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AND THEIR LEGACIES

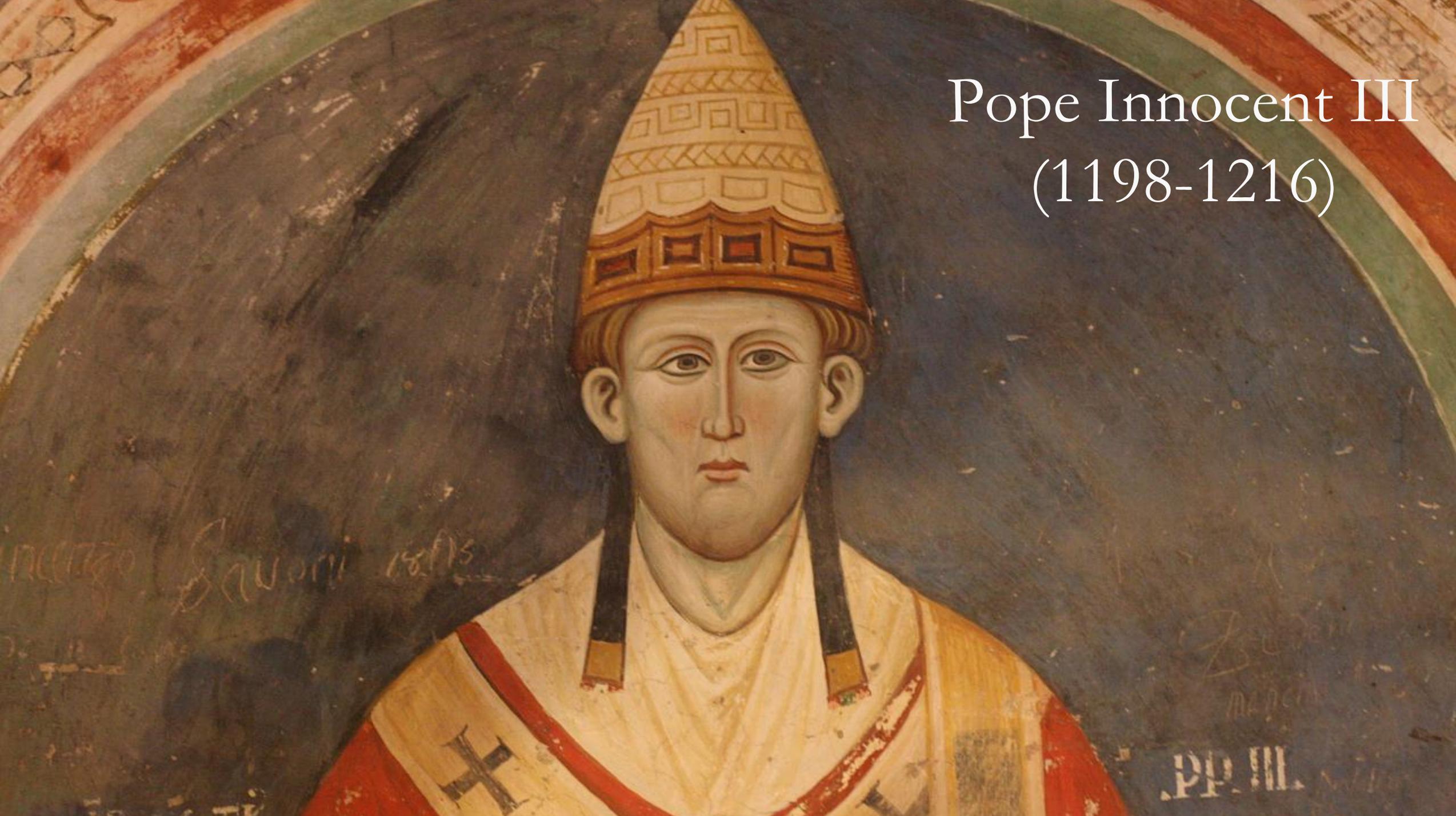
*England's Tudor Reformation*

Alec Ryrie





Pope Innocent III  
(1198-1216)







We declare, we proclaim, we define that it is absolutely necessary for salvation that every human creature be subject to the Roman Pontiff.

Boniface VIII, *Unam Sanctam* (1302)

The Great  
(or Western)  
Schism,  
1378-1417









James V, king of  
Scots (1513-42):  
loyal Catholicism  
as protection  
racket







Charles V, Holy Roman  
Emperor (reigned 1519-56)











Sir Thomas More  
(resigned as Lord  
Chancellor, 1532)



# Act of Supremacy, 1534

Wher the King majesticly willeth and signifyeth it and oweth to be the Supreme head of the Church of England and  
to be acknowledged by the religion of this Realm in his coronation yet notwithstanding for reprobation and  
confirmation thereof and for enticement of virtuous in popes Religion in this Realm of England and to suppress and extirpate  
all errors heresies and other enormities and abuses heretofore used in the same. Be it enacted by authority of this  
present parliament that the King our said Lord his heirs and Successors King of this Realm shall be taken accepted  
and reputed the only supreme head in earth of the Church of England called Anglica Ecclesia. And shall have and enjoy  
direct and sole to the Imperiall crowne of this Realm all the titles and stile therof as all yonours  
Dignities & to the Government jurisdiction prebendall authorities immunities offices and commodities to the said  
Dignities of Supreme head of the same Church belonging and appertaining. And that our said Lord his heirs  
and Successors King of this Realm shall have full power and authority from tyme to tyme to visit redress  
redresse reforme order correct repress and amend all such errors heresies abuses offenses contumacie  
and enormities what so ever they be whiche by any manner spiritual authority or jurisdiction ought or may  
lawfully be reformed redressed ordered redressed or amended. Most to the pleasure  
of Almighty god the increase of virtuous in popes Religion. And for the confirmation of the peace unity and  
tranquillity of this Realm. Any usage statute law or custom contrary to the assent or any other thing  
or thing to the contrary herof not withstanding.

Soth Laulle and Committed  
A cett bill by comyns sent  
assent

‘The king ... shall be taken, accepted and reputed the only supreme head in earth of the Church of England called *Anglicana Ecclesia*.’



