

**MEDIEVAL  
CAURCA**

# Medieval Church

- unifying force in Western Europe after the fall of the Western Roman Empire
- continued the traditions of the old Roman Empire
- heightened concern for the afterlife



# SEVEN SACRAMENTS

**Sacrament: rites or ceremonies  
through which a believer receives  
God's grace in Roman Catholicism**

# BAPTISM



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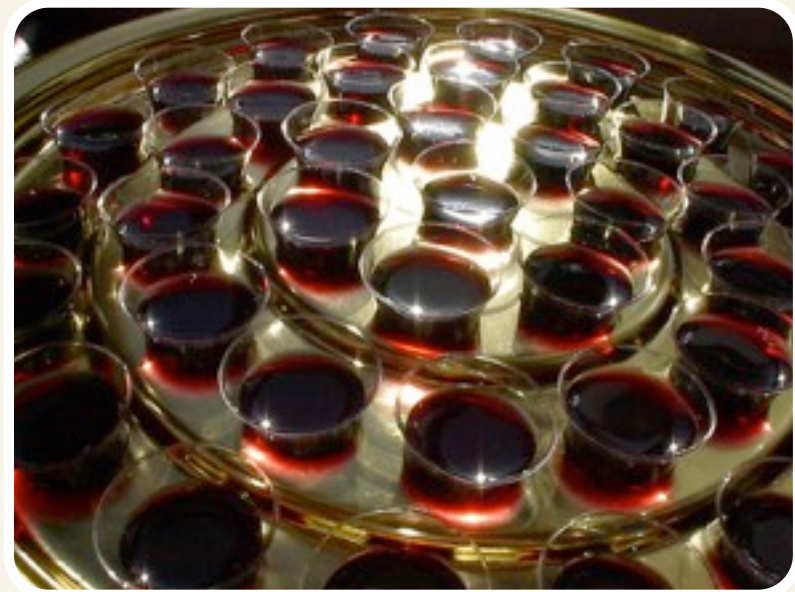
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ANOTHER ESKIMO BAPTISM GONE BAD



# EUCHARIST



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## **First Communion**

Child's first time to receive communion usually around the age of 7 or 8.



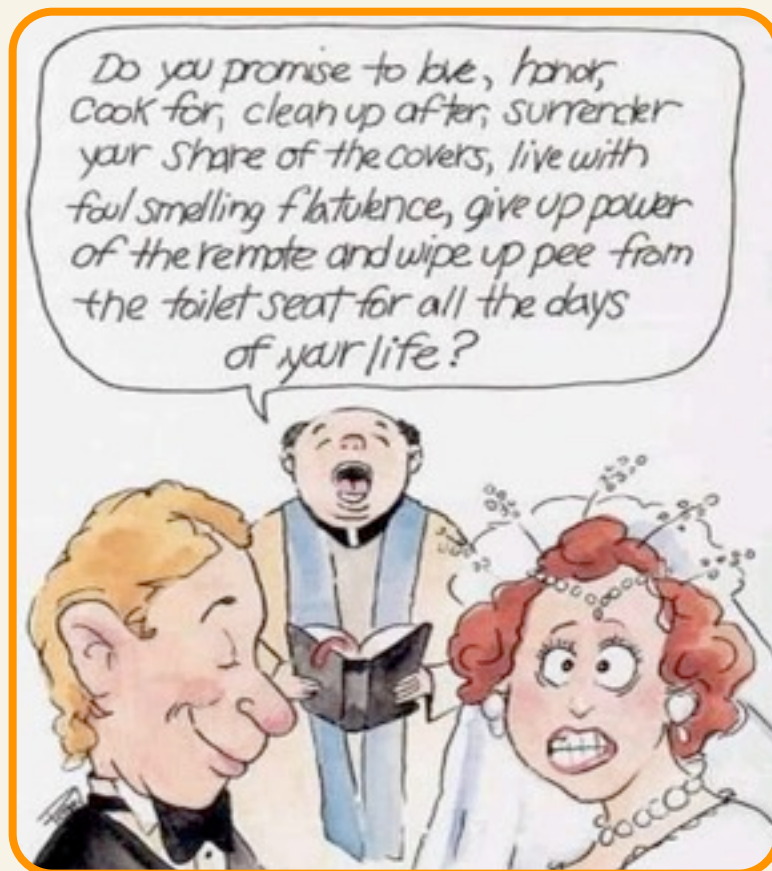
# RECONCILIATION



# CONFIRMATION



# MATRIMONY





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Anointing of the sick



# UNCIÓN



Includes  
Extreme  
Unction or  
Last Rites





# HOLY ORDERS



**Ordination**

# 7 SACRAMENTS

- Baptism
- Eucharist  
(Communion)
- Reconciliation  
(Penance)
- Confirmation
- Matrimony
- Unction  
(Anointing the sick)
- Extreme Unction
- Holy Orders  
(Ordination)

