

# Emmanuel Baptist Church Tuesday Night Bible Study Plan

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*"Journey towards Spiritual Maturity"*

*Study Cycle*



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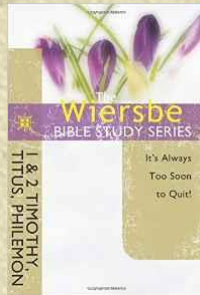
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## **Leadership - Lead, follow or get out the way**

### 1. Timothy 1 & 2, Philemon and Titus

- Lessons 1 – 8: Dr. Warren W. Wiersbe, It's Always Too Soon to Quit



Godly Leadership is essential to the life of every church call out by God with a mission of spreading the Gospel to the four corners of the earth. We often look to those who God has placed in leadership role as the gatekeepers of faith. However, God has call every believer in some fashion to be a leader. Once we have been call by God, quitting is not an option. We may quit on God, but God will never quit on us. He who has begun a great "Work" in you shall preform it until the day of Jesus Christ. This "Work" in you must be led by you.

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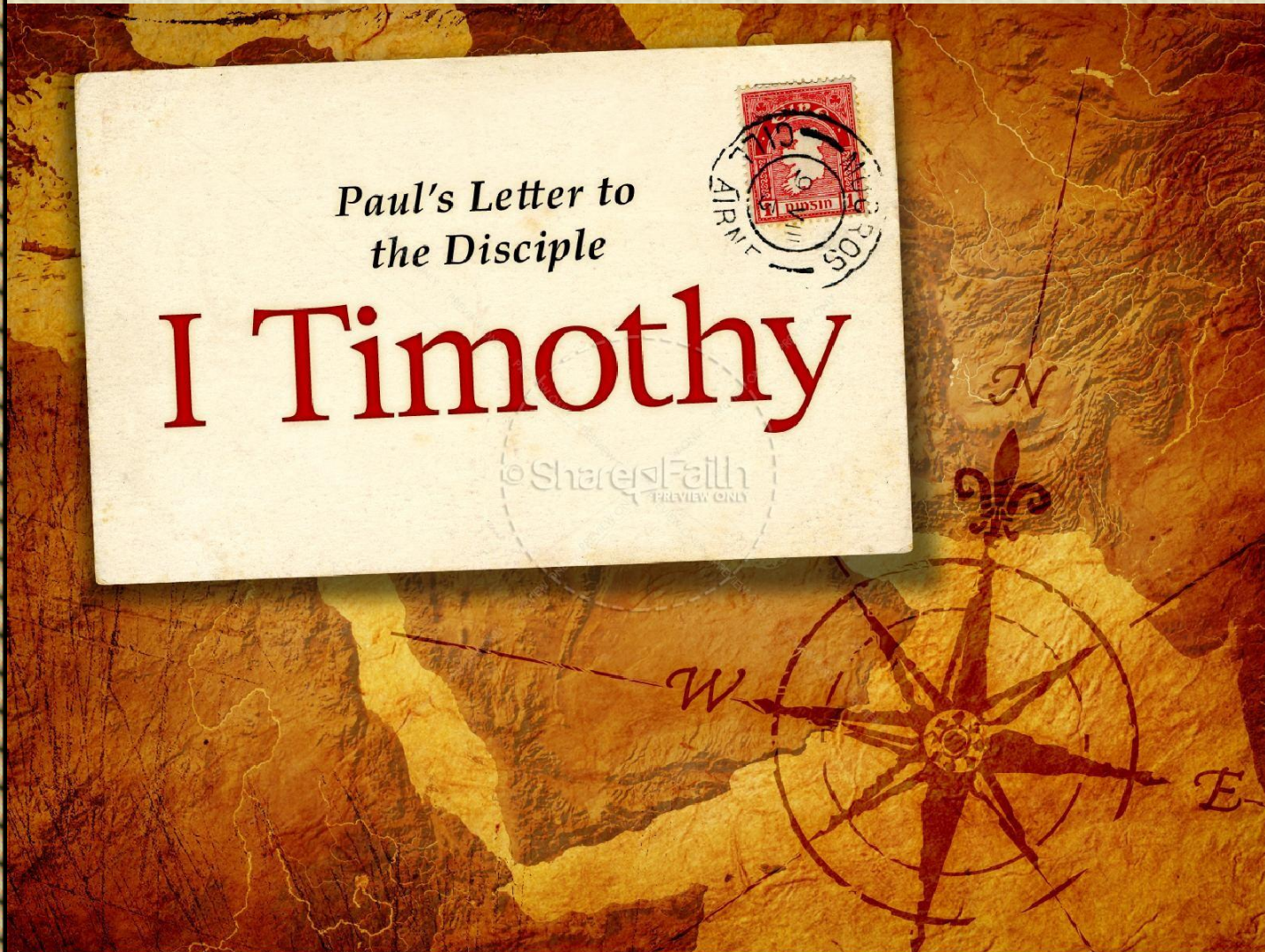
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Lesson	Title/Scriptures	Page	Date
Lesson 1	An Important Job (1 Timothy 1-2)	13	28-Mar-17
Lesson 2	Leadership Lessons (1 Timothy 3)	27	4-Apr-17
Lesson 3	A Pastor's Job Description (1 Timothy 4)	39	11-Apr-17
Lesson 4	Order and Orders (1 Timothy 5-6)	51	18-Apr-17
Lesson 5	Church-Health (Titus)	65	25-Apr-17
Lesson 6	Practical Courage (2 Timothy 1-2)	81	2-May-17
Lesson 7	Last Words (2 Timothy 3-4)	95	9-May-17
Lesson 8	Two Cities (Philemon)	109	16-May-17



# General Overview 1 Timothy

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1 Timothy 1: Paul's warning against false teachers, proper use of the law and God's grace.

1 Timothy 2: Paul's instruction on true worship, and holy living.

1 Timothy 3: Paul's Qualification for Elders and Deacons.

1 Timothy 4: Paul's instruction to Timothy, wanting him to be a good minister.

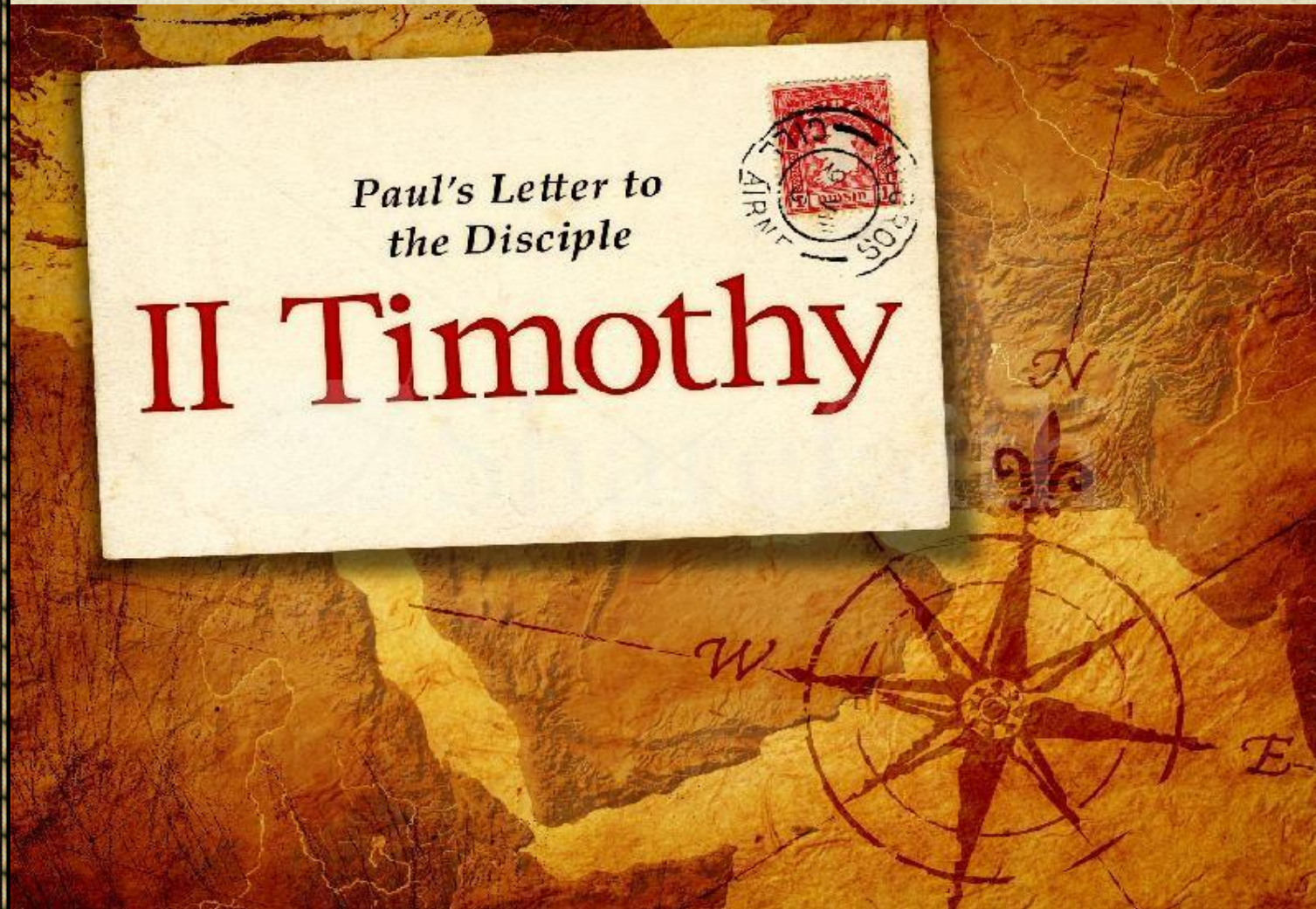
1 Timothy 5: Paul's advice regarding the congregation, and the clear instruction, but not showing favouritism.

1 Timothy 6: Paul's connecting false doctrine and the love of money, being the root of all evil.



# General Overview 2 Timothy

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2Timothy 1: Paul's encouragement to Timothy to stand firm.

2Timothy 2: Paul's Encouragement to Timothy to present himself as one approved.

2Timothy3: Paul's warning about godlessness in the last days, but his expectation for Timothy.

2Timothy 4: Paul's charge to Timothy to preach and be prepared at all times.

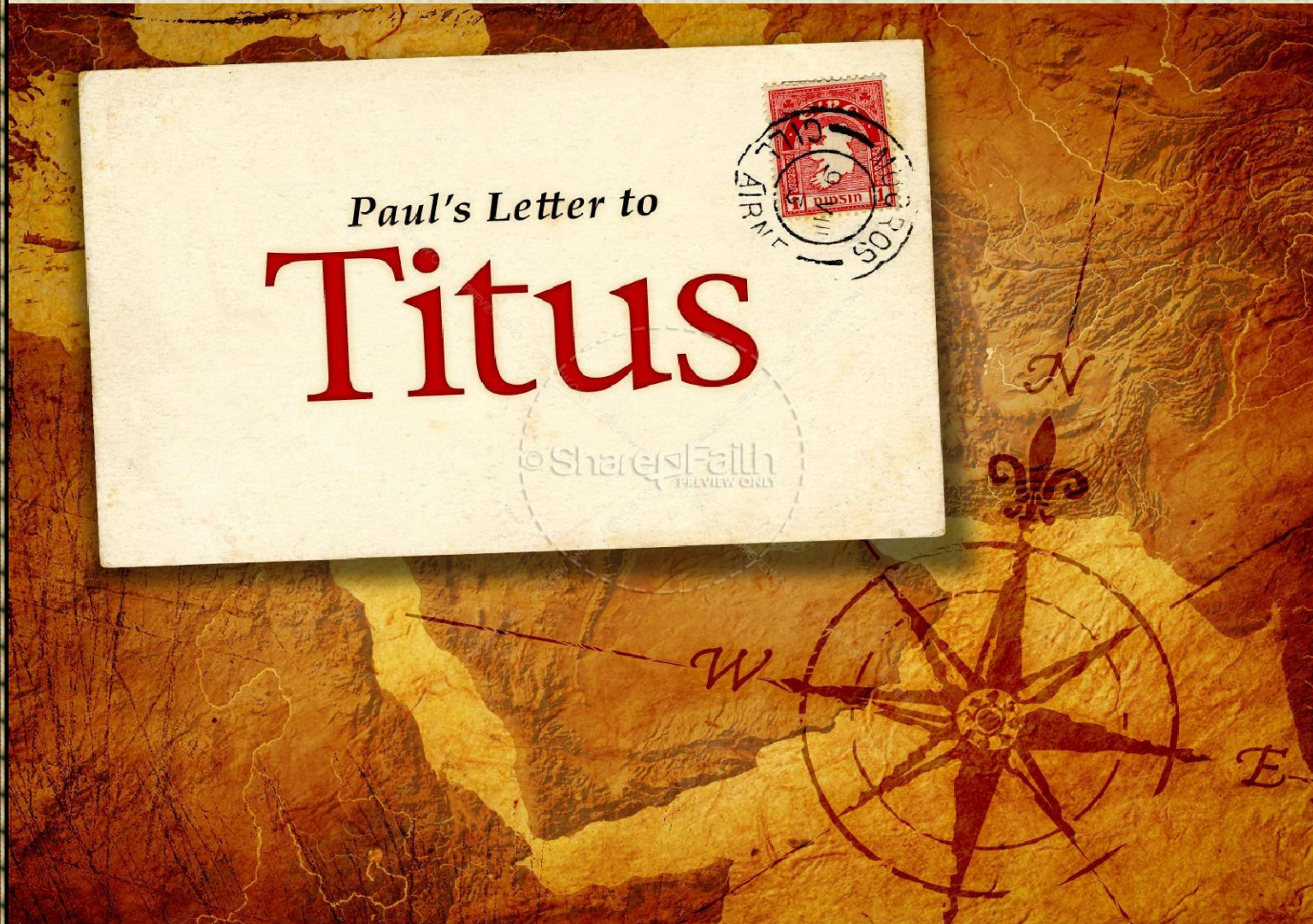
# Qualification for Leaders

Self-controlled	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:2; Tit 1:8	Above reproach (blameless)	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:2; Tit 1:6 I Ti 3:9
Hospitable	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:2; Tit 1:8	Faithful in marriage; not polygamous	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:2; Tit 1:6 I Ti 3:12
Able to Teach	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:2; 5:17; Tit 1:9	Temperate	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:2; Tit 1:7 I Ti 3:8, 11
Not violent but gentle	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:3 Tit 1:7	Respectable	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:2 I Ti 3:8, 11
Not quarrelsome	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:3	Not Given to Drunkenness	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:3; Tit 1:7 I Ti 3:8
No love of money	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:3	Manages own family well	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:4 I Ti 3:12
Not a recent convert	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:6	Own children are obedient	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:4-5; Tit 1:6 I Ti 3:12
Good reputation with outsiders	<b>ELDER</b>	I Ti 3:7	Doesn't pursue dishonest gain	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	Tit 1:7 I Ti 3:8
Not overbearing	<b>ELDER</b>	Tit 1:7	Holds to the Truth; trustworthy	<b>ELDER DEACON</b>	Tit 1:9 I Ti 3:9, 11
Not quick-tempered	<b>ELDER</b>	Tit 1:7	Sincere	<b>DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:8
Loves what is good	<b>ELDER</b>	Tit 1:8	Tested	<b>DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:10
Upright, holy	<b>ELDER</b>	Tit 1:8	Not "double tongued" or a "gossip"	<b>DEACON</b>	I Ti 3:8, 11
Disciplined	<b>ELDER</b>	Tit 1:8			



# General Overview Titus

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- ✦ Titus, like Timothy, was a younger disciple of Paul.
- ✦ He is not mentioned in the book of Acts, but his name appears 12 times in Paul's letters before this.
- ✦ According to **Galatians 2:3**, Titus was a Greek – a Gentile convert.
- ✦ Titus 1: Paul's entrusted to Titus God's work.
- ✦ Titus 2: Paul's instruction to teach only sound doctrine, work of a true minister.
- ✦ Titus 3: Paul's expectation for Titus to be an example.



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- ✦ Titus is obviously someone Paul felt he could count on – someone who could handle responsibility.
- ✦ Early in the letter, Paul reminds him that he left him on the island of Crete to bring more order to the churches.
- ✦ Cretans were naturally uncooperative, so this would be no easy task.





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- ✦ Other than that, the letter contains much the same kind of information as 1 & 2 Timothy.
- ✦ There is the attention to good doctrine and good works – both of which make for a healthy church.
- ✦ We see a focus on leadership by example, as elsewhere in the Bible.

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✠ As we read through the letter, take note of the points that seem to be important. Especially notice the following:

- ◆ Right Doctrine
- ◆ Right Conduct
- ◆ Things in Common with 1 & 2 Timothy