

Letter 467: [After 11 February 1532, Augsburg], Capito to Martin Bucer and the Strasbourg Preachers

On 3 January 1532, Luther wrote a letter to Caspar Huberinus in Augsburg (WABr 6, Ep. 1894). Capito sent a copy of this letter from Augsburg to Strasbourg, with the following note addressed “to Bucer and his brethren in Strasbourg.” The text of this note is published in CorrBucer 7:264–65, Ep. 554.

[*Summary*]: The [Lutherans] in Augsburg are treating the other evangelicals like certain princes their soldiers. They employ them to wage war when necessary, then dismiss them wounded and injured. They prefer to obtain favour with [Charles V] by disparaging the other evangelicals.