

Summary:

Srovnání základních věroučných dokumentů CČSH a ČCE
The Comparison of the basic doctrinal Documents CČSH and ČCE
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The Comparison of the basic doctrinal Documents in their broader context has led into surprising discovery of their similarity, though with more or less important differences.

Especially the doctrine of faith (rules of faith), by which ČCE (Evangelical Church of Czech Brethren) finds their source by interpretation of the Word of God while inspired by the Holy Spirit and for CČSH (Czechoslovak Hussite Church) it is the Spirit of Christ. With a closer look at it you will find a similar concept of this rule.

Another difference is a concept and approach towards the church itself, CČSH talks about God's Church as a visible, tangible human fellowship, whereas ČCE talks about an invisible God's Church, operating within concrete fellowship.

Another difference, this time practical one, is a number of celebrated, (served) sacraments; nonetheless this difference is suppressed by its similarity and the approach towards them.

Within CČSH is more obvious the emphasis on a church as an institution, in the Basics ČCE on their function within an environment of current world. Thus both churches are very close in their beliefs and their peculiar emphasis is rather complimentary and in balance then vice versa.