

Speak with grace and truth!

The Lord cares too about our

When we're with people who aren't Christians he wants us to use godly words. Most of all he wants us to talk about...

Pray now!

Write down a short prayer for a friend who doesn't yet know Jesus:

Listen carefully

Our reading is Colossians 4:2-6.

² Continue steadfastly in prayer, being watchful in it with thanksgiving.

³ At the same time, pray also for us, that God may open to us a door for the word, to declare the mystery of Christ, on account of which I am in prison— ⁴ that I may make it clear, which is how I ought to speak.

⁵ Walk in wisdom toward outsiders, making the best use of the time.

⁶ Let your speech always be gracious, seasoned with salt, so that you may know how you ought to answer each person.

Today we're thinking about evangelism.

That means telling other people about Jesus.

Everyone NEEDS Jesus.

Most people DON'T yet know Jesus.

It can seem a really HARD job.

... But Jesus is with us and will help us!

Look at Colossians 4:2-6. Circle these important words:

prayer, pray walk speech

Write down the name of someone you know who isn't yet a Christian...

Let's think about how can you help them

Pray steadfastly!

"Pray" = talk to _____ and ask his help

"Steadfastly" = keep going and _____ give up.

Ask the Lord
to open a door
into that
person's
heart...
... so that they
want to follow
Jesus!

Draw a picture of a heart with a door!

And ask the Lord to help YOU to talk about Jesus.

Walk with wisdom!

Paul talks here about how we "walk". It's really important how we "WALK" when we're with people who aren't yet Christians.

What does he mean? Can you write your own answer?

The Lord wants us to be WISE...
and a really important part of
wisdom is:

Using TIME well.
Time is short.

