

A Closing Challenge!

I Thessalonians 5:25-28

Introduction – Christ _____ return...

- Be _____...don't be “_____”
- Live c_____ & c_____
- Be h_____, h_____, & h_____
- Be faithful ____, ____, and ____ the Word
- D_____ on God for g_____ & godly living

1. _____ for pastors!

“an emphatic expression...take an oath!”

All of you, pray now and regularly – make it a habit

- For the _____ of the gospel
- For the pastor's
 - P_____
 - P_____
 - P_____
 - P_____
 - P_____ (accurate & effective)

2. Show appropriate _____ to Christians!

- Greet – a friendly _____, display of genuine love
- Holy kiss – a _____ expression of friendship; ours would be a handshake, pat on the back, hug

3. R_____, I_____, & o_____ the Word!

- It is _____
- It is _____
- It is _____

Closing Comment

Prayer & desire for God's people to experience _____ through God's _____ favor, kindness, and mercy.