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Liturgical Date: Year B, Easter 4, 21st April 2024
Presenter: Rev Liam Miller

Focus Reading: *John 10:11-18*

Message   7 minutes 25 seconds   "Her Feet Were Drenched From The Dew"

Discussion Starters
1   What Captivated you in what was proclaimed?
2   What feelings are evoked for you with the image of Christ as the Good Shepherd?
3   How might the church be enriched by our various encounters with Christ's pastoral presence?
4   How might we carry forth the echo of Christ's voice calling us by name into our community?

Lectionary readings for the day
Psalm 23 The psalmist reveals the Lord as his great Shepherd who leads through life and also through death.

Acts 4:5-12 Peter testifies that it is Jesus and Jesus alone who has the ability, to bring salvation. For "throughout the whole world, no other name has been given" by which people are saved(v12).

1 John 3:16-24 John squarely reveals how a person knows what true love is: Jesus Christ laid down his life for us.

All Age Message: Glenda Downie   "Perseverance"
Length   5 minutes 26 seconds
Precis of AAM
In life, many things can happen which may mean we have to exercise a lot of perseverance to accomplish an end goal. In James 1:2 we learn that God blesses us when we do not give up when our faith is tested. Jesus was really tested so that we can have a special relationship with God.

Resources: Uniting in Worship (Blue Book). Psalm 23 page 260

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