between God & man!)	1 Tm. 2:1-6
Interceded for brothers who sin	1 Jn. 5:16
Elders before the Lamb (Christ) have the prayers of the saints	Rv. 5:8
Angels in heaven awaiting the avenging of their blood	Rv. 6:9-11
Angel presents prayers of the saints to God	Rv. 8:3-4
Souls of martyrs in heaven	Rv. 20:4

Salvation

Narrow gate / Few are saved	Mt. 7:13-14
Not all that say "Lord, Lord" will be saved	Mt. 7:21
Must endure to the end to be saved	Mt. 10:22
Must account for all words spoken	Mt. 12:36
Must persevere to the end to be saved	Mt. 24:13
Must persevere to the end to be saved	Mk. 13:13
Not all that say "Lord, Lord" will be saved	Lk. 6:46-49
Gate is narrow / many will be unable to enter heaven	Lk. 13:24
Must remain in His kindness to be saved	Rom. 11:22
Must not save of his own salvation, despite the fact that the obviously had faith	1 Cor. 4:3-5
Sin excludes persons from heaven	1 Cor. 6:9-10
Salvation of a brother can be lost	1 Cor. 8:11
Paul not sure of his own salvation, despite the fact that the obviously had faith	1 Cor. 9:27
Those who think they are secure may fall	1 Cor. 10:11-12
Must hold fast to be saved	1 Cor. 15:2
Sin excludes persons from heaven	Gal. 5:19-21
Work out salvation in fear and trembling	Phil. 2:12
Paul not assured of his own salvation, despite the fact that the obviously had faith (Lazarus, it is a "stap")	Phil. 3:12-14
Women saved by motherhood (not faith alone)	1 Tm. 2:15
Must persevere to be saved	2 Tm. 2:12
Must hold fast to the end	Heb. 3:14
Salvation may be lost and not recovered	Heb. 6:4-8
Judgment remains for those who sin after receiving the truth	Heb. 10:26-27
Salvation is hoped for, not guaranteed	Ti. 3:7
Those who stray from truth, (and are not brought back) suffer death	Jms. 5:19-20
Salvation is not easy	1 Pt. 4:17-18
Be on guard / fall from stability	2 Pt. 2:21
Be on guard / fall from stability	2 Pt. 3:17

Also Try: Other Practices / Requirements

Apostles are commissioned to preach (not to write scripture)	Mk. 16:15
Not everything has been written down	Jn. 21:25
An instructor is necessary	Acts 8:30-31
Faith comes from hearing	Rom. 10:17

Scripture / Tradition, Cont.

Hold fast to traditions	1 Cor. 11:2
Hold fast to what was preached	1 Cor. 15:1-2
Hold fast to traditions (oral and written)	2 Thes. 2:15
Shun those who don't act according to tradition	2 Thes. 3:6
Prophecy of scripture is not a matter of personal interpretation	2 Pt. 1:20
Scriptures can be difficult to understand and can be twisted to one's devaluation	2 Pt. 3:15-16
Does not use pen and ink / hopes to speak face to face	2 Jn. 1:12
Talk face to face rather than written	3 Jn. 1:13-14
Unity	
One fold	Jn. 10:16
Prayer for unity	Jn. 17:20-23
Think in harmony	Rom. 15:5
About those who create division, in opposition to the teaching they've learned	Rom. 16:17
Should be no divisions / should be united in mind	1 Cor. 1:10
He is not the God of disorder, but of peace	1 Cor. 14:33
Unity / one faith	Eph. 4:3-6
Called to be of same mind, united, thinking one thing	Phil. 2:2
Should be to peace in one body	Col. 3:15
Women	
Women should be veiled in prayer (Note: The exception in 1 Tim 3:16 is for those women who wish to be deacons/ministers.)	1 Cor. 11:3-16
Women should not speak in church	1 Cor. 14:33-37
Wives should be subordinate to husbands	Eph. 5:22-24
Wives should be subordinate to husbands	Col. 3:18
Wives should not have authority over men / Women saved through baptism	1 Tm. 2:11-15

Misc.

Ashes	Judith 9:1
Ashes	Esh. 4:1
Ashes	1 Macc. 3:47
Ashes	Job 42:6
Ashes	Jonah 3:6
Excommunication / expel evil persons	1 Cor. 5:13
Holy Water	Num. 5:17
Incense	2 Chron. 2:3
Incense	Lk. 1:9
Incense	Rv. 8:3-4
Lord's Day / Sunday	Acts 20:7
Lord's Day / Sunday	1 Cor. 8:11
Lord's Day / Sunday	Rv. 1:10

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Anointing of the Sick / Extreme Unction

Anointing of the sick and cures	Mk. 6:13
Anointing of sick / forgiveness of sins	Jms. 5:14-15
Baptism	
Foreshadowed in Old Testament	Ezek. 36:25
Commission to teach and baptize	Mt. 28:18-20
Necessity of Baptism	Mk. 16:16
Baptism necessary to salvation	Jn. 3:5
Necessity of Baptism	Acts 2:37-38
Whole household baptized	Acts 16:15
Whole family baptized	Acts 16:33
Necessity of Baptism / remission of sins	Acts 22:16
Whole household baptized	1 Cor. 1:16
Baptized into one body	1 Cor. 12:13
One Baptism	Eph. 4:5
Saved through Baptism	Ti. 3:5
Baptism saves / Noah & the Ark	1 Pt. 3:20-21

The Blessed Virgin Mary

Promised in Genesis / Enemy of Satan	Gen. 3:15
The Ark is covered with pure gold	Ex. 25:10-11
After the arrival of the Ark, the people turned to God	1 Sam. 7:2
Ark of the Lord / Mary as the New Ark of the Lord	2 Sam. 6:9 / Lk. 1:43
With the Ark come blessings	2 Sam. 6:11
Queen Mother position / Intercession	1 Kgs. 2:19-20
Places where the Ark has come are holy	2 Chron. 8:11
The Assumption of Mary into Heaven	Ps. 131:8 (132:8)
Purity of Mary	Cont. 4:7 (Song 4:7)
Virgin mother (of God) prophesied	Isa. 7:14
Gate to remain shut (perpetual virginity)	Ezek. 44:2
Virgin to bear Emmanuel ("God is with us")	Mt. 1:23
Mary is "full of grace"	Lk. 1:28
Mary's virginity	Lk. 1:34
Most blessed among women	Lk. 1:42
Mother of God	Lk. 1:43
All generations will call Mary blessed	Lk. 1:48
Mary interceded with Christ for first public miracle	Jn. 2:1-11
Given as our mother	Jn. 19:25-27
God's Son, born of a woman	Gal. 4:4
Woman clothed with the sun with a crown of twelve stars	Rv. 12:1
Mary is mother of those who keep God's commandments and bear witness to Jesus	Rv. 12:17

Confession / Penance / Forgiveness of Sins

Keeps to the kingdom of heaven / Whatever is bound and loosed on earth	Mt. 16:19
Whatever is bound and loosed on earth by the Apostles is bound and loosed in heaven	Mt. 18:18
Power given to the Apostles to forgive sin	Jn. 20:23
Forgiveness of sins by presbyters (priests)	Jms. 5:14-15
Confirmation	
Reception of the Holy Spirit by the laying on of hands	Acts 8:14-17
Reception of the Holy Spirit after Baptism	Acts 19:5-6
Church / Hierarchy	
Church foretold in Old Testament	Isa. 2:2-3, Micah 4:1
Apostles are given authority	Mt. 10:1

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Church / Hierarchy, Cont.

Will be sinful members of the Church	Mt. 13:24-30
Founding of Church on St. Peter / Gates of Hell will not prevail against the Church / Keys to the Kingdom of Heaven / Power to Bind & Loose	Mt. 16:18-19
Those who don't listen to the Church are to be avoided	Mt. 18:17
Power of Apostles to bind and loose	Mt. 18:18
Authority (Seat of Moses)	Mt. 23:2-3
Apostles sent by Christ to make disciples / baptize / teach	Mt. 28:19-20
Those sent act for Christ / those who reject them reject Christ	Lk. 10:16
They who receive those whom Christ sent receive Christ	Jn. 13:20
Mission given to the Apostles by Christ	Jn. 20:21
Apostles given power to forgive sin	Jn. 20:22-23
Matthews chosen as Judas' successor	Acts 1:15-26
Appointing presbyters (priests)	Acts 14:23
Presbyters (priests)	Acts 15:4
Those without mandate / disturbed peace	Acts 15:24
Apostles hand down decisions of the Holy Spirit	Acts 15:28
Appointed as overseers / Church purchased with Christ's blood	Acts 20:28
Those who resist authority bring judgment on themselves	Rom. 13:2
Hierarchy / different offices: apostles, prophets, teachers..	1 Cor. 12:28-29
Ambassadors of Christ	2 Cor. 5:20
Church built on foundation of apostles and prophets	Eph. 2:20
Offices in the Church: apostles, prophets, evangelists..	Eph. 4:11
Christ loves the Church and gave Himself for Her / The Church is holy	Eph. 5:25-27
Bishops	Phil. 1:1 / 1 Tm. 3:1, 6, 17
Deacons	1 Tm. 3:8
The Church is the pillar and foundation of truth	1 Tm. 3:15
Presbyters (priests) deserve honor	1 Tm. 5:17
Appointing presbyters (priests)	Ti. 1:5
Presbyters (priests) called to pray / around the sick	Jms. 5:14-15
Foundation of the Apostles	Rv. 21:14

Church is the Body of Christ

The Church is the body of Christ	Rom. 12:4-5
Bodies are members of Christ	1 Cor. 6:15
The Church is the body of Christ	1 Cor. 12:27
The Church is the body of Christ	Eph. 1:22-23
The Church is the body of Christ / Other members and oversees the Church	Eph. 5:29-30
The Church is the body of Christ	Col 1:18

Devil / Satan

Caused fall of man	Gen. 3
The Devil is the father of lies	Jn. 8:44
Our struggle is with evil spirits	Eph. 6:12
The devil is prowling around looking for someone to devour	1 Pt. 5:8
The whole world is under power of the evil one	1 Jn. 5:19
Battle in Heaven	Rv. 12:9
The devil wages war against those who keep the commandments and bear witness to Jesus	Rv. 12:17

Divinity of Christ

Jesus is called "Emmanuel", meaning "God is with us"	Mt. 1:23
The Word was God	Jn. 1:1
Know Jesus, know His Father	Jn. 8:19
Jesus says: "I AM" (See Ex. 3:14)	Jn. 8:24, Jn. 8:28, Jn. 8:58, Jn. 13:19, Jn. 18:5, Jn. 18:8

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Divinity of Christ, Cont.

The Father and I are one"	Jn. 10:30
"The Father is in me and I am in the Father"	Jn. 10:38
Whoever sees Jesus sees who sent Him	Jn. 12:45
Whoever sees Jesus has seen the Father	Jn. 14:8-12
Thomas proclaims: "My Lord and my God!"	Jn. 20:28
In Him, the fullness of the deity dwells	Col. 2:9
<i>Also Try: The Holy Trinity</i>	

Error / Heresy / False Teachings

Beware of false prophets	Mt. 7:15
False prophets will appear	Mk. 13:22
Blind leading the blind	Lk. 6:39
Warning regarding those who will pervert the truth	Acts 20:29-30
Those who preach another gospel are accursed	Gal. 1:8-9
People will stop listening to the truth and will be diverted to myths	2 Tim. 4:3-4
False teachers / deceivers should be silenced	Ti. 1:10-11
Do not associate with heretics / Heretics are perverted, sinful, and stand self-condemned.	Ti. 3:10-11
Destructive heresies will be introduced, bringing destruction	2 Pt. 2:1-3
Do not even greet those with alternate doctrine (or you share in their evil works)	2 Jn. 1:10-11

