The Legacy of the Puritans

The detested name of ‘Puritan’

Reformation Theologians

Muntzer

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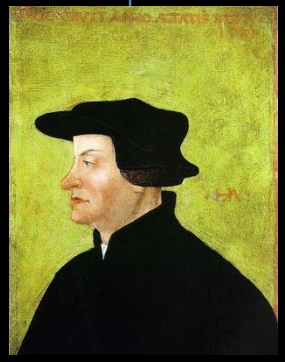
Luther



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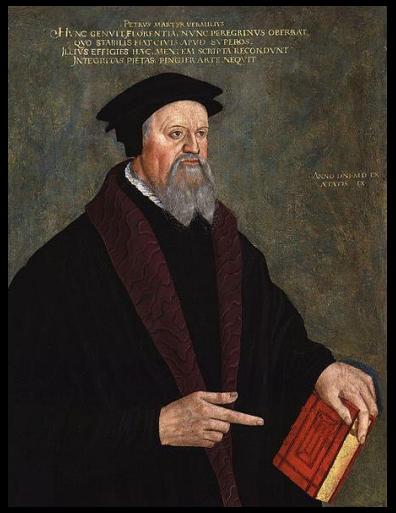

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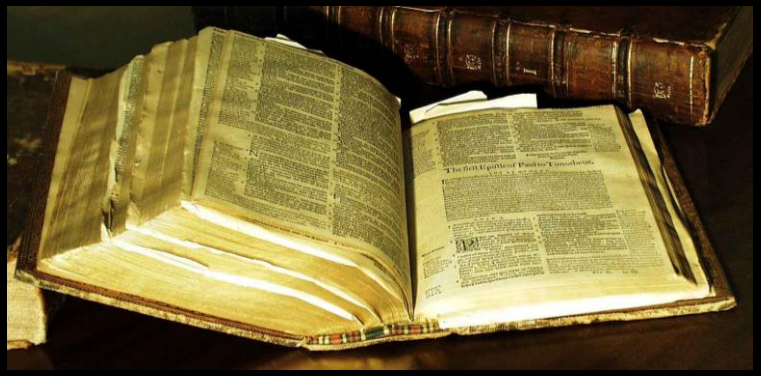
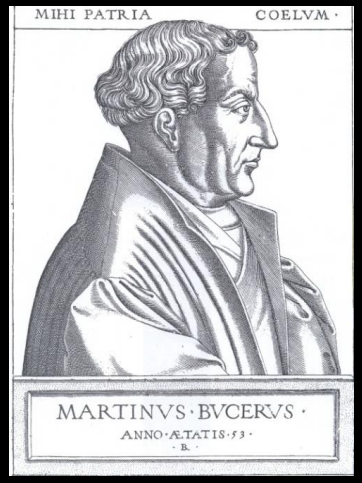


Geneva Bible



Martin Bucer

Reformed Church of England

Heinrich Bullinger

‘Stranger Churches’

John Jewel & ‘Marian Exiles’

John Owen

Marks of the puritan

i. Scripturalism

ii. ‘Prophesyings’/ Conferences

iii. ‘Sermon gadding’

