

The Seedbed for Deacon Leadership

Acts 6:1-7

Sunday, August 19, 2012

INTRODUCTION:

Five observations that shape our understanding of deacon leadership as we advance the gospel:

- 1. Deacons exist primarily because the church must advance the gospel.**
- 2. Deacons exemplify commitment to the gospel mission.**
- 3. Deacons exemplify godly character before the church body.**
- 4. Deacons exemplify humble service as they meet specific needs in the church.**
- 5. Deacons exemplify wisdom and faith in the face of complaints and controversies in the church.**