

VII. **WEEK 8 (Aug 29th) - Colossians 4:2-18 - Living as a Christian Community**

1. What did Paul encourage all believers to do? (4:2)
2. What does Paul mean when he exhorts the believers to be “Vigilant and thankful”?
 - a. What are we watching for?
 - b. What should we be thankful for?
3. What request did Paul make of his readers? (4:3-4)
4. What did Paul say about the Christian’s public life? (4:5-6)
 - a. What does it mean to have our conversation seasoned with salt?
5. What can we do to be better prepared to answer people when they ask us questions about our faith?
6. In advancing the Gospel (vv.2-6), what role is played by prayer?
7. Who was Tychicus? (4:7)
 - a. Why did Paul send Tychicus to Colosse? (4:7-8)
8. Who was Onesimus? (4:9) What do you know about Onesimus (see Philemon. 10-16)?
9. What did Epaphras do on behalf of his church at Colosse? (4:12-13)
10. What instruction did Paul send Archippus? (4:17)
11. How did Paul conclude his letter? (4:18)
 - a. Why do you think he mentioned that he wrote the greeting with his own hand?