



# FAN INTO FLAME

I + II TIMOTHY







Church Family,

It's with great joy we turn to Timothy this fall! The last of Paul's letters, these two books are personal words from an aging mentor who has poured his life into his beloved young protege and the church he's in charge of pastoring. As he awaits death in his final days, Paul's heart comes rolling out in these affectionate, strong and encouraging words full of sagely wisdom and direction.

Throughout these 10 chapters, we will see the drumbeat of discipleship driving the entire rhythm. Paul is using his last breaths to train Timothy in training his people. So then, in these God-breathed words we find immense spiritual training for us! Spanning 4 major areas, I + II Timothy are here to train us in:

1. Truth - right thinking in sound, gospel doctrine from God's Word in a world of false teaching
2. Character - right living in loving, holy conduct as we fight sin & progressively mature
3. Ministry - using & developing our spiritual gifts to boldly serve & minister to others
4. Leadership - stepping into spiritual responsibility to care for and protect God's church

Each of these categories is filled with helpful teaching and inspiring exhortation as Paul is calling Timothy - and the entire church - further up and further in. With 67 different imperatives to Timothy, there's no way to miss Paul's clear encouragement! It's a book dripping with calls to action. In short, we can summarize the thrust of these with his powerful phrase from II Timothy 1:6 - ***Fan into flame.***

That is our exact heart and hope for this fall - that the Lord would fan into flame every ember in every member. That what is dormant inside us would spark. What flickers would inflame. What is small would spread and what burns would burn brighter as the Holy Spirit blows among us with his maturing fire.



This upcoming season is going to be a sweet, joyful, uplifting time of training together in Timothy. As we embark, let's hear those hopeful charges of Paul ring over us - "fight the good fight!" "guard the good deposit entrusted to you!", "don't swerve!", "stay the course!", "be strengthened!", "devote yourself to Scripture!", "endure suffering!", "preach the word!", "train yourself for godliness!", "set an example!", "fulfill your ministry!", "remember Jesus!"... "fan into flame!"

For the sake of your name, Father, fan into flame your gospel within us!

Tyler



II TIMOTHY 1:6-7 FOR THIS REASON I REMIND YOU TO

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## Calendar / Schedule

<b>Week</b>	<b>Date Preached</b>	<b>Passage</b>
		<b>I Timothy</b>
<b>1</b>	<b>8/10</b>	1:1-11
<b>2</b>	<b>8/17</b>	1:12-20
<b>3</b>	<b>8/24</b>	2:1-7
<b>4</b>	<b>8/31</b>	2:8-15
<b>5</b>	<b>9/7</b>	3:1-13
<b>6</b>	<b>9/14</b>	3:14-4:5
<b>7</b>	<b>9/21</b>	4:6-16
<b>8</b>	<b>9/28</b>	5:1-16
<b>9</b>	<b>10/5</b>	5:17-6:2
<b>10</b>	<b>10/12</b>	6:3-10, 17-19
<b>11</b>	<b>10/19</b>	6:11-21
		<b>II Timothy</b>
<b>12</b>	<b>10/26</b>	1:1-7
<b>13</b>	<b>11/2</b>	1:8-18
<b>14</b>	<b>11/9</b>	2:1-7
<b>15</b>	<b>11/16</b>	2:8-19
<b>16</b>	<b>11/23</b>	2:20-26
<b>17</b>	<b>11/30</b>	3:1-13
<b>18</b>	<b>12/7</b>	3:14-17
<b>19</b>	<b>12/14</b>	4:1-5
<b>20</b>	<b>12/21</b>	4:6-22





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## How to Utilize this Series Guide

Our Series Guides through books of the Bible are designed to 1) encourage you to get in God's Word on your own, 2) build your ability/confidence to study & understand God's Word on your own, 3) enable you to assemble all your notes in one place for synthesizing and future access, and 4) help you ultimately apply God's Word within the community of the church.

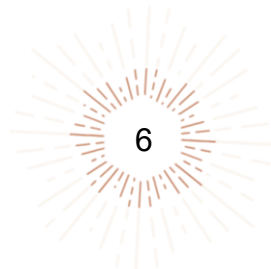
At The Well, we streamline our preaching and Gospel Communities to sync up together with your personal bible reading so that these 3 elements are merging in your life for strong, gospel saturation. Rather than being scattered in many directions, we believe this intentional singular direction enables real depth in your discipleship so that, over time, you actually grow!

Here's how these 3 are meant to be fused together in this guide:

**#1 - Personal Study: Observation** - Each week this is your time to read and study that week's passage on your own before it is preached. The goal is not mastery with every insight gained and every question answered, but rather discovery as you explore the truth found in these verses. There's no exact mechanical system to it, as reading the Bible is much more about relationship with God - we want to draw near to behold Him and enjoy Him! So then, listen to Him - the author - as He reveals His Word to you. While preaching and community will come in for parts 2 and 3 to help ensure proper interpretation and good, gospel application, this 1st phase is simply about diligently engaging the Bible as best you can. We are not after mere knowledge, but after knowing God Himself! Therefore, eagerness, curiosity, and a humble, prayerful heart that's looking to learn is key. The weekly template is designed to help you navigate basic tools as you read, investigate and attempt to understand what God is saying. Feel freedom to pursue whatever sticks out to you, stumps you, or leads you to more of Jesus!

