

c. Key New Testament concepts:

- (1) church (1 Timothy 3)
- (2) state (Romans 13)
- (3) assignments of duty (1 Peter 2)

d. The Reformers:

- (1) Luther: God in the church redeems
God in the state sustains
- (2) Zwingli
- (3) Calvin...a community reflecting the Gospel

e. The Anabaptist ideology:

- (1) consciences
- (2) assembly
- (3) government
- (4) spiritual order

f. Political/Social theory

- (1) Locke
- (2) Smith (Adam)

2. The Puritan ideal:

a. Governmental ideals:

- (1) government frees man from natural license
- (2) government is best ordered in the posture of a social compact (the Mayflower compact, for instance)
- (3) government embodies both human and divine...in a Christian state the law of God is foundational.

b. Concepts of politics..political acts are built on:

- (1) God
- (2) Compact