Message Outline Word of the Year 2023 1 Timothy 3:15



Intro: Banner raising week!

- 2013: WORSHIP (Mt.2:2)...
- 2014: CONNECT (Acts 2:42)...
- 2015: DEEP (Lk.5:4)...
- 2016: CONTEND (Jude 1:3)...
- 2017: MAKE DISCIPLES (Mt.28:19)...
- 2018: ONE ACCORD (Acts 1:14)...
- 2019: SABBATH REST (Heb.4:9)...
- 2020: BUILD (Mt.16:18)...
- 2021: NEW (Rev.21:5)...
- 2022: TRUTH (John 17:17)...
- 2023: ????????????????????????????

Read: 1 Timothy 3:14-16



- 1)
 - ἐκκλησία: "called out ones"..(118x in NT)
 - Called out of the world and into the Kingdom (cf. 1Pet.2:9)...

2)

- Church's owner and architect is God...
- God's close connection to Church...
- Household shows dwelling, safety/security, love/nurture, diversity and unity...

3)

- "the pillar and foundation of truth": Church is to be structured and supported by Truth...
- Building off last years Word of the Year...

4)

- "ought to conduct": Church's have a code of conduct...
- Always room for sinners who repent to receive forgiveness and pursue godliness (cf. 1Tim.1:12-17)...

Reflection Questions (Please take time to ponder and pencil in to prep for this week's small group session.)

*God is at work in this world. Where did you "see/sense" Him this week?

Read: Gen. 33:18-20, John 4, Luke 4:38-39
*What do we learn from Jesus' interaction
with the Samaritan woman in John 4?

*How does Jesus share truth to the Samaritan woman? What do you notice about His example that's important to incorporate in sharing our faith with others still today?

Movie Review: Ep.8 "I Am He" (~30min—Part 1.) *What stuck out to you most in this latest episode of the Chosen?

*What were you thinking/feeling when you saw Eden's response to Peter? What about Nicodemus's response to Jesus?