



Sermon
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“Cov Yaj Paub Tus Tswvyaj Lub Suab”

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Thov txoj koobhmoov txojkev hlub thiab txojkev haumxeeb pub rau nej sawvdaws los ntawm Vajtsvv uas yog peb Leejtxiv uas yog peb tus Cawmseej Tswv Yexus Khetos. Asmees.

Yauhas 10:4 “When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice – *Thaum nws coj nws pab tawm mus, nws mus uantej lawv, thiab pab yaj raws nws qab, vim lawv paub nws lub suab.*” ‘Nov yog Vajtsvv Txojlus.’ (Cross reference – Yauhas 10:3, 5, 16, 27)

Illustration “voices” (Show children)

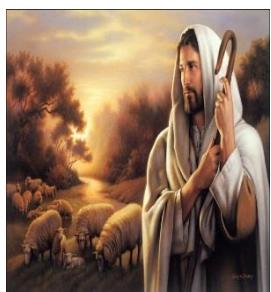


Thaum twg nej muaj ib pab menuam coob coob uasis uake, es nej mus hu nej tus menuam, feem ntau nej tus menuam yeej hnov thiab paub nej lub suab. Nws yuav los rau ntawm nej losyog tig tuaj saib nej hais dabtsi. Nov zoo ib yam li tus tub yugyaj. Yog nws coj ib pab yaj, pab yaj ntawd yeej paub nws lub suab. (Show men and his sheep)



Thaum nws hu pab yaj lawm, pab yaj yuav tig los mus saib lub suab ntawd nyob qhovtwg thiab mus rau ntawm tus tswv yugyaj ntawd. Vim tus tswv yugyaj yuav coj nws pab yaj mus noj cov zaub ntsuab xwtxiab thiab haus cov dej ntshiab cawmsiav.

I. Nyob rau hauv peb pawgntseeg, (Show Jesus the Good Shepherd)

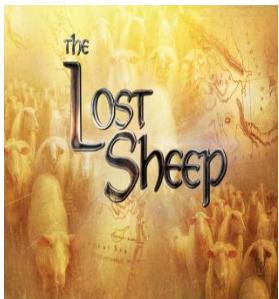


The Lutheran Church - Missouri Synod, lub “4th Sunday of Easter – *Hnub Plaub Hnubso Ntawm Yexus Sawv*” yog peb ua koobtsheej hu haistias, “Good Shepherd Sunday – *Tus Tswvyaj Zoo Hnubso.*” Vim Yexus qhia nws tus kheej rau peb haistias, “I am the Good Shepherd – *Kuv yog tus Tswvyaj Zoo.*” Nqes Vajluskub uas peb pib haistias, “The Lord is my Shepherd – *Tus Tswv yog kuv tus Tswv Yaj.*” (Nkauj Qhuas Vajtsvv 23) Vim tus tswvyaj tivthaiv nws pab yaj, coj nws pab yaj, thiab hlub nws pab yaj. Yog li ntawd, Yexus yog peb tus Tswvyaj, peb yog nws pab yaj peb thiaj li paub nws lub suab.

Yog yuav hais kom peb paub txog tus Tswvyaj Zoo, koj yuavtsum paub mentsi txog saib cov yaj no yog zoo li cas. Yaj yog ib tus tsiaj uas pab tsis tau nws tus kheej thiab ntau zaug yeej ua tsis tau dabtsi ntau. Lawv khiav tsis ceev, lawv tsis muaj tes taws ntse losyog tej niav ntse es yuav khawb thiab tom tau lwmtus. (Show shepherd leading his sheep)



Cov yaj yog ib cov tsiaj uas tsis ntse. Thaum muaj teebmeem tuaj los lawv twb tsis pom tsis paub li. Tej thaum lawv mus noj tau tej zaub uas yuav ua rau lawv tuag taus los lawv yeej tsis paub li. Yaj poobzoo yoojyim heev li. Yog tias tus yaj nkag ib lub qhovvaj rau sab nraud lawm, nws yeej tsis paub xyov yuav thim li cas rov qab los li. Yog li ntawd, cov yaj yuavtsum muaj ib tus tswvyaj los saib lawv. Cov yaj yuavtsum tau tus tswvyaj los coj lawv kev lawv thiaj li tsis ntsib teebmeem.
(Show The Lost Sheep)



Peb tibneeg los zoo sisthooj li cov yaj thiab. Hais txog ntawm sab ntsujplig. Peb yeej tsis paub xyov yuav mus txojkev twg thiab los txoj twg. Peb poob rau txojkev txhaum yoojyim heev. Peb poob rau txojkev dagntxias, vim ntau zaug peb twb tsis nyiaj kom dhau. Zoo li cov yaj, peb tsis paub yuav tig rov mus rau qhov zoo. Peb tsis paub xyov yuav ua li cas thiaj li tig rov mus tau rau ntawm Vajtsww. Tibneeg coob leej ntau tus nug tib lolus nyob haistias: "What must I do to be save – *Kuv yuav ua li cas thiaj li cawm tau kuv?*" Los ntawm lub ntiajteb no peb yeej tsis paub tiag. Zoo li cov yaj uas tsis paub thim rov los nrhiav lub qhovvaj, vim

peb tsis paub nrhiav mus rau ntawm Vajtsww. Lub ntiajteb yuav coj peb mus rau txojkev txhaum uas yog coj peb poob mus rau txojkev tuag.

