

Pastor Matt Stacey

1st of LP

10/4/2020 Called in to the Boss' Office

Titus 1:5-9

> **Week 1** – Thesis

> **Week 2** – Thesis

> **Week 3** – Thesis *“Our ministry must flow from
B / Godly C”*

Paul left Titus on the Island of Crete For 2 reasons 1:5

A) To

B) To A _____ E _____ who were A _____ R _____

Note: all agree it doesn't mean...

1. Above Reproach in their Home life vs. 6

a)

b)

2. Above Reproach without Vices vs. 7

a) not

b) not

c) not

d) not

e) not fond of

3. Above Reproach with good Virtues vs. 8

a)

b)

c)

d)

e)

f)

4. Above Reproach in D _____ to the M _____ vs. 9

a) Holding to

b) Able to encourage with

c) Able to refute those who

NOTE: New Testament titles

Eph. 4:11

The standard is the same for...

Phil. 2:14 15

Small Group Questions:

If you could jump in and do something great for God today, what would it be?

If you could convince a group of believers to do something for God, what would it be?

How do you see yourself fitting into God's plan through this church?

Have you ever been called into the office? (Do tell?!)

Review the Thesis for weeks 1-3

What does it mean to be above reproach?

Compare the lists in I Timothy 3 with this list in Titus 1.

What differences do you see?

Which ones on this list are the most obviously important to you?

What other characteristics would you be looking for in someone to be “above reproach”?

What happens when the church doesn't follow God's plan in this?

List several people who you respect as being “above reproach”.

How does it make you feel to realize that God's desire is for all of us to live up to these standards?

Practice the expanded Memory verse: all of Titus 2:14