Kasson & Pleasant Corners
United Methodist Churches

March 29. 2020

Welcome to Lenten Worship!

***Opening**
Prayers & Concerns

Apostle's Creed UMH # 881

I believe in God the Father Almighty, maker of heaven and earth;
And in Jesus Christ his only Son our Lord: who was conceived by the Holy Spirit, born of the Virgin Mary, suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, dead and buried; he descended into hell. the third day he rose from the dead; he ascended into heaven, and sitteth at the right hand of God the Father Almighty; from thence he shall come to judge the quick and the dead.

I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting. Amen

Scripture John 10:1-31

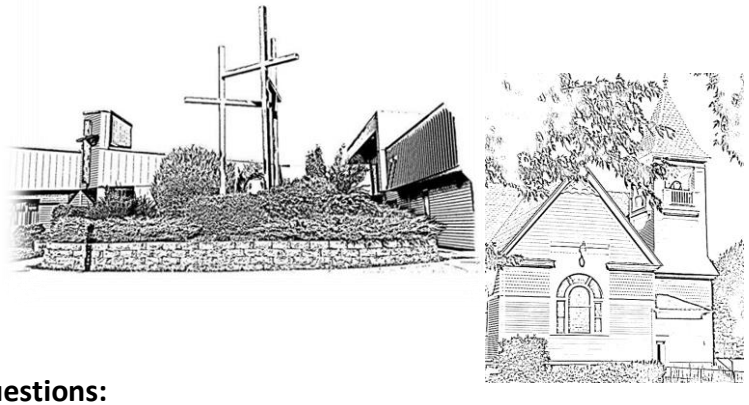
Sermon "Jesus the Good Shepherd "
Pastor Jacob Hanson

The Lord's Prayer UMH # 895

Our Father, who art in Heaven, hallowed be thy name.
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread; and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation, but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom and the power and the glory forever.

Amen.

***Closing**



Questions:

1) Jesus calls Himself the "Good Shepherd" throughout this section of scripture. What is He saying to the people?
2) Jesus makes the distinction between a hired hand and the good shepherd, that one will lay down his life for the sheep while the other will flee at the first sign of danger. What does this have to do with you and me? What is Jesus communicating here to us?
3) We read in verse 30 that Jesus tells the Jewish leaders that "I and the Father are one." Their response is to pick up stones to kill Him. Why would they seek His death? What was their mistake?

Memory Verse: John 10:11 "I am the good shepherd; the good shepherd lays down His life for the sheep."

Lenten Challenge: In this time of quarantine, find a way to show your neighbors that you care for them. Prayer and action together help folks to know their Creator.