- II. Zoo li cov yaj, tibneeg yeej tsis pom thiab tsis paub thaum teebmeem tuaj rau ntawm tibneeg. Tibneeg tsis pom haistias nws yuav ua rau tibneeg mob siab npaum li cas? (**Show sheep do not want to be found**)



Some sheep do not want to be found

Uantej tibneeg yuav siv yeeb tshuaj, lawv puas paub haistias tej yeeb tshuaj ntawd yuav ua rau lawv lub cev thiab lawv lub hlwb puamtsuaj? Yes! Lawv yeej paub, tiamsis lawv cia li siv. Uantej tibneeg yuav mus deev luag tus pojniam losyog luag tus txiv, lawv puas paub haistias tej no yuav uas lub cuab lub yig nrog tej menuam puas tag? Yes! Lawv yeej paub – tiamsis lawv tseem ua thiab. Kev txhaum yuav ua rau tibneeg mob siab thiab ua rau tibneeg lub neej puas, tiamsis zoo li cov yaj uas tsis xav muaj tus tswvyaj los coj nws kev kom nws tsis txhob mus ua kev txhaum. Peb muaj ntau tus yaj uas poob zoo vim lawv khiav deb ntawm tus tswvyaj txojkev cawmdim. (**Video – sheep obey their master voice**)



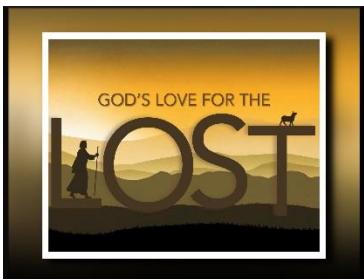
Do sheep only obey their Master's voice - YouTube2.wmv

Cov yaj yuavtsum muaj tus tswvyaj zoo. Yexus haistias, "My sheep listen to my voice; I know them, and they follow me - *Kuv pab yaj paub kuv lub suab; kuv paub kuv pab yaj thiab kuv pab yaj raws kuv qab.*" (Yauhas 10:21) Cia kuv muab txhais rau nej li no. **Ib**, yog koj yog kuv tus yaj, ces koj yeej hnov kuv lub suab hu. **Ob**, yog koj tsis hnov kuv lub suab, ces koj tsis yog kuv tus yaj. **Peb**, yog tus yaj hnov kuv lub suab, ces kuv yog nws tus tswvyaj. **Plaub**, yog tus yaj tsis hnov kuv lub suab, ces kuv tsis yog nws tus tswvyaj. (**Show shepherd watch over their sheep just as parent taken care of their children**)



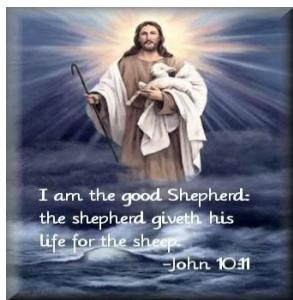
Nov zoo sisthooj li, cov menuam uas tsis mloog niam mloog txiv lus. Yog koj tsis mloog koj niam koj txiv lus ces zoo nkaus li koj tsis mloog Vajtsww lus. Vim koj niam koj txiv yog tus cawm kom koj tsis txhob raug kev txomnyem. Nws yuav pub zaubmov, pub ristsho, pub vajtsev thiab saib xyuas kom koj tau qhov zoo mus li. Menuam yuavtsum muaj niam muaj txiv los tu lawv. Peb tibneeg zoo li pab yaj uas poobzoo uas tsis muaj tus tswvyaj tu.

- III. Yog li ntawd, peb yuavtsum muaj tus tswvyaj. Tibneeg yuavtsum muaj tus tswvyaj los pub Txojmoozoo uas yog tivthaiv ntawm txojkev txhaum, kev tuag thiab dabntxwgnyyoog. (**Show God's love for the lost**)

