

We believe in ONE GOD FATHER, SON and HOLY SPIRIT We believe that we were created "very good", but fell, became depraved and without hope in the world. We believe JESUS was CRUCIFIED, died and was buried; and on the third day, RESURRECTED. We believe that the HOLY SPIRIT is with us today, comforting, guiding, strengthening, equipping.

We believe in one, holy, catholic and apostolic church





We believe in one holy catholic and apostolic Church. We acknowledge one baptism for the forgiveness of sins. We look for the resurrection of the dead,

and the life of the world to come. Amen.





one holy catholic apostolic <u>church</u>

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CHURCH





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holy catholic apostolic church

one

Greek: ekklesia

- a gathering of citizens called out from their homes into some public place, an assembly
- the assembly of the Israelites
- in a Christian sense
 - an assembly of Christians gathered for worship in a religious meeting
 - the whole body of Christians scattered throughout the earth
 - the assembly of faithful believers already dead and received into heaven





One. Just One. All faithful believers in Jesus Christ

One true gospel







ONE

For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. For in one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and all were made to drink of one Spirit.

1 Corinthians 12:12-13





ONE

For as in one body we have many members, and the members do not all have the same function, so we, though many, are one body in Christ, and individually members one of another. Having gifts that differ according to the grace given to us, let us use them.

Romans 12:4-6





We are not divided; All one body we: One in hope and doctrine, One in charity.

Arthur Sullivan

"Onward Christian Soldiers"







Hebrew: qodesh

apartness, set-apartness, separateness, sacredness, otherness, transcendent and totally other Greek: hagios set apart, reverend, sacred, and worthy of veneration

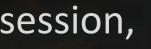
separate, set apart, different, distinct





HOLY

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, a people for his own possession, that you may proclaim the excellencies of him who called you out of darkness into his marvelous light.



1 Peter 2:9





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For no one ever hated his own flesh, but nourishes and cherishes it, just as Christ does the church, because We are members of his body. "Therefore a man shall leave his father and mother and hold fast to his wife, and the two shall Become one flesh." This mystery is profound, and I am saying that it refers to Christ and the church.

Ephesians 5:29-32





HOLY

You shall be holy to me, for I the LORD am holy and have separated you from the peoples, that you should be mine.

Leviticus 20:26





Greek: katholikos general, universal, according to the whole, entirely

every where and every time believing the whole, complete gospel

The Church is the gathered body of all true believers for all eternity





CATHOLIC

Go therefore and make disciples of <u>all nations</u>, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, <u>to the</u> <u>end of the age</u>.

Matthew 28:19-20





holy catholic apostolic church

one

Therefore, since we are surrounded by <u>so</u> <u>great a cloud of witnesses</u>, let us also lay aside every weight, and sin which clings so closely, and let us run with endurance the race that is set before us.

CATHOLIC







After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands.

CATHOLIC

Revelation 7:9





They shall come from the east, they shall come from the west, And sit down in the Kingdom of God; Both the rich and the poor, the despised, the distressed, They'll sit down in the Kingdom of God. And none will ask what they have been Provided that their robes are clean



John Gowans





APOSTOLIC

Apostolic : Following the tradition of the apostles and therefore, holding to the truth of Scripture

Greek: apostolos a delegate, an ambassador of the Gospel, messenger he that is sent





Jesus said to them again, "Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, even so I am sending you."





John 20:21

APOSTOLIC

And he said to them, "Go into all the world and proclaim the gospel to the whole creation."





Mark 16:15

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And Jesus came and said to them, "All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Go therefore and make disciples of all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I have commanded you. And behold, I am with you always, to the end of the age."

Matthew 28:18-20





APOSTOLIC

...through the church the manifold wisdom of God might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places.

Ephesians 3:10





Simon Peter replied, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." And Jesus answered him, "...on this rock I will build my church, and the gates of hell shall not prevail against it".

Matthew 16:16-18





Christ is the head of the church, his body, and is himself its Savior. ...the church submits to Christ. ...

Christ loved the church and gave himself up for her, that he might sanctify her, ... so that he might present the church to himself in splendor, without spot or wrinkle or any such thing, that she might be holy and without blemish.

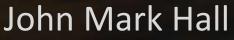
Ephesians 5:23-27





But if we are the body Why aren't His arms reaching? Why aren't His hands healing? Why aren't His words teaching? And if we are the body Why aren't His feet going? Why is His love not showing them there is a way?

Jesus payed much too high a price For us to pick and choose who should come And we are the body of Christ Jesus is the way







believers in the only GOD gathered from the world called out from their sin united not uniform different from everyone else set apart to worship Him for all time, in all places sent on a mission





