

Message Notes

“Whose Shepherd?” – Psalm 23

Because the Lord is my Shepherd, I have all I need:

1. Rest (v. 2)
2. Strength (v. 3a)
3. Guidance (v. 3b)
4. Safety (v. 4)
5. Provision (v. 5)
6. A heavenly home (v. 6)

LifeConnect Group Discussion Questions

- Read 1 Samuel 16 to learn more about a part of King David’s life from which this Psalm may have sprung. How can you understand the Lord as both God and a menial shepherd?
- Read Psalm 23 in the negative. What verse is most disturbing?
- What dark valleys do you walk now? Has God rescued or protected you with his ‘rod’ and ‘staff’? What ‘green pastures’ and ‘still waters’ has he brought your way?
- Who are your ‘enemies’ today? What would you like your cup to overflow with?