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Order of Worship
March 17, 2024
Fifth Sunday of Lent

We Gather to Worship God

Welcome
Worship in Song
Call to Worship
Worship in Song

We Listen to the Word

Prayer

Sermon Series: Who is Jesus?
Sermon: "I Am The Good Shepherd"

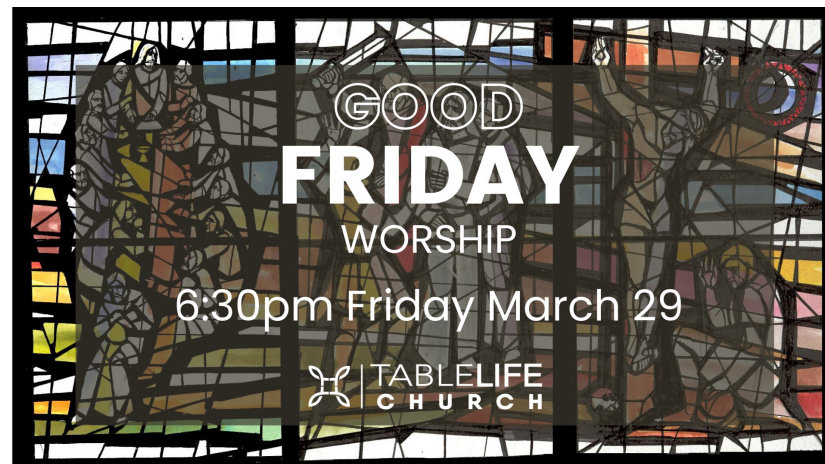
We Come to the Table

Prayer of Confession and Consecration
The Lord's Prayer
We Eat and Drink Together
We Celebrate the Eucharist in Song
Prayer

We Go to Live in the Reign of God

Community Life/Gossiping the Good Stuff
Doxology
Blessing and Sending

*Words to music, responsive readings and
The Lord's Prayer will be on the screen*



Doggy Bag- Some questions to chew on:



1. Which of the three points about Jesus as the Good Shepherd resonates with you the most? Which have you experienced in your life?
2. Have you ever thought Jesus wanted to steal your fun? Have you ever thought of Christianity as being restricting? What has influenced your perspective or change in perspective?
3. Why is it important to remember that all of us need rescue at some time and none of us are immune to forces of evil?
4. What is the difference between the good shepherd and hired hand? How does this concept apply to Jesus? How might it apply to our faith, our relationships with others or with our community of faith?
5. What does it mean to you that Jesus was willing to lay down his life for you?
6. What do you need to remember this week about Jesus as the Gate and the Good Shepherd?

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Who is Jesus? “I Am the Good Shepherd ” Pastor Kris Beckert

I. What does Jesus mean when he says: “I am the _____ and the _____?”

John 10:7-15 “Therefore Jesus said again, “Very truly I tell you, I am the gate for the sheep. ⁸ All who have come before me are thieves and robbers, but the sheep have not listened to them. ⁹ I am the gate; whoever enters through me will be saved. They will come in and go out, and find pasture. ¹⁰ The thief comes only to steal and kill and destroy; I have come that they may have life, and have it to the full. ¹¹ I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep. ¹² The hired hand is not the shepherd and does not own the sheep. So when he sees the wolf coming, he abandons the sheep and runs away. Then the wolf attacks the flock and scatters it. ¹³ The man runs away because he is a hired hand and cares nothing for the sheep. ¹⁴ “I am the good shepherd; I know my sheep and my sheep know me — ¹⁵ just as the Father knows me and I know the Father — and I lay down my life for the sheep.”

- The _____ was the gate
- The image of the _____:
 - Common in Bible
 - Old Testament metaphor for God
 - One of earliest paintings we have of Jesus
 - Title of “pastor” = _____ in Latin

#1. Jesus is a _____

- Underline the guiding imagery in Psalm 23:

Psalm 23 (NKJV) The Lord is my shepherd; I shall not want. ² makes me to lie down in green pastures; He leads me beside the still waters. ³ He restores my soul; He leads me in the paths of righteousness For His name's sake. ⁴ Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil; For You are with me; Your rod and Your staff, they comfort me. ⁵ You prepare a table before me in the presence of my enemies; You anoint my head with oil; My cup runs over. Surely goodness and mercy shall follow me All the days of my life; And I will dwell in the house of the Lord Forever.

#2. Jesus is a _____

1 Peter 5:8 Be alert and of sober mind. Your enemy the devil prowls around like a roaring lion looking for someone to devour.

#3. Jesus is _____

- The difference between a good shepherd and a _____:
 - Both feed, water, and rescue sheep
 - The _____ runs when things get dangerous or hard
 - The _____ is willing to sacrifice

John 10:15 just as the Father knows me and I know the Father—and I lay down my life for the sheep.

Big Idea: _____
