## **Church Administration**

Titus 1:5-16

We must live like Christians while we live in Crete

## **1.** The method of administration in the church is by the selection of Elders

- A clear command structure: Jesus, Paul, Titus, Elders
- An Elder's character is of first concern
- Character matters in family life
- Character matters in personal life
- Character matters in spiritual life

## **2.** The need for administration in the church is the presence of false teachers

- False teachers do not want to be under authority
- False teachers must be silenced because of the damage they do for selfish reasons
- False teachers often say the right thing while doing the wrong thing

The truth of the Word of God is the antidote to false teaching