SHARING YOUR FAITH

BIBLE VERSES: Mark 16:15

This is our season of Kingdom advancement. This therefore means that sharing our faith or evangelism is a priority during this period.

What is evangelism? It is sharing the gospel about Jesus Christ. We are called to go and share what we have experienced of God. It is not a suggestion, but a commandment and as Christians, we should obey.

John 1:43-47 shares the simple story of Philip telling Nathanael about Jesus. This "telling" others happens over and over. The book of Acts is the story of telling others about Jesus. It is so natural and simple, yet for a Christian today to tell another about Jesus seems so hard.

To keep it simple, the letters in the word *TELL* can be a reminder of some of the principles of how to share our faith. The *T* reminds us of the *Truth* of Christ we know. *E* reminds us to *Explain* our knowledge, beliefs and encounters. *L* reminds us to *Live* and show what we have believed and experienced. The last *L* represents *Leading*. We need to learn how to share the truth of Christ, live it and lead others to accept Jesus Christ as Lord and Savior.

REVIEW QUESTIONS

1) Why is sharing your faith important?

Matthew 28:16-20, Isaiah 12:4, Luke 15:7, John 14:6, Daniel 12:3

2) How do we share our faith?

John 9:25, John 1:39-41, Luke 14:23

3) What are the obstacles for evangelizing?

Ephesians 6:19-20, Acts 1:8, Acts 4:13, Luke 19:41-44

4) What will you do differently this week to share your faith?