

Apr 17, 2016 Natalia

Scripture: Psalm 23, John 10:22-30

Title: **Shepherd and Sheep**

Today we hear a well known Psalm about our shepherd, and a Gospel story about sheep. It's pretty clear that Jesus is trying to clue us in on what it means to be sheep that belong to this specific shepherd.

April 24 Chad

Scripture: Acts 11:1-18, Revelation 21:1-6, John 13:31-35

Title: **Guard Your Dreams and Visions**

Today we will let God's Word remind us of promises that at times feel like nothing more than a runaway American dream. *And I heard a loud voice from the throne saying, "See, the home of God is among mortals. He will dwell with them as their God; they will be his peoples, and God himself will be with them; he will wipe every tear from their eyes. Death will be no more; mourning and crying and pain will be no more, for the first things have passed away."*

May 1, 2016 Natalia

Scripture: Acts 16:9-15, John 5:1-9

Title: **Expect the Unexpected**

In both of our texts today we have people who were simply going about their daily lives when they came into contact with Jesus and their lives were never the same. We too have a chance to connect to this same Jesus today. What will change for you?

May 8 Chad (using Ascension texts)

Scripture: Acts 1:1-11, Ephesians 1:15-23, Luke 24:44-53

Title: **Can I get a Witness?**

Did you listen to the Serial Podcast or watch the Making A Murderer series? If so, you were reminded of the central role played by witnesses in our legal system. Today we will consider how we are called to witness to our Christian faith. Is everyone required to be a witness? Let's figure this out.

May 15, 2016 (Pentecost) Natalia

Scripture: Acts 2:1-21, John 14:8-17, 25-27

Title: **Game Over**

Today one of the disciples tells Jesus if he just shows them the Father then that will be enough. And like it's a big game of poker, Jesus sees their "seeing the Father" raises them "one Holy Spirit". Just like that, the game is over.