# Seven Deadly Sins

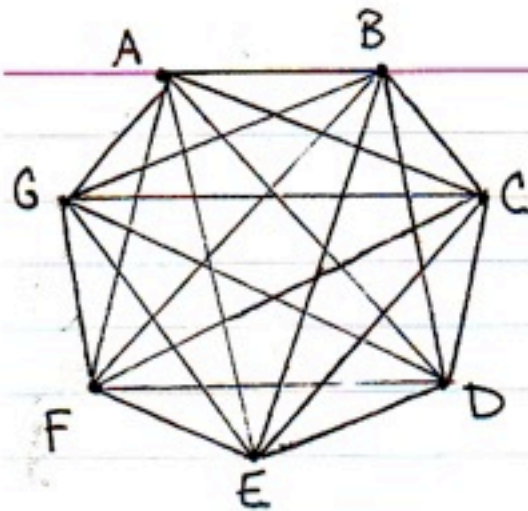
- Pride
- Envy
- Wrath
- Acedia/Slothfulness/ Laziness
- Avarice/Greed
- Gluttony
- Lust



**Sins  
that require  
confession**

**cardinal v. venial sins**

# Seven Deadly Sin Combos

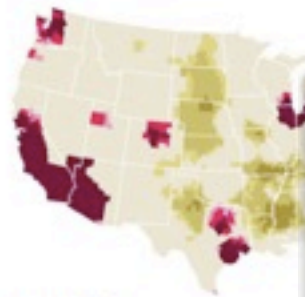


A = Lust  
 B = Gluttony  
 C = Greed  
 D = Sloth  
 E = Wrath  
 F = Envy  
 G = Pride

$\overline{AB}$ = Edible Undies	$\overline{CF}$ = Advertising
$\overline{AC}$ = Prostitution	$\overline{CG}$ = Status Symbols
$\overline{AD}$ = Quickie	$\overline{DE}$ = Passive Aggression
$\overline{AE}$ = Domestic Abuse	$\overline{DF}$ = Welfare
$\overline{AF}$ = Adultery	$\overline{DG}$ = Slackers
$\overline{AG}$ = Trophy Wife	$\overline{EF}$ = Cattiness
$\overline{BC}$ = Last Donut	$\overline{EG}$ = Boxing
$\overline{BD}$ = Saturday	$\overline{GF}$ = 2 <sup>nd</sup> Place
$\overline{BE}$ = Bulimia	
$\overline{BF}$ = High Metabolism	
$\overline{BG}$ = Fat men in Speedos	
$\overline{CD}$ = Get Rich Quick Scams	
$\overline{CE}$ = Muggings	

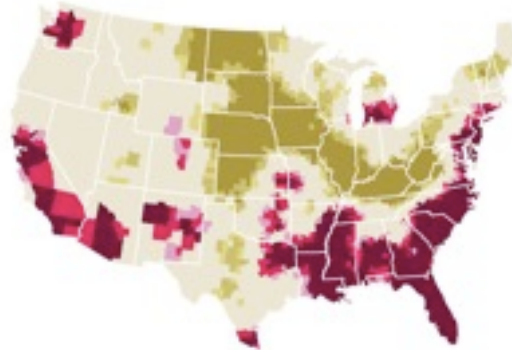


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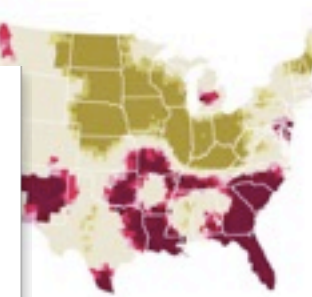
### **Greed**

Average income compared to number of people living below the poverty line.

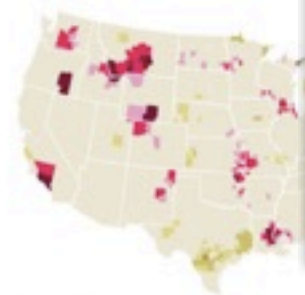


### **Pride**

Aggregate of the other six offenses—because pride is the root of all sin.



