



THE GOOD SHEPHERD

Ash Wednesday
7:00pm March 2, 2022

Community Church of the Brethren
& First Mennonite Church Hutchinson

Prelude *Lord Jesus, Think on Me* [and purge away my sin] ... Arr. T. Shaw
Welcome

Eileen Porter, piano
Tonya Ramer Wenger

Call to Worship

Matt Christian

One: You are my sheep, the sheep of my pasture, and I am your God, says the Lord God.

ALL: THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD.

One: Even as we walk through the darkest valleys, we fear no evil.

ALL: THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD.

One: God calls us to holiness.

ALL: THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD.

One: God calls us to wholeness.

All: THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD.

One: Jesus said, "I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep."

All: THE LORD IS OUR SHEPHERD. WE SHALL NOT WANT.

HYMN *My Shepherd Will Supply My Need*

HWB 589

Anita Christian, song leader

Opening Prayer (*in unison*)

Matt Christian

Divine Shepherd, you guide us on a life-giving path. You know the way to the water that sustains. You lead us to pastures where our souls will be filled. You urge us to enter through the gate and follow you. Bring us through, we pray. Bring us through in Christ's name. Amen.

Scripture Reading

Ezekiel 34:11-16

Delon Martens

John 10:1-18

Marlys Best

Meditation & Invitation to Confession

Tonya Ramer Wenger

Time of Silent Reflection

...with Music for Meditation *The Lord's My Shepherd* ... Arr. L. Shackley

Eileen Porter

Scripture Reading

Psalms 23

Anita Christian

Imposition of Ashes: *Come through the gate, marked as God's own.*

Matt Christian, Tonya Ramer Wenger

...with Music for Meditation *Savior, When in Dust to You* [low we bow in homage due] ... Arr. A. K. Organ

HYMN *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* HWB 355

Anita Christian, song leader

Benediction

Tonya Ramer Wenger

Postlude *Savior, Like a Shepherd Lead Us* ...arr. N. Raabe

Eileen Porter

