

DUMB SHEEP

"When Jesus saw the crowds, he had compassion on them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd."

Matthew 9:36

Leader: Luther's Morning Prayer

Bible Reading: 1 Peter 3:24,25 (Read Together)

He himself bore our sins in his body on the tree, so that we might die to sins and live for righteousness; by his wounds you have been healed. For you were like sheep going astray, but now you have returned to the Shepherd and Overseer of your souls.

Song: Gracious Savior, Gentle Shepherd

Gracious Savior, gentle Shepherd, Children all are dear to you; May your loving arms enfold us In your care our whole life through; Fondly tend and safely keep us In your mercy strong and true. Tender shepherd, never leave us, Never let us go astray; By your warning love directed, May we walk the narrow way! Thus direct us, thus defend us Lest we fall an easy prey.

Taught to share your holy praises, Which on earth your children sing, With our lips and hearts, sincerely, Glad thank offerings may we bring, Then with all the saints in glory Join to praise our Lord and King.

Question for Today: What animal do you think is the most intelligent?

Message: Dumb Sheep

Prayer (Ask for prayer requests to include in your general prayer.)

Dear Lord Jesus, we often act as if we are foolish sheep not knowing how to protect ourselves, straying from the fold, and following things we should not. Give us the strength to follow only you, our Shepherd and guide. Amen.

Lord's Prayer

Offering for Missions

Benediction

To the only God our Savior be glory, majesty, power and authority, through Jesus Christ our Lord, before all ages, now and forevermore! Amen.

Closing Song: Jesus Calls Us (See back page)

JESUS CALLS US

Jesus calls us all to be Shining for the world to see. Reflections of His holy light Come to drive away the night.

CHORUS

Jesus, wonderful Shepherd, Give me a heart that is faithful and true. All I have I will give till All that I have I have given to You.

Jesus calls us to a life, Free from anger, free of strife. Live in peace with everyone, Point them to God's holy Son. CHORUS

Jesus calls us to His side Where we hear His humble cry: "Father, give to me their sin, Let Your children enter in." CHORUS

O, how can I ever thank Him For all that He's done for me, And how much more can I praise Him For setting me free?

Jesus help us all to be Light for all the world to see. Ever faithful to the call, Sharing how you died for all. CHORUS and Repeat

All I have I will give till all that I have I have given to You.

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