

SERMON OUTLINE & DISCUSSION QUESTIONS
MARCH 20, 2022

ELDERS FOR CHRIST'S CHURCH
TITUS 1:5-9

MAIN THOUGHT & OUTLINE

Christ's church needs qualified elders with blameless reputations, servants' hearts, and commitments to teach sound doctrine.

- I.** The Need for Qualified Elders (v.5)
- II.** The Need for Blameless Elders (v.6)
- III.** The Need for serving Elders (v.7-8)
- IV.** The Need for Sound Elders (v.9)

QUESTIONS FOR REFLECTION & DISCUSSION

- 1.** What difference does it make to read these passages as a description of what we all ought to be in Christ
- 2.** Is the need for elders & deacons at Covenanters on your mind and in your regular prayer life? How does this passage equip you to pray?
- 3.** How does Scripture teach that the office of eldership or deacon more than just an individual choice?
- 4.** Children: how can you encourage the men God has called to serve as your elders?

FURTHER READING: 1 Kings 3:7-9; Acts 6:1-6; Eph 5:22-33; Phil 4:8; 1 Tim 3:5, 5:17; 1 Peter 4:9