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**“How To Care for Your Pastors”**

1 Timothy 5:17–26

The Lord’s Day Morning

April 30, 2023

God intends for his family to be led by older brothers called elders who sacrificially care for the church as shepherds (pastors) care for their sheep. When the church is managed according to this Biblical pattern, the church more fully displays the truth of the gospel and earns the right to be heard by unbelievers. So far in 1 Timothy we have seen what the church can expect from their pastors. This morning we consider what pastors can expect from their church.

1. \_\_\_\_\_ them with the gift of  
\_\_\_\_\_ (17–18).

2. \_\_\_\_\_ them from  
\_\_\_\_\_ (19).

3. \_\_\_\_\_ them from \_\_\_\_\_  
their office (20–25).