

"BONN AGREEMENT"

STATEMENT

*agreed between
the representatives of the Old Catholic Churches
and the Churches of the Anglican Communion
1931*

July 2, 1931

This agreement grew out of a meeting of representatives of the Old Catholic churches of Holland, Germany, and Switzerland, and of the Church of England, at Bonn, Germany, July 2, 1931.

The Bonn Agreement states that

- 1) Each Communion recognizes the catholicity of the other and maintains its own;
- 2) Each Communion agrees to admit members of the other Communion to participate in the Sacrament;
- 3) Intercommunion does not require from either Communion the acceptance of all doctrinal opinion, sacramental devotion, or liturgical practice characteristic of the other but implies that each believes the other to hold all the essentials of the Christian faith.

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