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"Building God's People on a Firm Foundation"

Organizational Structure for Modern Churches

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Introduction

- ▶ The Apostle Paul addresses a disturbing report he received, how we as Christian has allowed an influx of division and separation to infiltrate our worship.
 - ▶ 1 Corinthians 1:10-17

 - ▶ Leaders Responsibility
 - ▶ 1. Organizational Structure (Series 1)
 - ▶ 2. Developing Standards for Auxiliaries (Series 2)
 - ▶ 3. Appointing Leaders (Fin, Aux Ldrs, Parish Council, etc..) (Series 3)
 - ▶ 4. Developing a systems that will monitor progress and set backs. (Series4)
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Organizational Structure

- ▶ Through the inspired word, God has given us his plan of organization for our churches. We must study and practice this plan for organizations today and generations forward.
 - To Proclaim. All the counsel of God
 - (Acts 20:27) For I have not hesitated to proclaim to you the whole will of God

We have already received instruction base on Gods word how we should be organized

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Conveying to members that they play a vital role in the works of the church.

Romans 12:4-5

(4) Just as each of us has one body with many members , and these members do not have the same function. (5) So in Christ we who are many form one body, and each member belongs to all others.

Congregations can only achieve this through diligently studying and working towards the same goals.

Name some things that we can do as a congregation to strengthen the church as a whole?

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- ▶ We as leaders must be qualified and appoint others whom are qualified. We must also encourage and train others to be leaders in the church and their community. More important they must work hard to meet the qualifications of God's word.
 - ▶ Titus 1:5-9
 - ▶ 1 Timothy 3:1-13

 - ▶ Note: One must have a genuine desire to do the work in which they are called upon to do
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- ▶ It is vastly important that we as Christians encourage one another, and to do the right thing at all times. This strengthens the church; the stronger we grow as one, the stronger the churches grow. Notwithstanding, the church will not grow if there is no organizational structure. This will lead to a church becoming weak and eventually becoming non-existent.
 - ▶ Ephesians 4:16
 - ▶ *(16) From him the whole body, joined and held together by every supporting ligament, grows and builds itself up in love, as each part does its work.*
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- ▶ Too often we want certain people to succeed us in ministry, work etc., but are they the right ones for the position? Statics show that departure from God's word generally comes when changes to organizational structure has occurred.
 - ▶ 1 Samuel 8:1-6
 - ▶ We must teach God's people to beware when re-organizational structure occur and not fall prey to the wolves in their place of worship, work, home or life.
 - ▶ Acts 20:28-30
 - ▶ 2 Thessalonians 2:2-4
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- ▶ Leaders must teach and instill Organizational Structure in order for our churches to survive.
 - ▶ Conclusion:
 - ▶ Leaders must be willing to submit to the will of God, this calls for putting things in proper order (self as well as others around us). If we are to aid God's people in accomplishing God's work, then there must be some form of structure. Without it we are out of order, therefore nothing will get accomplished.
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- ▶ Questions
- ▶ Comments

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- ▶ Key Note to Remember:
 - ▶ We must always respect God's revealed words regarding the organization of the church. Let us never be afraid to stand against a world that has their own way of organization that contrasts the truth.
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