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Denominations

- A conceptual challenge
 - Our approach: “traditional”
 - Denominations: Distinct systems of beliefs and practices that are understood in virtue of being historically founded in or “downstream” from specific people, theological statements or movements.
- **Goals for the Series:**
 - An understanding of what makes each denomination unique, for better and for worse
 - A more ecumenical spirit and charitable disposition toward those in other denominations
 - A particular appreciation for the Baptist tradition

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- 1) A brief history
- 2) How are they organized or structured?
- 3) What do they believe about authority and tradition?
- 4) What do they believe about justification?
- 5) What do they believe about the process of sanctification?
- 6) What do they believe about the canon?
- 7) What do they believe about the sacraments?

- Roman Catholicism | A Very Brief History