

第八課：末世中的宣教【歌羅西書四2-18】

I. 歌羅西書四2-6

A. 要恆切祈禱（西四2-4）

□ 西四2

- 不單單祈禱，要「恆切」祈禱：not what you do but how you do it
- 「警醒」：參太廿六41；弗六18
- 感恩：
 - 為現在還是將來感恩？
 - 現在有什麼值得感恩？將來有什麼值得感恩？
 - 林前十五57

□ 西四3-4：保羅要歌羅西信徒祈禱的內容

- 上帝為保羅和同工開傳福音的門
- 保羅能夠把基督的福音傳得完備

□ 思想：是祈禱移動上帝的手開門，以至事工得以成就

B. 信徒行出榮耀基督的見證：「行」（西四5）

□ 「要愛惜光陰」：making the most of every opportunity

- 不單是要善用時間、而是要把握機會的意思
- make it count
- 為什麼要把握機會呢？

□ 「用智慧與外人交往」：walk in wisdom toward outsiders

- “walk wisely” 和 “walk in wisdom” 有什麼分別？
- 「知行合一」的智慧
- 西二3、三16

C. 信徒行出榮耀基督的見證：「言」（西四6）

□ 被未信主的人質問時，要以和氣的態度回應

□ 「鹽」的比喻：

- 鹽可以調味、也可以醫治
- 鹽的學問：不同種類的鹽、用多少、什麼時間用？

II. 歌羅西書四7-18

A. 問安與鼓勵

B. 為阿尼西母重會舊主人腓利門而鋪路

III. 功課

A. 細讀腓利門書

Colossians 4:2-6

2a	Exhortation	Devote yourselves to prayer, being alert in it with thanksgiving,
b	circumstance	
3a	simultaneous	at the same time praying for us as well,
b	content	that God may open for us a door for the word
c	purpose	so that we may declare the mystery of Christ,
d	explanation	on account of which I am bound,
4a	content	and that I may proclaim it clearly,
b	manner	as it is necessary for me to speak.
5a	Exhortation	Walk in wisdom toward outsiders,
b	expansion	making the most of every opportunity.
6a	Exhortation	Let your speech always be full of grace,
b	illustration	seasoned with salt,
c	purpose	so that you may know in what way it is necessary for you to answer each one.