

Easter Series: I Am The Gate I Go Ahead of the Sheep John 10:1-6

Sermon Discussion Questions

- 1. Images of the Triumphal Entry are warm, filled with joy and hope. What did the people get wrong about Jesus purpose in Jerusalem? What did you get wrong from your youth or first understanding? Why is that?
- 2. In John 10:1-3a, Jesus' metaphor of the sheep & shepherd separated the false from the true. Craft a short list of the characteristics of each. Which ones made for a false shepherd? A true shepherd?
- 3. In Matthew 16:21-23 Jesus went ahead of the sheep to make eternal provision that any sheep might become His sheep. Describe his work.
- 4. To enter His pen and become part of His flock, what must one come to learn and recognize about the only True Shepherd-King so you can go out to good green pasture and return to security? See vs. 4-5
- 5. Why did the Pharisees not understand the metaphor of the shepherd and the sheep? What might keep you and I from not understanding and never becoming one of His sheep & flock? See Matthew 7:13-14

Closing Questions:

- A. What did the Holy Spirit TELL YOU during the teaching Sunday?
- B. What did the Spirit tell you to DO about it?
- C. How can we HELP YOU by our prayers and support?