Number of violent crimes (murder, assault, and rape) per capita.

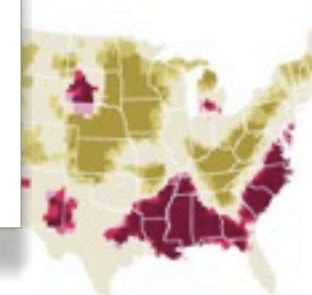


### **Sloth**

Expenditures on art, entertainment, and recreation compared with employment.

### **Gluttony**

Number of fast-food restaurants per capita.



### **Lust**

Number of STD cases reported per capita.



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A VERY SLOW PANDEMONIUM BROKE OUT WHEN  
THE CONGREGATION AT SLOTH CHURCH FOUND  
OUT THAT THEY WERE DEADLY SINS

# Why did most medieval Christians have a simple understanding of Christianity?

- Most people were illiterate.
- People learned about faith from images and stories.
- Priests were poorly educated.
- Masses were in Latin.

# LEVELS OF ROMAN CATHOLIC CLERGY

Pope	Leader of the Church in Rome
Archbishops	Supervised bishops
Bishops	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Supervised priests</li><li>• Settled disputes over Church teachings and religious practices</li></ul>
Priests	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Administered the sacraments</li><li>• Gave advice</li><li>• Taught rules of right and wrong</li><li>• Tried to help the sick and needy</li></ul>

# LEVELS OF ROMAN CATHOLIC CLERGY

## Monks & Nuns

- lived apart from society in monasteries or convents
- devoted their lives to prayer and good works
- taught skills such as carpentry and weaving
- set up hospitals
- gave shelter to travelers
- copied and preserved ancient manuscripts
- served as missionaries





# Mont St. Michel



# 2 TYPES OF PRIESTS

## ■ In Regula:

- lived according to monastic rules,
- withdrew from society and lived in monasteries.
- monks

## ■ In Saeculo:

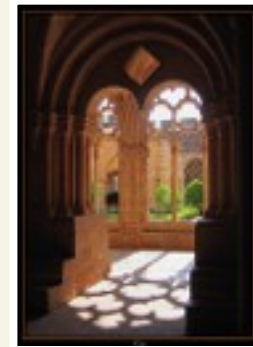
- secular clergy
- lived as a part of society
- pope, bishops, parish priests

**A monastery is headed by an abbot.  
A convent is headed by an abbess.**

**The most common  
monastic rule  
was the Benedictine Rule  
created by St. Benedict.**



1.45 - Wake up  
2.00 - Church Service  
3.30 - Sleep  
4.00 - Church Service  
5.00 - Private reading and prayer  
6.00 - Church service then breakfast  
7.00 - Work  
8.00 - Church Service  
9.15 - Work  
11.45 - Church Service  
12.00 - Midday Meal  
1.00 - Private reading and prayer  
1.45 - Sleep  
2.45 - Sleep  
3.00 - Work  
5.45 - Meal  
6.00 - Church service  
7.15 - Private reading and prayer  
7.45 - Church service  
8.00 - Bed and sleep



# TIMETABLE OF MONASTIC LIFE

# MEDIEVAL EFFORTS TO REFORM THE CHURCH

- I. 1059: Changed the way the pope was chosen
- The pope was now to be chosen by the **College of Cardinals**.
  - In the past, he had been chosen by the Roman Emperor or local Roman officials.





# MEDIEVAL EFFORTS TO REFORM THE CHURCH

## 2. Tried to stop **simony**

- Simony is the buying and selling of church titles such as bishop.



# MEDIEVAL EFFORTS TO REFORM THE CHURCH

## 3. Tried to stop **lay investiture**

- Investiture: ceremony giving church officials their title
- Who conducted the ceremony, secular leader (king or duke) or church officials (pope or bishop)?
- 1075: Pope Gregory VII banned lay investiture
- Holy Roman Emperor Henry IV ordered the pope to step down
- Pope Gregory VII excommunicated Henry IV and ordered the people to no longer obey him.
- HRE Henry IV begged in the snow for 3 days outside of the pope's castle for forgiveness.