**#2 - Sunday Sermon: Interpretation** - As we gather on Sundays to worship together, we're meant to hear God's Word preached to us from pastors God has placed to shepherd the church (1 Pet. 5:1-4, 1 Tim. 4:13, 5:17, 2 Tim. 4:2). While anyone can comprehend the meaning of Scripture directly and personally, we see throughout the Bible spiritual leaders as a gift of God's grace to teach His people - helping them understand it by 'giving the sense' of the Word as Nehemiah 8 describes it. Amidst the swirling sea of interpretations out there, and even amidst the many directions people can take within a single local church, pastoral preaching is meant to provide a stable, authoritative interpretation to guide the church. So, as you hear the passage preached to you on Sunday, use this space to take notes as you actively listen and process all you've been studying.

**#3 - Gospel Community: Application** - The final phase comes as we meet together in our Gospel Communities to further apply the passage we've studied and heard preached into our lives. It's a time for responding to the Word at a heart level and practical level. And, what better context for that than within community - where God



designed us to live out our Christian lives! Not only does this sharpen our understanding and application as we learn from each other, but it gives us people to encourage us to actually walk it out in real, tangible ways. Loving God and loving others was never meant to happen in isolation - in fact, it can't! From putting sin to death to growing in the fruit of the Spirit, from processing suffering to celebrating joys, from learning big theology to walking out the one-anothers or living missionally to the lost - life change happens in community.

\* Each of these are not exclusively separate compartments but naturally have overlap. So, don't feel confined in your personal study as if you can't consider how God might be encouraging you to apply something, or in GC as if you can't dig into a point of interpretation to better understand the meaning together. While the 3 stages of personal study, Sunday sermon, and Gospel Community provide a progressive flow, there will be organic overlap throughout.





## Introduction | Book Background & Context

It's important to understand the context of what we read in the Bible so that we can rightly understand it as it was originally written. Parachuting into a new book requires that we first learn the lay of the land we're entering. The answers to these questions sometimes come directly from the book itself, but usually can be found in the bottom notes or even in the front of the book in a good Study Bible. If your bible doesn't have this, we recommend getting one (ESV Study Bible is a great option).

When was 1 Timothy written?

Who wrote 1 Timothy? Do we know where he wrote it from or what was happening in his life when he wrote it?

In what style was this book written? (Poetry, narrative, prophecy, letter, etc.)

Who is the intended audience

1) Who is the individual person this is written to & what do we know about him? What is his relationship with the author?

2) What church is this written for & what do we know about them? What is their relationship to the author?

Where in the grand story of the whole bible does this take place?

Why was it written? (It's okay if you don't know this yet - Come back and write what you learn as we go through the book!)



## Introduction | Hopes, Prayers & Takeaways

**Hopes** - What do you hope to get out of I + II Timothy? (things to learn, ways to grow, impacts to your life, outcomes for your GC or our church as a whole)

**Prayers** - In light of your hopes for I + II Timothy, write out some prayers to the Lord to ask Him to accomplish these things in you and in us:

**Takeaways** - Once we finish the book, come back here and write down some of the major takeaways you have from the book. What has God taught you and worked in you? What has He accomplished around you and in our church? How did some of your hopes & prayers get answered?




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People, Places

Key words, verbs

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Emotions / Feelings in characters or author - 

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Things that stick out to you

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Sermon Title:

Main point:

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## Week 7 | I Timothy 4:6-16

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## Week 10 | I Timothy 6:3-10, 17-19

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## Introduction | Book Background & Context

It's important to understand the context of what we read in the Bible so that we can rightly understand it as it was originally written. Parachuting into a new book requires that we first learn the lay of the land we're entering. The answers to these questions sometimes come directly from the book itself, but usually can be found in the bottom notes or even in the front of the book in a good Study Bible. If your bible doesn't have this, we recommend getting one (ESV Study Bible is a great option).

When was II Timothy written?

Who wrote II Timothy? Do we know where he wrote it from or what was happening in his life when he wrote it?

In what style was this book written? (Poetry, narrative, prophecy, letter, etc.)

Who is the intended audience

1) Who is the individual person this is written to & what do we know about him? What is his relationship with the author?

2) What church is this written for & what do we know about them? What is their relationship to the author?

Where in the grand story of the whole bible does this take place?


Why was it written? (It's okay if you don't know this yet - Come back and write what you learn as we go through the book!)

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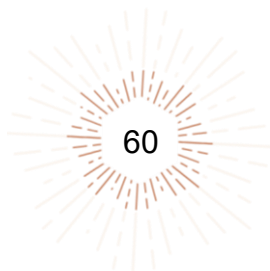
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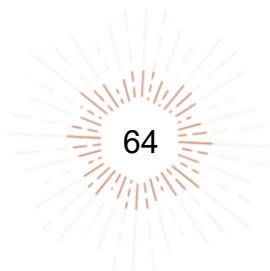
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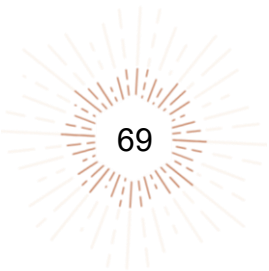
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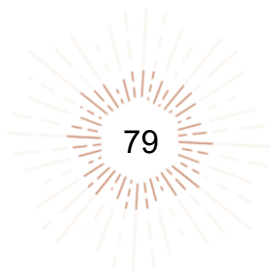
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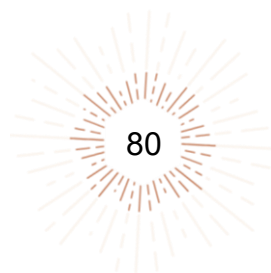
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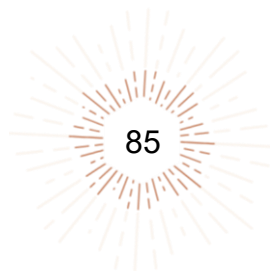
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