

Gospel of John
Week 14 Outline
4.23.2023
John 10:1-21

Jesus, the Good Shepherd

I. The Good Shepherd's Relationship to His Sheep (v. 1-6)

A. He Calls Us by Name

1. Jesus Knows Us
2. Jesus Speaks With Us (and We Know His Voice)

B. He Goes Before Them

1. Jesus Leads Us
2. Jesus Cares for Us

II. The Good Shepherd's Provision for His Sheep (v. 7-10)

A. He is the Door of the Sheep (The Way)

1. Jesus Protects Us — We are Saved
2. Jesus Provides for Us — We are Safe

B. He is LIFE to the FULL

1. Jesus Loves Us
2. Jesus Captivates Us

III. The Good Shepherd's Heart for His Sheep (v. 11-18)

A. Jesus Lays Down His Life for Us

B. Jesus Knows Us—and We Know Him as the Father Knows Him & He Knows the Father

The Benefits of the Sheep of The Good Shepherd

We are people who are, first and most fundamentally, listening to Jesus' voice

We are people Jesus is getting to know, experientially

We are people who are starting to walk with & to follow Jesus

We are people, therefore, who are receiving deep, lasting LIFE from Jesus

We are people who are given the special assurance of an unfailing security

We are people who are forever safe in Jesus' grip

Further Reading to Think on Your "Sheepiness" and Jesus as the Good Shepherd:

- John 10:1-21
- Luke 15:1-32
- Matthew 9:35-38
- Psalm 23 (read multiple times slowly)
- *A Shepherd's Look on Psalm 23* by Philip Keller