



April 2022

**CALVARY**

BAPTIST CHURCH

Growth Group Questions

**April 3- Jesus is the Good Shepherd**  
**John 10:1-21**

1. Have you ever been robbed? Briefly share the story with your group.

Read John 10:1-21

2. After reading verses 1-6, why do the sheep follow the shepherd through the gate? Why won't the sheep follow a stranger?

3. In verses 7-18, Jesus explains what it means that He's the gate and the good shepherd. So what does He mean when He says He's the gate and the good shepherd?

4. Read through Ezekiel 34. How is Jesus the fulfillment of what God promises in this chapter?

5. Why do you think it's significant that Jesus is both the gate and the good shepherd?

6. What do you think Jesus is talking about in John 10:16?

7. Can you think of any examples of "strange voices" that are calling you away from following Jesus as your good shepherd?

8. What can you do so that you are more tuned in and able to recognize the voice of the Lord?

9. Think about what Jesus says in verses 14-15 about our relationship with Him. What is so amazing about what He says?

## **April 10- Jesus is King**

### **John 12:12-26**

1. What was your favorite childhood Easter memory?

Read John 12:12-26

2. Why did the people carry palm branches and why did Jesus enter Jerusalem on a young donkey?

3. What does this tell us about Jesus' motives?

4. Look at the greeting the people shouted to Jesus as He approached Jerusalem. What were they confessing about Jesus with these words?

5. What did the disciples fail to understand at first when Jesus entered the city? When and how did they realize what was happening? (John 12:12-15, 16:12-15)

6. Some Greeks visiting Jerusalem wanted to see Jesus. What was Jesus trying to teach them in response to their request?

7. What is the significance of the Greeks arriving to meet Jesus?

8. What are the similarities between the grain of wheat and our lives? What are the implications?

## **April 24- Jesus is Alive**

### **John 21:1-14**

1. What is your favorite breakfast?

Read John 21:1-14

2. Why do you think the disciples are at the Sea of Tiberias at this point?

3. What did Peter say in verse 3, and what could be the significance of this statement?

4. How would you feel if you had caught nothing after a night of fishing? How do you suppose the seven disciples were feeling about it?

5. What do verses 4-6 tell us about Jesus during his post resurrection?

6. As you read verses 7-9, why do you think Peter reacted the way he did when John said, "it is the Lord"? Do you think his earlier betrayal of Jesus, and what you read in 21:15-19 come into play here? How so?

7. What is waiting for the disciples when they get back to the shore? How has God provided for you in your lifetime?

8. What does this story reveal to you about who Jesus is, what He has done, and what He will do in your life? (Take a look at John 20:30-31)

*"In his third appearance to the disciples, Jesus reveals his presence, his provision, and his Lordship. As the disciples take the Gospel message forward, they see time after time that Jesus, through the Holy Spirit is with them, continues to provide for them, and indeed is Lord and God of all. As you go about your life this week, remember that Jesus, the one who died and rose again, is with you, provides for you, and is Lord and God of all."*