

## Discussion Guide for Training Part 5

1. Read Matthew 10:1-10 and briefly review the sermon outline.

Outline review target time is five minutes or less.

What parts of Saturday's lesson did you find helpful, enlightening, unclear or troubling?

2. **Truth:** Christ is the head of the Church. Christ sent out His Apostles with authority to establish Christianity. We remain under the authority of Christ and His Apostles today through the teaching of the Scripture.

**Read Matthew 10:1-15**

How do we see Jesus' message delegated to His Apostles?

How do we see the power of Jesus' delegated to His Apostles?

How do we see the authority of Jesus delegated to His Apostles?

**Read Ephesians 3:1-6**

How do we see the message of Christ's Apostles and Prophets already being preserved for us when this was written?

**Read John 14:25-26, John 15:26-27, John 16:12-15**

What was Jesus' promise in these verses?

Scanning the larger Lord's Supper dialogue, to whom is Jesus speaking?

**Read 2 Peter 1:16-21**

How do we see Jesus' promise fulfilled? How does this help us to understand the authority of Scripture over the church today?

**Read Titus 1:5-9**

Why do you think that church leaders must have these competencies?

How does this help us to understand the authority of Scripture over the church today?

**Read 2 Timothy 3:16-4:2**

What is the main responsibility of a pastor or Elder? How does this help us to understand the authority of Scripture over the church today?