Faith / Works

Must do will of the Father	Mt. 7:21
Words will acquit or condemn a person	Mt. 12:36-37
Necessity of keeping the commandments for salvation	Mt. 19:16-17
Judged based on works	Mt. 23:31-46
Those who have done good deeds are saved, those who have done wicked deeds are condemned.	Jn. 5:28-29
All will be repaid according to their works	Rom. 2:5-8
Faith without charity is nothing	1 Cor. 13:2
Charity is greater than faith	1 Cor. 13:13
Each will receive according to what was done in the body	2 Cor. 5:10
A person will reap what he sows	Gal. 6:7
Reign that is pure and undefiled is to give aid and to keep oneself unshamed by the world.	Jms. 1:27
Faith without works is useless	Jms. 2:20-22
Justified by works and not by faith alone	Jms. 2:24
Without works, faith is dead	Jms. 2:26
God judges according to one's works	1 Pt. 1:17
All are judged based on deeds	Rv. 20:12-13
<i>Also Try: Salvation & Other Practices / Requirements</i>	

Guardian Angels

Guardian Angels	Mt. 18:10
Guardian Angels	Acts 12:11-15

Hell

Unquenchable fire	Mt. 3:12
Fleety Gehenna	Mt. 5:22
Wailing and grinding of teeth	Mt. 8:11-12
Fleety furnace	Mt. 13:42
Fleety furnace	Mt. 13:49-50
Wailing and grinding of teeth	Mt. 22:13
Wailing and grinding of teeth	Mt. 25:30
Eternal fire	Mt. 25:41
Eternal punishment	Mt. 25:46
Unquenchable fire	Lk. 3:17
Wailing and grinding of teeth	Lk. 13:28
Torment of Hell	Lk. 16:22-26
Eternal ruin	2 Thes. 1:6-9
Eternal fire	Jude 1:7
Eternal torment	Rv. 14:9-11
Fleety pool	Rv. 19:20
Eternal torment	Rv. 20:10
Burning pool of fire and sulfur	Rv. 21:8

The Holy Eucharist / Mass / Sacrifice

Pure sacrifice prophesied	Mal. 1:11
The Holy Eucharist	Mt. 26:26-28
The Holy Eucharist	Mk. 14:22-24
Institution of the Eucharist	Lk. 22:19-20
Promise of the Eucharist / Necessity of receiving the Eucharist	Jn. 6:22-69
Those who reject the Eucharist leave Christ ("The first Protestants")	Jn. 6:66
The Eucharist is a participation in Christ's Body & Blood	1 Cor. 10:16
Institution of the Eucharist / Necessity of Discerning the Real Presence	1 Cor 11:23-30

The Holy Trinity

Plurality of Persons	Gen. 1:26
Plurality of Persons	Gen. 3:22
Plurality of Persons	Gen. 11:7
Manifestation of the Trinity	Mt. 3:16-17
Baptism in the name of the Trinity	Mt. 28:19
Manifestation of the Trinity	Mk. 1:9-11
Reference to the Trinity	Lk. 1:35
Manifestation of the Trinity	Lk. 3:21-22
Reference to the Trinity	Jn. 14:26
Reference to the Trinity	Jn. 15:26
Mention of the Trinity	Acts 2:32-33
Reference to the Trinity	2 Cor. 13:13
Reference to the Trinity	1 Pt. 1:2
<i>Also Try: Divinity of Christ</i>	

Infidelity in the Church

Christ always remains with Church / infidelity	Mt. 28:20
The Church is always guided by Holy Spirit / Infidelity	Jn. 14:16
Guided by Holy Spirit / Infidelity	Jn. 14:26
Guided by Holy Spirit / Infidelity	Jn. 16:13

