

## SERMON OUTLINE

THREE IMPORTANT EMPHASES OF A FAITHFUL CHURCH  
(1 Timothy 3:14–16, NASB)

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### 1. Her obligation — to represent God's household

<sup>14</sup> I am writing these things to you, hoping to come to you before long;

<sup>15</sup> but in case I am delayed, *I write so that you will know how one ought to conduct himself in the household of God,*

### 2. Her function — to manifest God's presence

...which is the **church** of the living God, **the pillar and support of the truth.**

### 3. Her confession — to proclaim God's message

<sup>16</sup> By common **confession**, great is the *mystery of godliness*:

He who was revealed in the flesh,

Was vindicated in the Spirit,

Seen by angels,

Proclaimed among the nations,

Believed on in the world,

Taken up in glory.