## PERSONAL EVALUATION AS AN ELDER OF CHATHAM CHRISTIAN CHURCH

(I Timothy 3:1-7, Titus 1:1-11, Hebrews 13:7,17, I Peter 5:1-4)

- I. Within Myself
  - 1. Prudent (sensible, self-controlled) I Tim. 3:2, Titus 1:8
  - 2. Not Self-Willed (self-pleasing) Titus 1:7
  - 3. Temperate (vigilant, sober) I tim. 3:2
  - 4. Not Quick Tempered (passionate) Titus 1:7
  - 5. <u>Uncontentious</u> (not quarrelsome, peaceable) I Tim. 3:3
  - 6. Gentle (patient) I Tim. 3:3
  - 7. <u>Just</u> (fair minded) Titus 1:8
  - 8. <u>Devout</u> (holy) Titus 1:8

## II. <u>In the Community</u>

1. Above Reproach (without handles) I Tim. 3:2, Titus 1:6

- 2. Good Reputation (outside church) I Tim. 3:7
- 3. Respectable (honest, good citizen) I Tim. 3:2
- 4. Lover of Good (things and men) Titus 1:8
- 5. Free From Love of Money (not materialistic) I Tim. 3:3
- 6. Not Fond of Sordid Gain (questionable income) Titus 1:7
- 7. Not Addicted to Wine (identified with alcohol) I Tim. 3:3, Titus 1:7
- 8. Not Pugnacious (striker, brawler) I Tim. 3:3, Titus 1:7

## III. In the Home

- 1. Husband of One Wife (one woman man) I Tim. 3:2, Titus 1:6
- 2. Manages Household Well (head of house) I Tim. 3:4
- 3. Children Under Control (with dignity) I Tim. 3:4, Titus 1:6

- 4. Children Who Believe (have been taught) Titus 1:6
- 5. Hospitable (open home) I Tim. 3:2, Titus 1:8

## IV. In the Church

- 1. Not a New Convert (mature in faith) I Tim. 3:6
- 2. God's Steward (practice good stewardship) Titus 1:7
- 3. Hold Fast the Word (know Scriptures) Titus 1:9
- 4. Able to Teach (qualified and willing) I Tim. 3:2
- 5. Able to Exhort (in sound doctrine) Titus 1:9
- 6. Able to Refute (those who contradict) Titus 1:9
- 7. Shepherd the Flock (by example) I Peter 5:2
- 8. Keep Watch Over Souls (must give account) Hebrews 13:17