

Community Group Discussion Guide

Sunday, July 5, 2020

Scripture: Psalm 23

THIS WEEK'S FOCUS

Jesus is our all-satisfying Shepherd who grants us rest, life, and protection, and he is the Generous Host who welcomes us to a feast celebrating his victorious work and lovingly invites us to dwell with him forever.

QUESTIONS FOR DISCUSSION *(Use along with Reading: Ante Faciem Dei)*

- What are the Psalms? How do they influence our Corporate and personal worship?
- What is Psalm 23 about?
- Why are the letters in LORD capitalized in this psalm?
- What are the two metaphors that David uses to describe our all-satisfying God?
- Explain why Jesus is uniquely qualified to give lasting rest? Are you resting in the person and work of Christ or seeking rest elsewhere?
- How does our Lord guide us into the paths of righteousness? What does it mean that he provides us rest and spiritual life “for his name’s sake”?
- Have you experienced time in the “valley of the shadow of death”? How do we live without fear while living in a sinful world?
- Consider how the goodness and mercy (“steadfast love”) of God pursues you “all the days of my life.”
- What is the final destination (and glorious hope) of all those who have trusted Christ?