

June 14, 2015
Sermon
Lesson 1: Introduction
1 Timothy 1:1-2

GODLINESS IN THE INDIVIDUAL CHRISTIAN AND IN THE CHURCH

Main idea: The Church needs to be led in godliness!

Background to 1 Timothy

- Author: Paul
- Recipient(s): Timothy and the Ephesian church
- Date: AD 62-64 (approx.)
- Occasion: False teachers
- Theme: The importance of godliness in the Church!

Salutation: Paul establishes his authority

- Paul the Apostle (1:1)
- Timothy, Paul's "child in the faith" (1:2)
- Grace, mercy, and peace from God the Father and Christ Jesus our Lord

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Applications

Godliness needs to be our priority!

Godly leadership in the Church is crucial to her success!