I Am the Good Shepherd / I Am the Door – John $10\,$ Pastor Bill Schlonecker – March 11, 2018

The Big Idea: In contrast to charlatan shepherds, Jesus – the True and Good Shepherd at the cost of His very life – provides all His sheep

needand in response, His true sheep <u>follow</u> Him.
Marks of the Good Shepherd
1-Jesus is the Good Shepherd because He <u>calls</u> and <u>knows</u> His sheep and <u>guides</u> them safely $-vv$. 1-6
2-Jesus is the Good Shepherd b/c He is the $\underline{\text{Door}}$ to salvation, including full and $\underline{\text{abundant}}$ life $-v.~10$
The Good Shepherd, and
Abundant life is not about having more; it is about God and Jesus Christ as our Good Shepherd
3-Jesus is the Good Shepherd b/c He His sheep even at the cost of His own vv. 11-18 Jesus gave His life for us b/c He to do it! Jesus gave His life for us b/c it was His Father's and He
4-Jesus is the Good Shepherd b/c He to become a part of His flock v. 16
Fake-AwaysAs sheep, we must learn the art of
2-Whose are you listening to today?
-Do you know the Shepherd personally?
A flock's focus is on the > this morning we focus on our Good Shepherd, Jesus Christ, as we remember His death for us