Henry VIII as  
King David:  
an illustration  
from his  
private psalter

Elizabeth I,  
*Supreme Governor* of the  
Church of England

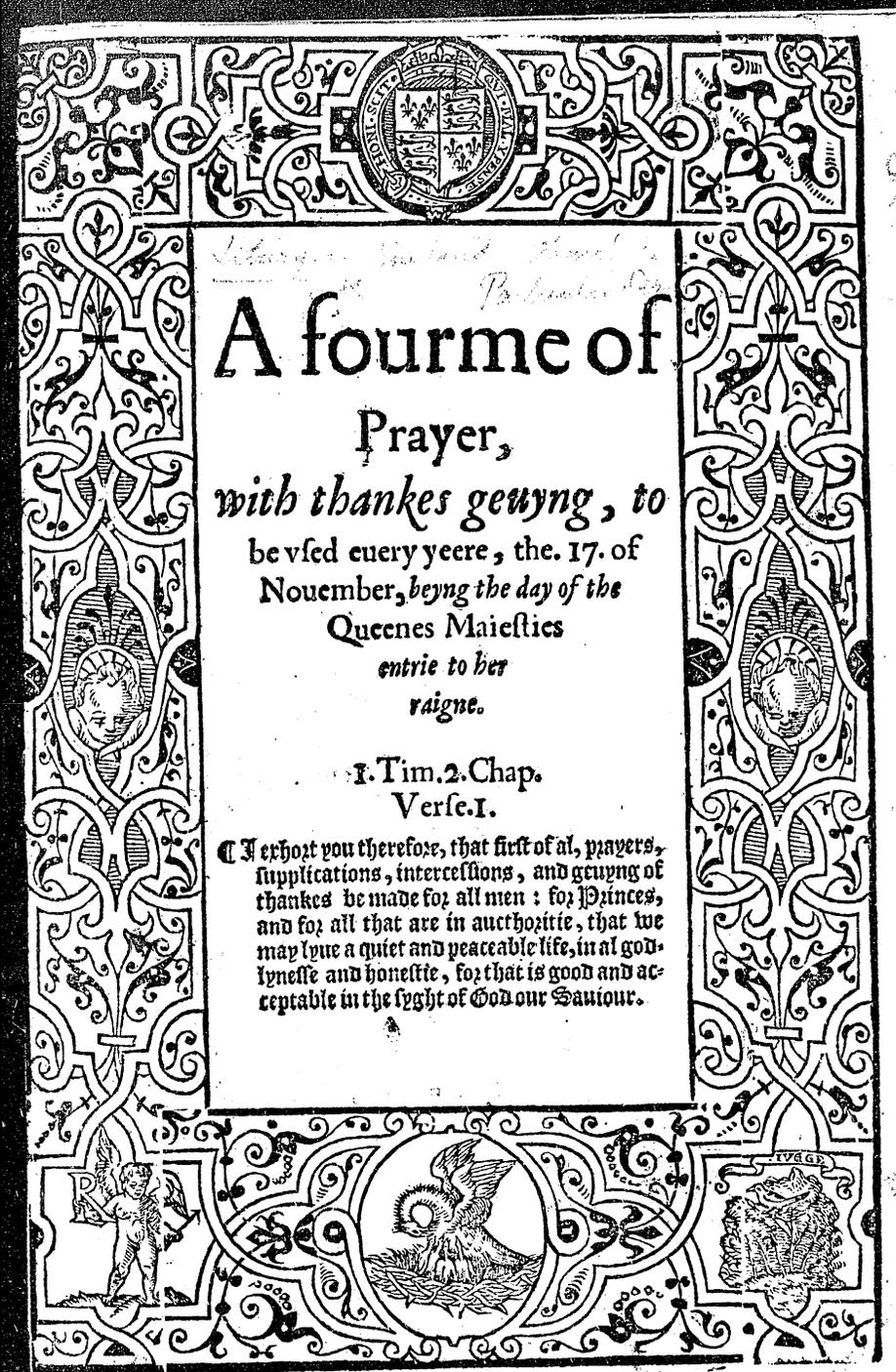




**T**he Booke of

common prayer, and ad-  
ministracion of the

Queen  
Elizabeth I's  
accession day  
service  
(1577 edition)





A wise prince is a mighty rare bird, and an upright prince even rarer. They are generally the biggest fools or the worst scoundrels on earth.

Martin Luther, *On Temporal Power* (1523)



EX VRGAT DEVS DISSIPENTVR INIMICI

1611.



PONDERE VIRTUS

Asperam, at Levem

Gratia

Christi  
Tractor



# Act of Supremacy, 1534

Wherby the King in righte and by the assent of the Commons of England and  
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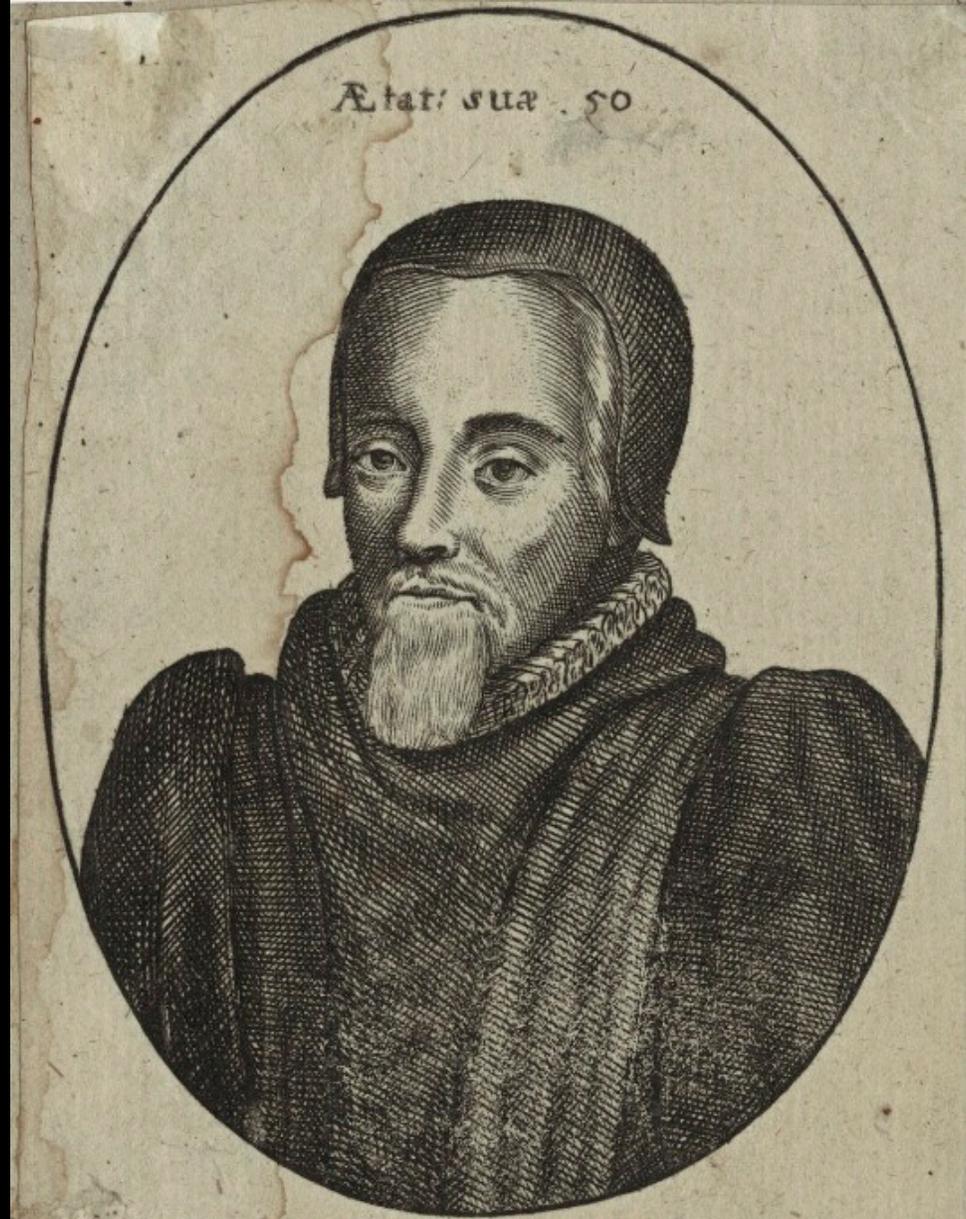
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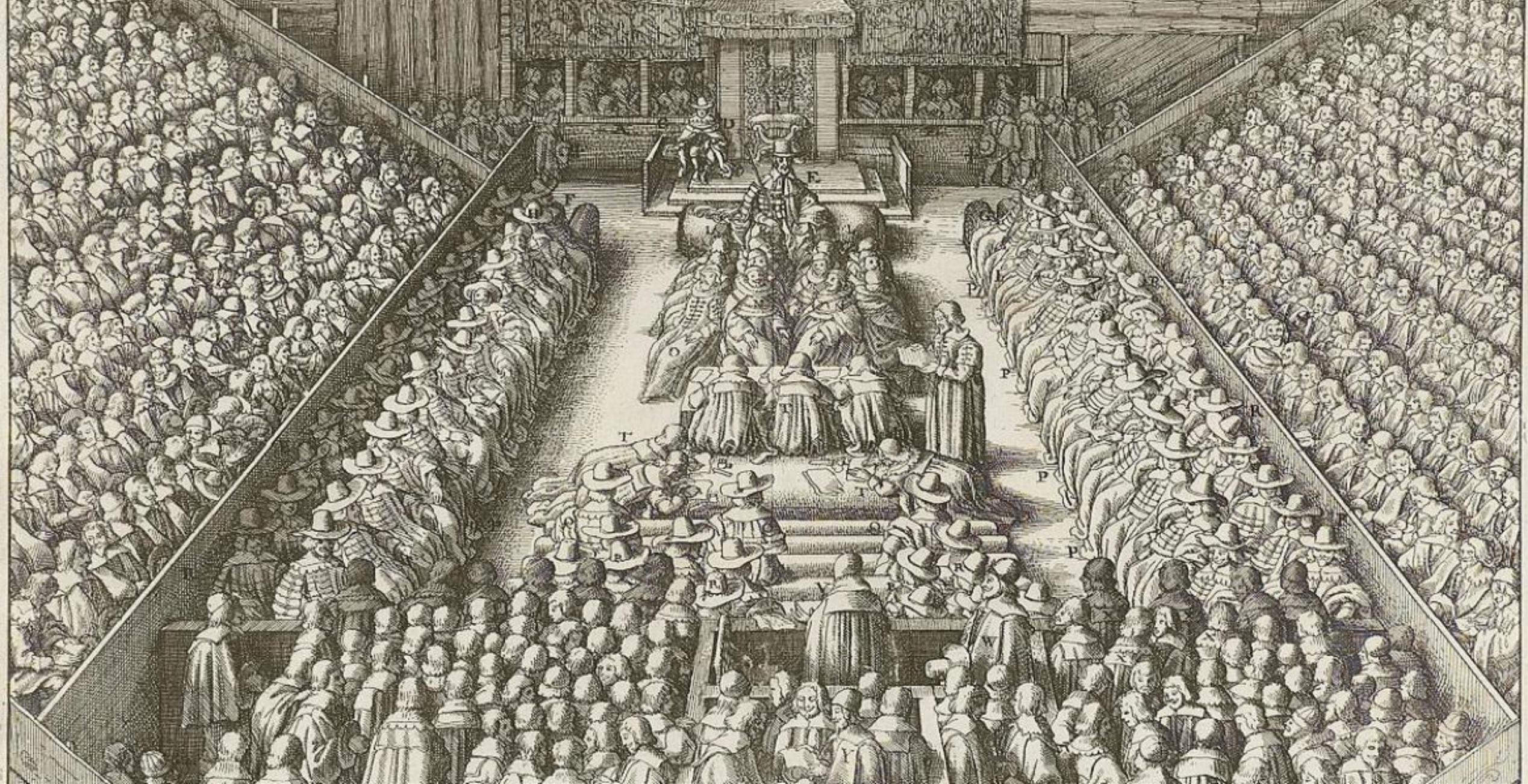
Richard Hooker  
(1554-1600),  
author of the  
*Laws of  
Ecclesiastical Polity*