Marriage

Divorce / adultery	Mt. 5:32
Husband and wife become one flesh / must not be separated	Mt. 19:4-6
Divorce / adultery	Mt. 19:9
Husband and wife become one flesh / must not be separated	Mk. 10:7-9
Divorce / remarriage is adultery	Mk. 10:11-12
Divorce / remarriage is adultery	Lk. 16:18
Marriage dissolved by death	Rom. 7:2
If separate must remain alone or reconcile	1 Cor. 7:10-11
Marriage dissolved by death	1 Cor. 7:39
Companionship of marriage and the Church	Eph. 5:22-32

Moral Teachings

Against homosexuality (sin of Sodom)	Gen. 19:5-7
Against contraception	Gen. 38:9-10
Against homosexuality	Lev. 18:22
Against homosexuality (ancient penalty)	Lev. 20:13
Against fornication	Mt. 15:19-20
Against homosexuality	Rom. 1:25-27
Practicing homosexuals cannot enter heaven	1 Cor. 6:9
Fornicators and adulterers cannot enter heaven	1 Cor. 6:9
Body is a temple of the Holy Spirit / Glorify God in your body	1 Cor. 6:19-20
Against homosexuality	1 Tim. 1:10
Against homosexuality (eternal punishment)	Jude 1:7

Original Sin

Eve tempted by devil / Adam & Eve commit sin and are punished	Gen. 3:1-24
Death entered the world because of the devil	Wisdom 2:24
All die because of Eve	Sirach 25:23
Death came to all because of Adam	Rom. 5:12
All die because of Adam	1 Cor. 15:21-23

Other Practices / Requirements

Fast (Jesus' example)	Mt. 4:2
Righteousness must surpass the scribes and Pharisees	Mt. 5:20
Forgive one another	Mt. 6:14-15
Fasting	Mt. 6:16-18
Fasting	Mt. 9:15
Take up one's cross	Mt. 10:38
Become like children	Mt. 18:3
Keep the Commandments	Mt. 19:17
Deny ourselves and follow Christ	Mk. 8:34
Accept the kingdom like a child	Mk. 10:15
Fasting (Jesus' example)	Lk. 4:1-2
Deny self, take up cross	Lk. 9:23
Accept who He sends	Lk. 10:16
Love of God & neighbor	Lk. 10:25-28
Take up one's cross / Hating one's family & own life	Lk. 14:26-27
Renounce all one's possessions	Lk. 14:33
Be baptized	Jn. 3:5
Obey Christ	Jn. 3:36
Receive the Holy Eucharist	Jn. 6:53
Put to death the deeds of the body	Rom. 8:13
Suffer with Christ	Rom. 8:16-17
Don't resist authority	Rom. 13:2
Not give up doing good	Gal. 6:9
Persevere / Don't deny Christ	2 Tim. 2:12
Must not sin	Heb. 10:26-27
Holiness	Heb. 12:14
Perform good works	Jms. 2:26
Do not love the things of the world	1 Jn. 2:15
Act in righteousness / Love one's brother	1 Jn. 3:10
Keep the Commandments	1 Jn. 3:24
Love one another	1 Jn. 4:12
Shun false teachers	2 Jn. 1:10-11
Be chaste	Rv. 21:8
Refrain from lying	Rv. 21:27
<i>Also Try: Salvation & Faith / Works</i>	

