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**SERMON, &c.**

**St. MATTHEW, XXVIII. 18, 19, 20.**

*And Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth : Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost ; teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you : and lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world.*

**I**N this very remarkable text are contained the final instructions of our Lord to his chosen Apostles ; explaining the grounds of their commission, describing the nature of their duties, and conveying to themselves and their successors, the assurance of protection and assistance