# TOOLS OF THE POPE

- **Excommunication:** no longer in Church, soul is damned to hell
- **Interdict:** banning the sacraments from a region

**Heresy:** religious beliefs that are against the dogma (official beliefs) of the church

**Inquisition:** Church courts set up to try heretics

**Heretic:** Someone who practices or believes in heresy

# THE SPANISH INQUISITION





# TRIAL BY ORDEAL

a judicial practice by which the guilt or innocence of the accused is determined by subjecting them to a painful task. If either the task is completed without injury, or the injuries sustained are healed quickly, the accused is considered innocent.



# FRARS

- wandering preachers followed strict monastic rules but didn't withdraw from society

# FAMOUS FRIARS

- St. Francis of Assisi
  - Founded the Franciscan Order of priests
- St. Dominic
  - Founded the Dominican Order of priests





St. Francis



Franciscan Priest









St. Dominic

# FIVE ORDINARY PARTS OF THE MASS

Kyrie

Kyrie Eleison, Christe Eleison  
Lord have mercy, Christ have mercy

Gloria

Gloria in Excelsis Deo  
Glory to God in the Highest

Credo

Creed

Sanctus

Sanctus Sanctus Sanctus  
Holy Holy Holy

Agnus Dei

Lamb of God



# MEDIEVAL MUSIC

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- Sacred
- Chant
- Vocal
- Use of organ began after 1100

# CHARACTERISTICS OF CHANT

- monophonic (no harmony)
- a cappella (no instruments)
- limited range between highest and lowest notes
- in Latin
- 3 types of notation
  - Syllabic: One note per syllable.
  - Neumatic: 2-5 notes per syllable.
  - Melismatic: unlimited number of notes per syllable.



- Pope Gregory I reorganized the liturgy for the Roman Catholic Church
  - Liturgy: set of rites prescribed for public worship
- Pope Gregory I organized and systematized chant beginning the system of musical notation we use today.
- Gregorian Chant

*off.*  
*secundum*  
*modum*  
**M**ultitudo languentium  
et qui uerabantur a spiritibus immundis uenie  
bant ad eum quia uirtus de illo exi  
bat et  
sana  
bat omnes *Sancti*  
*rici et*  
*uiri offit.*

**A**ssumamus omnes in domino  
em festum celebrantes sub honore  
heuri martyris de cuius passio ne gaudent an  
ge li et collaudant filium dei *Ad*  
**A**mmi  
nabunt celi iustitiam eius populo qui nascetur que  
fecit dominis *Bea*  
**Gloria. E** uo uae *tus uir*  
qui timet



It's for whacking peasants.  
I call it a serf board.

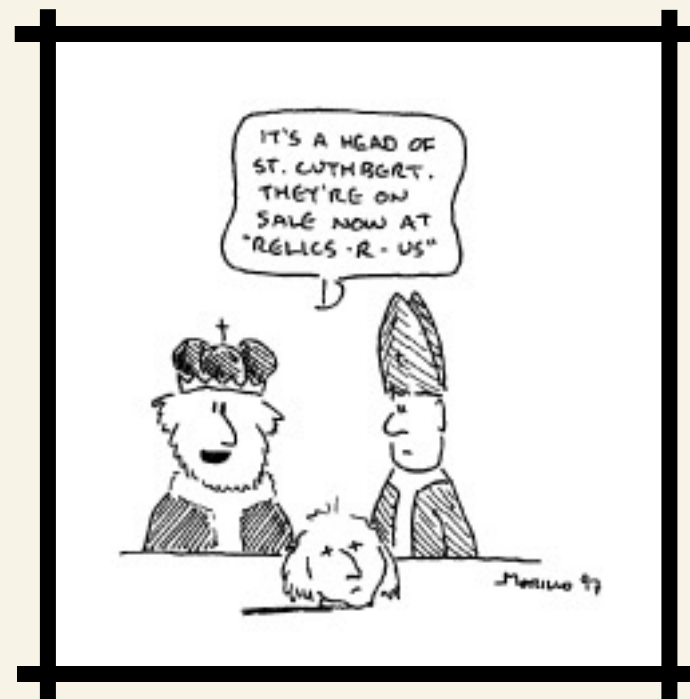


My father went on the crusades and all he brought me was this stupid sur-coat.



Dang, I knew this was a bad time to get a tan.





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STARTING HIS NEW JOB, WOLFGANG  
RECEIVES HIS SEVERANCE PACKAGE

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## IVAN INADVERTENTLY INVENTS RHINOPLASTY









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