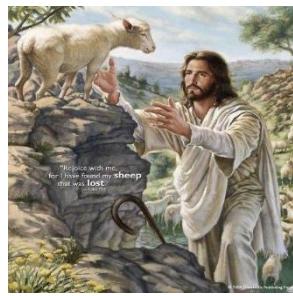


Peb zoo li cov yaj uas poobzoo rau txojkev txhaum lawm. Txojkev uas yuav dim ntawm txojkev txhaum ces yuavtsum muaj tus tswvyaj uas zoo siab hlo los tuag theej peb txojkev txhaum. Cov yaj yuavtsum muaj tus tswvyaj coj txojkev ncajncees thiab dawbhuv los rau peb. Yexus yog peb tus Tswvyaj Zoo. Peb yog cov yaj uas poobzoo lawm, tiamsis Yexus

los rau lub ntajteb no yog los nrhiav cov uas poobzoo lawm. Nws los nrhiav tau koj tau kuv thiab nws yuav coj koj thiab kuv uas yog nws pab yaj los paub nws lub suab thiab mloog nws lus. Yexus yog tus Tswvyaj Zoo uas coj txojkev kaksiab los rau hauv peb lub neej. **(Show Jesus the Good Shepherd)**

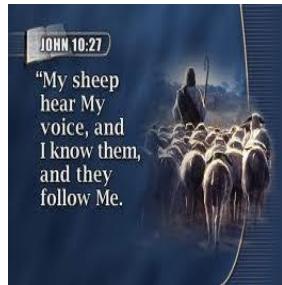


Yexus hhub nws pab yaj, Yexus thiaj li haistias, “I am the good shepherd. The good shepherd lays down his life for the sheep – *Kuv yog tus Tswvyaj Zoo. Tus Tswvyaj Zoo siab tuag theej nws pab yaj.*” (Yauhas 10:11) Nyob rau Vajluskub Qub, vajntxwv Daviv zoo siab hlo zov nws txiv Jesse pab yaj. Peb yog pab yaj uas zwm rau peb Leejtxiv saum ntuj ceebtsheeji. Yexus txa nws txojsia los cawm peb ntawm txojkev tuag kom peb tsis txhob tau mus rau ntujtawg teb. Nws yuav tivthaiv peb kom peb tsis txhob raug puamtsuaj li. **(Show Luke 15:4 – the lost sheep)**



Yexus yeej hhub nws pab yaj. Mathais sau haistias, “When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd – *Thaum Yexus saib cov tibneeg coob coob ntawd, nws hhub lawv kawg li, rau qhov lawv ntihov siab thiab tsis muaj leejtwg pab lawv, lawv zoo ib yam li pab yaj uas tsis muaj tus tswv yug.*” (Mathais 9:36) Yexus haistias, “What man of you, having a hundred sheep, if he has lost one of them, does not leave the ninety-nine in the open country, and go after the one that is lost, until he finds it – *Nej*

cov yog leejtwg muaj ib puas tus yaj, yog ib tug ploj lawm, tus tswv yuav ua li cas? Nws yeej yuav tso cuaj caum cuaj tug rau tom hav zaub, thiab mus nrhiav tus yaj uas ploj lawm kom tau.” (Lukas 15:4)
(Show John 10:27)



Peb sim saib cov yaj uas poob zoo lawm, Yexus mus nrhiav tau lawv rov qab los: Mathais, tus tibneeg sau se, Petus, tus tibneeg hnuvntse, Paulus, tus tus tsimtxom cov ntseeg, tus pojniam Xamalis muaj ntau tus txiv, koj thiab kuv, vim peb zoo li “.... like sheep going astray... *zoo li tus yaj uas poob zoo lawm.*” (1 Petus 2:25) Txawm peb poob zoo lawm los tus Tswvyaj Zoo tseem los nrhiav tau peb los ntawm nws txojkev hhub. Tus Tswvyaj Zoo hhub peb thiab hu kom peb rov los rau ntawm Nws. Tus Tswvyaj Zoo thiaj li hais tias, “My sheep hear my voice, and I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they shall never

perish; no one can snatch them out of my hand – *Kuv pab yaj hnov kuv lub suab, thiab kuv paub lawv, thiab lawv raws kuv qab. Kuv muab txojsia ntev dhawv mus ibtxhis rau lawv, lawv yuav tsis tuag ib zaug li, thiab tsis muaj leejtwg yuav txeeb tau lawv hauv kuv txhais tes mus li.*” (Yauhas 10:27-28)
(Show sheep following Jesus)



Cov kwvtij hhub thiab movtshua, Vajtsuv txojlus thiaj li sau ntawm Txojmoozoo hnubno haistias, “When he has brought out all his own, he goes before them, and the sheep follow him, for they know his voice – *Thaum nws coj nws pab tawm mus, nws mus uantej lawv, thiab pab yaj raws nws qab, vim lawv paub nws lub suab.*” Cia koj thiab kuv ua cov yaj uas paub tus Tswv Yaj lub suab. Thaum koj paub thiab hnov nws lub suab hu lawm, cia li tig los rau ntawm nws. Nws yuav coj koj mus tau txojsia mus ibtxhis thiab ibtxhis. Asmees.

Thov kom Vajtsuv txojlus pub rau peb sawvdaws totaub thiab tau nyob kaksiab lug rau ntawm Tswv Yexus Khetos lub npe. Peb txhuatus uas yog Vajtsuv cov menuam peb sawvdaws hais. Asmees.