

SCRIPTURE READING
I TIMOTHY 3.8-13

DEACONS

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FROM LAST WEEK

- The Church

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- Acts 6

DEACONS:

- (1) Special servants
- (2) Chosen from among the congregation
- (3) Spiritually mature, gifted, and qualified
- (4) Appointed by the elders to a task

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“Deacons likewise must be....” (v8 ESV)

QUALIFICATIONS

"Dignified" (v8)

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QUALIFICATIONS

“Not Double-Tongued” (v8)

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“Not Addicted to Much Wine” (v8)

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“Not Greedy for Dishonest Gain” (v8)

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“They must hold the mystery of the faith
with a clear conscience” (v9)

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EPHESIANS 1

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"And let them also be tested first; then let them serve as deacons if they prove themselves blameless." (v10)

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Faithful in all things

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"Let deacons each be the husband of one wife" (v12)

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"...managing their children and their own households well" (v12)

EPHESIANS 5

"For those who serve well as deacons gain a good standing for themselves and also great confidence in the faith that is in Christ Jesus." (v13)