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M<sup>r</sup> Richard Hooker,  
Author of the Bookes of Eccle-  
siasticall Politye.







A photograph showing two men in profile, facing each other as if in conversation. The man on the left has short, graying hair and is wearing a dark suit jacket over a light blue shirt. The man on the right has a full white beard and glasses, and is wearing a maroon clerical shirt with a white collar and a white pectoral cross. They are standing in front of a blue background with white text. The text is partially visible and reads "Faith in" on the top line and "AGAINST" on the bottom line.

Faith in  
AGAINST





The wolves of the world be so greedy, that hardly any thing shall be well bestowed. . . . Our forefathers who bestowed so plentifully . . . thought little that the greediness of a few should devour their godly liberality. . . . Our Posterity will wonder at us.

Richard Cox, 1546







# THE KINGDOME OF IRLAND

Divided into severall Provinces, and the  
again divided into Counties.  
Newly described.



The High King of Ireland The High King of Ireland



The Earl High Justice The Lord High Justice



The Wild Irishmen The Wild Irishmen

Jacobus Hondius delin.



PART OF SCOTLAND

PART OF

THE ENGLISH SEA

ENGLAND

LAND



Printed by John Smith and sold by the Field in  
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Watts, Cornhill Anno Domini 1684

THE KINGDOME OF SCOTLAND

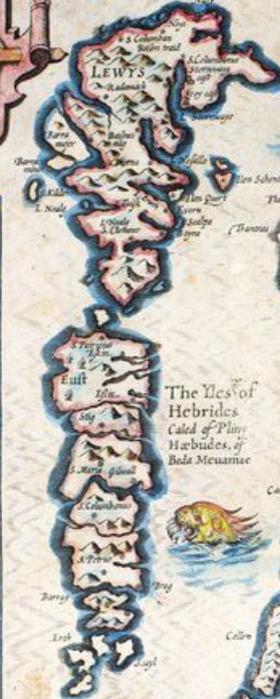


A Scots man



A Highland man

THE DEUCALIDON SEA



The Isles of Hebrides Called of Play Hebrides, of Bala Meunace



THE SCALE OF SCOTISH MILES



The Yles of Orkney



A Scotch Woman



A Highland woman

Designed by John Speed and engraven by Robert Rawlins in 1610



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