

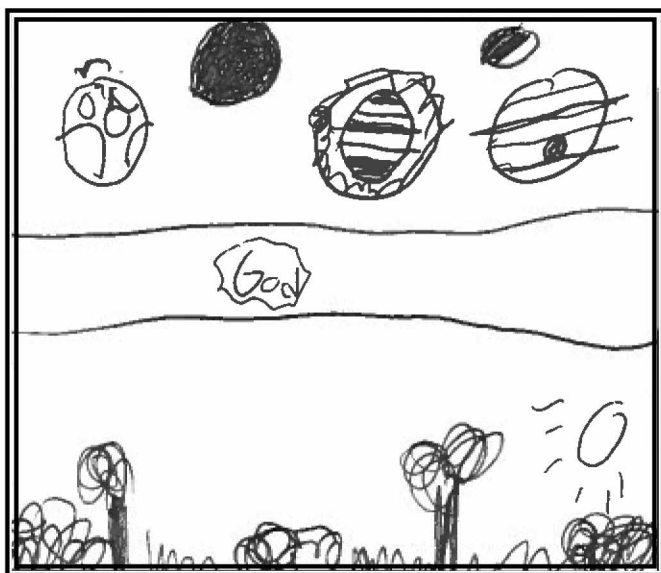
# The Children's Worship Bulletin

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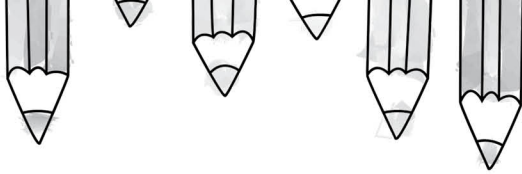
Trinity Presbyterian Church

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March 15, 2020



Name: Phillip Thomas Age: 7



# Just a word from Mr. Rob

**Rob Pendley • Minister of Discipleship**

Dear Children,

The LORD is my \_\_\_\_\_. I wonder how you filled in the blank. There are so many words that could go there: hope, joy, strength, savior, friend, and so on. But for today's Scripture and sermon, we are looking at the LORD is my SHEPHERD.

That is because we are looking at Psalm 23. It is a tremendously helpful portion of God's word. Think about how a shepherd cares for sheep. He has to know them, love them, protect and provide for them. And God does this and so much more for us, His sheep. It is He Who made us, and we are His; we are His people, the sheep of His pasture. Psalm 100:3b

Now think about a sheep that needs to be cared for by their shepherd. They need to trust them by listening to them and by following their lead. And that is how we are to respond to God's perfect shepherding. May He give you and me great faith to believe His promises and rest in His love.

You are special to Jesus,

Mr. Rob

## **Suggested Questions for Mom and Dad to Use this Week:**

*There is so much in Psalm 23! Don't worry about trying to take it all in or to explain it all to your child(ren) this week.*

*Consider focusing on just one or two verses. Bounce them around as a family. Here are some questions to get you started:*

- What did Jesus say about himself in John 10:7-11?
- What does this tell you about Jesus and his desire to lead you?
- What does the Shepherd do for the sheep?
- Have you ever been in want? How does the Shepherd settle you and calm you when you struggle with contentment?
- Have you ever needed rest? What happens when sheep lie down in green pastures?
- Have you ever needed replenishment or restoration?
- Where does the shepherd lead those who need to be filled?
- What does the shepherd do for the soul of those who follow?

*Read Psalm 23:2-3.*

- Which path does the Shepherd lead those who will follow him?
- What is the "valley of the shadow of death"? Have you ever walked in that valley? If so, what was that time in your life like?
- What does the Shepherd provide as his sheep walk through the valley of death? Read Psalm 23:4.
- What happens to fear when the shepherd is with his sheep?
- What does a shepherd do with his rod and staff?
- What do the shepherd's rod and staff provide for the sheep as they follow?
- Why, or how, do the shepherd's rod and staff bring comfort?



**Do you have a:**

**Prayer Request? Is there something you need prayer for?**

**Praise Report? Has God answered a prayer?**

Is there anything else you would like Mr. Mac to know?

**Mr. Mac wants to know!!**

Please write to him here and place your message in his box.

Dear Mr. Mac,

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**A Guide to Family Worship**  
**March 16 - March 21**

**THE SIMPLEST OUTLINE FOR FAMILY TIME EVER!!!**  
**10 EASY STEPS**

- #1** Just make sure you gather once a day as a family.
- #2** Try really hard to make the same time every day.
- #3** It does not have to be long; it does not have to be perfect.
- #4** Read a Bible verse. Maybe a devotional.
- #5** Sing a song or two together.
- #6** Take prayer requests.
- #7** Pray. (Daddy, your children NEED to hear you pray.) Pray for the children; pray for missionaries; pray for Trinity Church; give thanks.
- #8** Everyone tell one thing they are thankful for.
- #9** Have a Leader of the Day: they get to read and/or pray and/or tell everyone to come gather and/or put out the Bibles/hymnals and/or tell something that happened to them that day.
- #10** Dad, pray this over your children: Numbers 6:24–26  
*The LORD bless you and keep you; the LORD make His face to shine upon you and be gracious to you; the LORD lift up His countenance upon you and give you peace.*

# Sermon Art

Use this page to illustrate something that Mr. Rob preaches on during the sermon this morning!

**This week's lesson is on**

Psalm 23

Want to see your artwork on  
the FRONT PAGE?

Put your artwork in the Sermon Art mailbox in the church office (bottom left hand side).



Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Age: \_\_\_\_\_

“And He said to them,  
‘Go into all the world  
and proclaim the gospel  
to the whole creation.’”  
Mark 16:15

**Meet Our Missionaries!**



## **Birmingham Theological Seminary**

Birmingham Theological Seminary (BTS) was founded in 1972. Two men saw the need for men and women to be trained for full-time Christian service to enrich their personal lives, to increase their knowledge of the things of the Lord and to be better equipped to teach, preach, and witness for the Lord Jesus Christ. These men also saw the need to enable those who felt God's call to study for Christian work to do so on a part-time basis, if possible to study full-time. Students could have the opportunity to work full-time and also to attend classes in the evening.

During the 47-year history, more than 3,500 students have taken one or more courses and 350 students have been awarded master's level degrees. BTS has offered courses in various locations around the state of Alabama and in foreign countries such as Uganda, Korea, China, Ukraine, New Zealand, and Australia.

# Music and Hymns

## **"The King of Love My Shepherd Is"**

**This hymn is based on Psalm 23, which states "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not be in want." A shepherd protects his sheep, feeds them, and watches over them. The writer of the song proclaims, "I lack nothing," "I fear no ill." We should never be scared, because God promises to take care of us. He comforts us. The Lord will provide. God loves us, we are His children, and He will watch over us and care for us just as the shepherd cares for his sheep.**

## **#2 "O Worship the King"**

**What does it mean to worship? Have you ever really thought about it? In church we sing as a form of praise and worship, but there are other forms of worship too. One dictionary defines worshipping someone as "to show reverence and admiration for." How can we show God reverence and admiration? Well, we can thank Him for what He has done for us, we can tell Him how wonderful He is, we can share Him with others. To have reverence for someone means to respect them. When we respect someone we listen to them. When we admire someone we tell them and we often tell other people. So, this should be the same and even more with our King, Jesus Christ!**

**"All you have made will praise You, O Lord;  
Your saints will extol You."**

**Psalm 145:10**



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