Pope / Papacy

Founding of Church on St. Peter / Gates of Hell Will Not Prevail / Keys to the Kingdom of Heaven / Power to Bind & Loose	Mt. 16:18-19
Peter to strengthen the faith of his brethren	Lk. 22:32
The Resurrected Jesus appears to Peter (Peter is mentioned alone)	Lk. 24:34
Name change of Simon to Peter (meaning 'rock')	Jn. 1:42
John waited for Peter to enter the tomb before he entered	Jn. 20:3-8
Peter to tend to Christ's sheep	Jn. 21:15-17
Peter leads in choosing successor to Judas	Acts 1:15-26
Peter leads in preaching on Pentecost	Acts 2:14-40
Peter's preaching makes first converts	Acts 2:41
Peter performs first miracle after Pentecost	Acts 3:6-7
Peter's rebuke ends in death	Acts 5:1-11
Devout man instructed by angel to seek Peter	Acts 10:5
During Peter's speaking the Holy Spirit is given to the Gentiles	Acts 10:44-46
Peter acts as head of Council	Acts 15:6-12
The risen Christ appeared first to Peter	1 Cor. 15:3-5
Paul goes to Peter after his conversion	Gal. 1:18
Mt. 10:2-4, Mk. 3:16-19, Lk. 6:14-16, Lk. 9:32, Acts 1:13, Acts 2:37, Acts 5:29, Etc.	

Peter's Name

Peter's name is listed first (others are sometimes simply referred to as apostles or companions)	
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Pope / Papacy, Cont.

Peter speaks for all the Apostles	Mt. 16:13-16, Mt. 17:4, Mk. 8:29, Mk. 9:5, Jn. 6:68-69, Acts 4:5-12
Jesus speaks only to Peter	Mt. 17:25, Mk. 14:37-38, Lk. 7:40-43, Lk. 22:31-32, Jn. 21:15-19
<i>Also Try: Church / Hierarchy</i>	

Prayer

Prayers for the dead	2 Macc. 12:39-46
Jesus repeats prayer	Mt. 26:44
Jesus repeats prayer	Mk. 14:39
Pray without ceasing	1 Thes. 5:17
Paul prays for the dead Onesiphorus	2 Tim. 1:16-18
Heavenly creatures repeat prayer	Rv. 4:8

Priesthood / Holy Orders / Celibacy

Vestments	Ex. 28:2-5
Vestments	Lv. 16:4
Vestments	Ezek. 44:17-19
Priest is God's messenger	Mal. 2:7
Praying for vocations	Mt. 9:37-38
Apostles given authority by Jesus	Mt. 10:1
Jesus gives authority to bind and loose	Mt. 16:19
Jesus prays celibacy	Mt. 19:12
Jesus commissions the Apostles	Mt. 28:19-20
Jesus commissions the Apostles	Mk. 16:15-16
Praying for vocations	Lk. 10:2
Those who reject persons sent by Christ reject Christ	Lk. 10:16
The Apostles are sent by Jesus	Jn. 20:21
Laying on of hands	Acts 6:6
Laying on of hands	Acts 13:3
Presbyters (priests) are appointed	Acts 14:23
Those who preach must be sent	Rom. 10:15
Paul praises celibacy	1 Cor. 7:8
Paul praises celibacy	1 Cor. 7:32-38
Priests are over Italy	1 Thes. 5:12
Laying on of hands	1 Tim. 4:14
Laying on of hands	1 Tim. 5:22
Laying on of hands	2 Tim. 1:6
Appointment of presbyters (priests)	Ti. 1:5
Presbyters (priests) are to be called when one is sick	Jms. 5:14-15
Only (male) virgins can sing the hymn; they follow the Lord wherever he goes.	
<i>Also Try: Church / Hierarchy</i>	

Purgatory

Without not kindness from the dead	Sirach 7:33
Not released until all debts are paid	Mt. 5:26
Some sin may be forgiven in next age	Mt. 12:32
Not released until all debts are paid	Lk. 12:59
Saved but through fire ("there's no fire in heaven")	1 Cor. 3:15
Wrongdoer will receive recompense	Col 3:25
Can't see God unless holy	Heb. 12:14
Spirits in prison	1 Pt. 3:18-20
Nothing unclean shall enter heaven	Rv. 21:27
Relics / Sacramentals	
Contact with relics restores a man to life	2 Kgs 13:20-21
Touching Jesus' tassel heals woman	Mt. 9:20
People healed by touching Jesus' tassel	Mt. 14:36