

SERMON APPLICATION SHEET FOR:

Rev. Tony Felich

The King's Messengers

Matthew 10:1-15

October 19, 2025

Sermon Text	Sermon Notes
Matthew 9:37 Then he said to his disciples, "The harvest is plentiful, but the laborers are few; [38] therefore pray earnestly to the Lord of the harvest to send out laborers into his harvest." Matthew 10:1 And he called to him his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to heal every disease and every affliction. [2] The names of the twelve apostles are these: first, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother; James the son of Zebedee, and John his brother; [3] Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax collector; James the son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; [4] Simon the Zealot, and Judas Iscariot, who betrayed him. [5] These twelve Jesus sent out, instructing them, "Go nowhere among the Gentiles and enter no town of the Samaritans, [6] but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. [7] And proclaim as you go, saying, 'The kingdom of heaven is at hand.' [8] Heal the sick, raise the dead, cleanse lepers, cast out demons. You received without paying; give without pay. [9] Acquire no gold or silver or copper for your belts, [10] no bag for your journey, or two tunics or sandals or a staff, for the laborer deserves his food. [11] And whatever town or village you enter, find out who is worthy in it and stay there until you depart. [12] As you enter the house, greet it. [13] And if the house is worthy, let your peace come upon it, but if it is not worthy, let your peace return to you. [14] And if anyone will not receive you or listen to your words, shake off the dust from your feet when you leave that house or town. [15] Truly, I say to you, it will be more bearable on the day of judgment for the land of Sodom and Gomorrah than for that town."	<i>Jesus inaugurates the apostolic ministry as the foundation and forerunner of His Church's mission.</i> i. The disciples become Apostles ii. Who were the Apostles? iii. What was the first Apostolic mission? iv. In what ways does the first Apostolic mission shape and inform the Church's mission today? Memory verses for 2025- Matthew 7:24-25 [24] Everyone then who hears these words of mine and does them will be like a wise man who built his house on the rock. [25] And the rain fell, and the floods came, and the winds blew and beat on that house, but it did not fall, because it had been founded on the rock.

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Sermon Application Questions	Prayer Requests
1. What is the difference between a disciple and an Apostle?	This week our family will lift up requests for:
2. Why do you think Jesus chose fishermen, a tax collector, and other ordinary people to be His apostles instead of religious leaders or scholars?	
3. How does knowing that God uses ordinary people to do His work encourage or challenge your own faith?	This week our family will praise the Lord for:
4. How does this passage encourage supporting our ministers and missionaries?	
5. Discuss the importance of the clarity of the Apostolic message and what it means- "Repent, for the Kingdom of Heaven is at hand."	HFG Notes & Actions:
	Next HFG meeting is: