

## **1 Timothy 4 NIV (We add the new verses until we say the whole chapter)**

### **Week 1 (Oct 27)**

**1** The Spirit clearly says that in later times some will abandon the faith and follow deceiving spirits and things taught by demons. **2** Such teachings come through hypocritical liars, whose consciences have been seared as with a hot iron.

### **Week 2 (Nov 4)**

**3** They forbid people to marry and order them to abstain from certain foods, which God created to be received with thanksgiving by those who believe and who know the truth. **4** For everything God created is good, and nothing is to be rejected if it is received with thanksgiving,

### **Week 3 (Nov 11)**

**5** because it is consecrated by the word of God and prayer. **6** If you point these things out to the brothers and sisters,<sup>[a]</sup> you will be a good minister of Christ Jesus, nourished on the truths of the faith and of the good teaching that you have followed.

### **Week 4 (Dec 2)**

**7** Have nothing to do with godless myths and old wives' tales; rather, train yourself to be godly. **8** For physical training is of some value, but godliness has value for all things, holding promise for both the present life and the life to come.

### **Week 5 (Dec 9)**

**9** This is a trustworthy saying that deserves full acceptance. **10** That is why we labor and strive, because we have put our hope in the living God, who is the Savior of all people, and especially of those who believe.

**Week 6 (Jan 6)**

**11** Command and teach these things. **12** Don't let anyone look down on you because you are young, but set an example for the believers in speech, in conduct, in love, in faith and in purity.

**Week 7 (Jan 13)**

**13** Until I come, devote yourself to the public reading of Scripture, to preaching and to teaching. **14** Do not neglect your gift, which was given you through prophecy when the body of elders laid their hands on you.

**Week 8 (Jan 20)**

**15** Be diligent in these matters; give yourself wholly to them, so that everyone may see your progress. **16** Watch your life and doctrine closely. Persevere in them, because if you do, you will save both yourself and your hearers.