iv. Sabbatarian

v. Primitivism

vi. Old Testament

Golden Age, primitivism

Puritan

Apocalyptic

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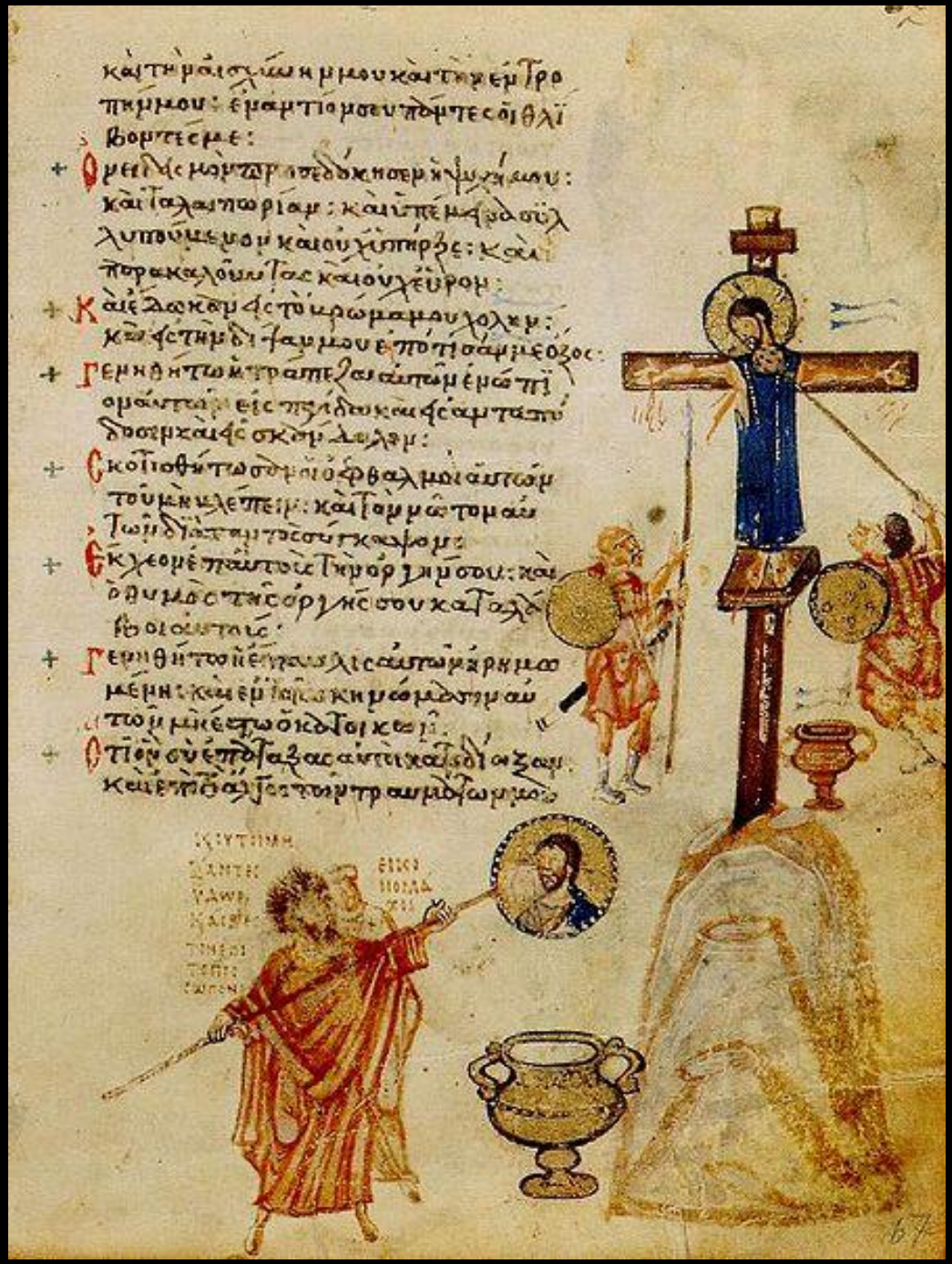
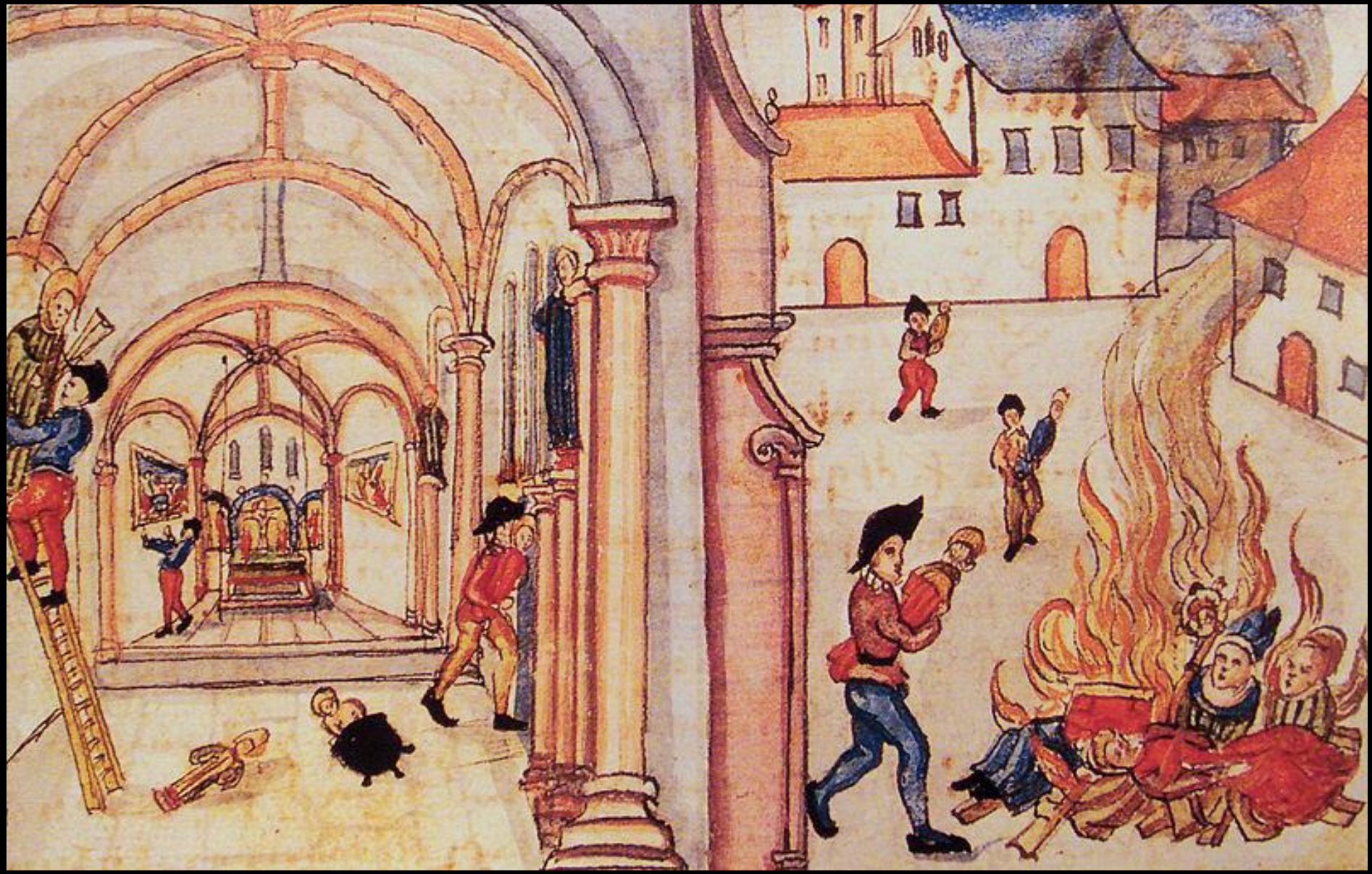
Iconoclasm - follow Greeks or the Jews?



