

# **Rooted and standing!**

**Labourers who serve the healthy church**

**1 Thessalonians 2:1–8**

## **Introduction**

They turned ... they serve ... they wait

The genuine Christian ministry that establishes the authentic Christian church

### **1. The bold declaration of the gospel message**

### **2. The faithful execution of gospel ministry**

### **3. The humble affection of the Christian minister**

## **Conclusion**

### **Questions for discussion and reflection:**

- How does what Paul writes help us assess true Christian ministry?
- Why is it important that we have such a 'benchmark'?
- How does it challenge us?