

Apostolicity

Divine Service
Sunday, August 9, 2026



Theme:

The church of Christ

Message:

Apostolicity is an identifying characteristic of the church of Christ.

Bible text: 2 Corinthians 5: 20

Now then, we are ambassadors for Christ, as though God were pleading through us: we implore you on Christ's behalf, be reconciled to God.

Summary:

- Jesus Christ sent out Apostles in order to authentically proclaim salvation in Jesus Christ.
- The church retained its apostolicity even after the death of the early Apostles because the apostolic doctrine continued to be preached.
- Apostolicity was fully restored with the renewed personal occupation of the Apostle ministry.

Notes:
