

# Download Dogmatic Canons And Decrees Of The Council Of Trent Vatican

Introduction. This council was summoned by Pope Pius IX by the bull *Aeterni Patris* of 29 June 1868. The first session was held in St. Peter's basilica on 8 December 1869 in the presence and under the presidency of the Pope. The Counter-Reformation (Latin: *Contrareformatio*), also called the Catholic Reformation (Latin: *Reformatio Catholica*) or the Catholic Revival, was the period of Catholic resurgence initiated in response to the Protestant Reformation, beginning with the Council of Trent (1545–1563) and ending at the close of the Thirty Years' War (1648). The Council of Trent was the 19th Ecumenical Council of the Roman Catholic Church. Considered one of the Church's most important councils, it convened in Trent for three periods between December 13, 1545, and December 4, 1563, as a response to the Protestant Reformation. Dogmatic constitution on the church *Lumen gentium* solemnly promulgated by his holiness pope Paul VI on November 21, 1964.

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