The Iconoclasm Controversy- Byzantine Psalter, 9th Century

Zurich, 1524



Switzerland, 1529

Antwerp, 1566

IMPIA CALVINI QVOD FVRTO ET SANGVINE CONSTET
DOGMATA LVGDVNI PICTA RVINA DOCET
DVM SACRA LVGDVNI CALVINVS IVRA REVELLIT,
TEMPLORVM AC VRBIS TALIS IMAGO FVIT

Lyon, 1562

‘The Temple well purged’

Foxe’s ‘Book of Martyrs’ (1563 ed.)

Richard Baxter (1615-91)

William Perkins (1558- 1602) Christ's College, Cambridge

The Admonition Controversy (1572-77)

Thomas Cartwright **v** **John Whitgift**

Calvinist Europe:

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Middelberg
Leiden
Heidelberg
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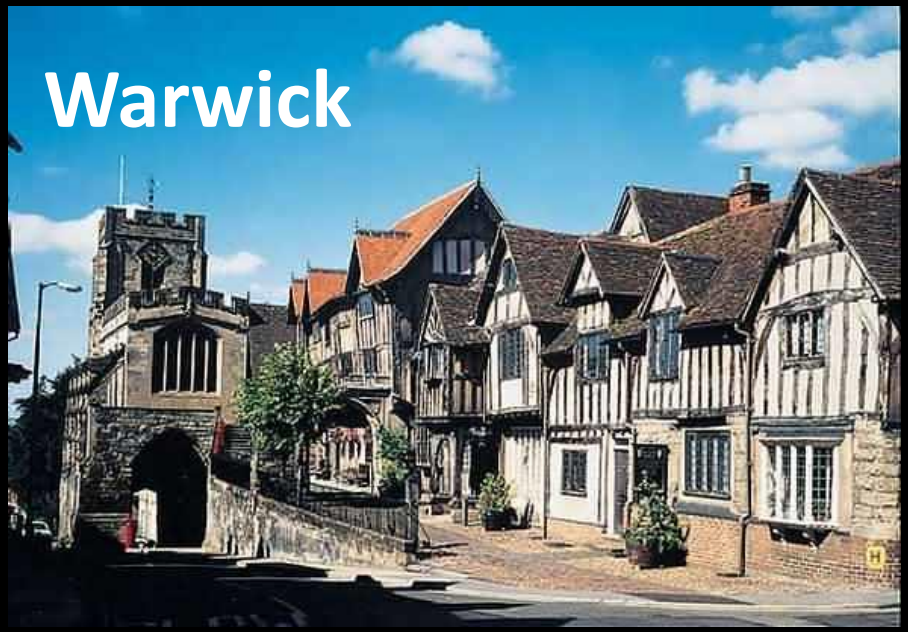
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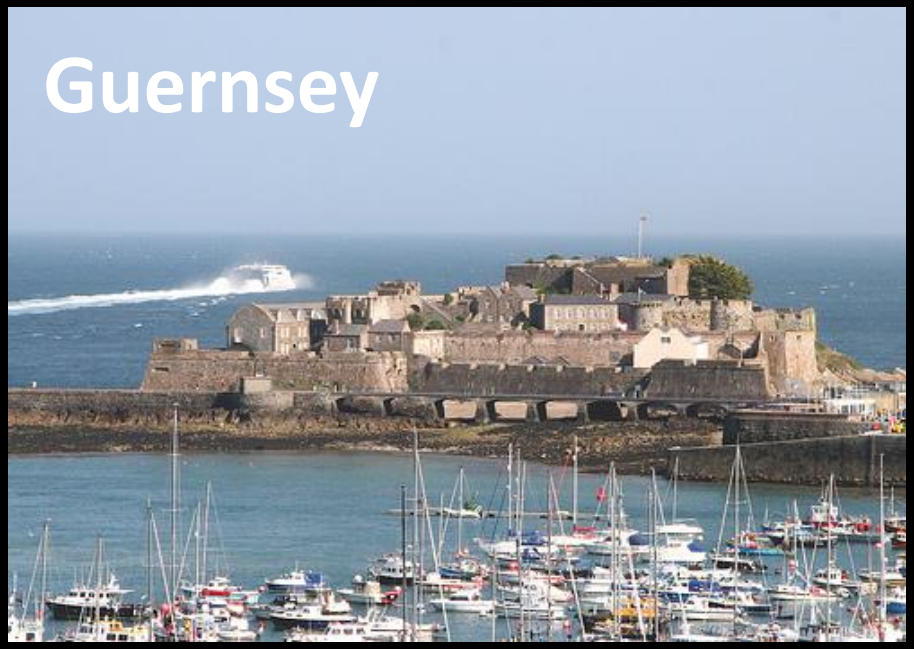
Guernsey

Geneva

Church Government

PRESBYTERIAN	‘ANGLICAN’
Doctor	Bishop
Pastor	Priest
Elder	Deacon
Deacon	

The Mosaic Law:

i. Ceremonial
ii. Judicial
iii. Moral

Puritan Grievances:

- Prayer Book
- Vestments
- Wedding rings
- Church courts
- Unpreaching clergy
- Bishops' civil power
- Church Hierarchy

Charles I

Interregnum (1649-60)

Charles II

‘Puritans’

1662

Baptists

Presbyterians

Congregationalists/ Independents

‘Nonconformists’

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