

E SUPREMI ON THE RESTORATION OF ALL THINGS IN CHRIST

INTRO	DUTY OF POPE	1. Pius X addresses the Church for the first time since assuming the burden of the Pontificate.
		2. He deems himself unworthy to follow the footsteps of Leo XIII and his achievements.
	OBSERVATIONS	3. Human society is in a disastrous state marked by apostasy from God.
		4. The goal of the current pontificate is to restore all things in Christ.
DOCTRINE	PROBLEMS	5. The present evils result from man placing himself in place of God and worshiping himself.
		6. The ultimate victory lies with God, and man cannot triumph by refusing to worship Him.
	SOLUTIONS	7. Only respecting God's commandments can bring about peace in society, not political parties.
		8. To bring mankind back to submission to God requires the restoration of all things in Christ.
		9. Christ can only be found through the Church, which is necessary for salvation.
PRACTICE	FOR PRIESTS	10. Bishops must be vigilant in the formation of priests, who must imitate the works of Christ
		11. Bishops must ensure sound doctrine and good morals and ordain only worthy candidates.
	FOR FAITHFUL	12. Both the educated and uneducated are susceptible to error due to widespread ignorance.
		13. Only charitable correction can bring souls back to God, rather than excessive harshness.
		14. Laity must take action, openly profess the faith, and frequent the sacraments.
CONCLUSION	OREMUS	15. Churches must recite the rosary and invoke the intercession of Sts. Joseph, Peter, and Paul.
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