

**Family Worship**  
Week of July 24, 2022

**Instruction:** Whatever time of day works best each day for you or your family, use the prompts below to spend a few minutes together in prayer and the Word. Open and close each session with a simple prayer. Use the questions for meditation or discussion.

**The Character of God**

Monday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Psalm 23:1-3
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's first point on Sunday was, "A Shepherd for Our Souls." How does the Lord shepherd us? How does the Bible feed us, bring us to peace, and restore us? What is the path of righteousness, and what should we do if we find ourselves straying from this path?
- Close in Prayer

Tuesday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Psalm 23:4
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's second point on Sunday was, "A Companion for Our Troubles." Christ tells us there will be trial and hardship in the Christian life, what is our comfort in this verse? How has Christ dealt with death, and why is it only described as a shadow in this verse? How do the shepherd's tools comfort us?
- Close in Prayer

Wednesday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Psalm 23:5-6
- Meditation: Pastor Nathan's last point on Sunday was, "A Host for All Our Days." What does a table prepared for us in the presence of our enemies teach us? What are the blessings that flow from having the Lord's Supper on Sunday with Christ and other believers? What end does Christ promise for every believer?

**Preparing Our Hearts to Receive the Word**

Thursday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 1:1-2
- Meditation: What questions do you have about this text? Is there anything confusing or curious? Does anything stand out as important?
- Close in Prayer

Friday

- Open in Prayer
- Read: Ephesians 1:1-2
- Meditation: Westminster Shorter Catechism Question 4 asks, "What do the Scriptures principally teach?" Answer: "The Scriptures principally teach what man is to believe concerning God and what duty God requires of man." What does this passage teach us about God's character and work? What does it teach us about our own hearts and need for a Savior?
- Close in Prayer