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CHURCH ORDER AND **ADMINISTRATION**

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CHURCH ORDER AND ADMINISTRATION;



Kyriakos (Gk) means the Lord's house, a place of worship. **Ekklesia (Gk)** means a local congregation of Christians called the "called out".

Church is also an invisible Universal church of Christ which includes all those in time and space who believed in Jesus.

>> CHARACTERISTICS OF EKKLESIA:

- 1. It is a local congregation in a local place house of the Lord.
- 2. It is a local body with Christ as the head: Eph. 1:22
- 3. It is a body of mutual members: 1 Cor. 12:12; Rom. 12:4
- 4. It is a flock: Acts 20:28; 1 Pet.5:2
- 5. It's a family of God: 2 Cor. 6:18
- 6. It is sons and daughters of God: Rom. 8:16; John 1:12

>>CHURCH ORDER:

It is a condition in which everything is carefully arranged. 1 Cor. 14:40, the church is orderly and decent. According to Gen.1:1, God is a God of order



>>Church Administration:

There must be administration and levels of authority: Tit.1:4-10; 1 Tim.3:1-3; Eph.4:11. There are groups of leaders: Heb. 13:7

>> CHURCH LEADERSHIP:

- Leaders: Tit. 1:4 10; 1 Tim.3:1 7; Eph.4:11
- Operational team: Rom.12:1-8; 1Cor.12:1-8
- Congregation (Laity): 1 Thessa.5:12; 1Tim.5:17;

>>5 LEADERSHIP PRINCIPLES:

- Authority is derived from Christ and exercised in Jesus' name and Spirit: Matt.28:18
- 2. Christ's humility provides the pattern for Christian leadership and service: Matt.20:26; 23:11.
- 3. Church government is collegiate rather than hierarchical: Matt.18:19; Matt.22:8; Acts 15:28
- 4. Teaching and ruling are closely related functions: 1 Thessa.5:12
- 5. Administration assistants are required to help the preachers of the word. Acts 6:1ff



>> OPERATION TEAMS:

- Top team: Ministry team is involved in oversight, visionary and leadership.
- Management Teams: Coordinators that control the work of others
- Operator Teams: People who get the job done (workers)
- Specialists / Support Team: Musicians, Designers, Skilled Staff
- Project Teams: to deal with projects of the ministry

>>THE CONGREGATION (LAITY)

- 1. To honour leaders: 1 Thessa.5:12-13; 1Tim.5:17-18
- 2. Support and maintenance: Luke 8:1-3; Acts 28:10; 1Cor. 9:14
- 3. Obey the leaders as unto the Lord: Heb. 13:7, 17; 2Thessa. 3:14

>> ADVANTAGES OF CHURCH ORDER:

- There's Holy Spirit manifestation: 1 Cor. 12:1-7
- The Word of God is magnified greatly: Acts 6:7
- It brings about church growth and maturity: Eph. 4:11-16
- There's decency and order: 1 Cor.14:40



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