

## Live Wires

### Jesus Our Shepherd

**Objective:** To trust Jesus to guide us and understand Jesus is kind, loving and wants what's best for us.

Sunday January 5<sup>th</sup> the Live Wire class focused on following Jesus. They played a game called lost sheep, where some children playing the sheep got blindfolded and had to follow the shepherd's voice back to safety. After the game they discussed how it felt to be lost and confused, and how Jesus is our shepherd. That He is a good shepherd that knows us by name, and wants what's best for us.

#### Bible Basis:

John 10:1-15--- Review

How is Jesus like the good shepherd in the story? (He cares for us and gives us what we need. He cares so much he gave his life for us.)

Does that mean we will never be scared again and we will get everything we want? (No. It means Jesus is always there with us and he will give us what's best for us which is not always what we want.)

So when you feel scared, lost or confused pray and listen for His voice to guide you to safety!

Psalm 23—A reminder

The LORD is my shepherd.

I will always have everything I need.<sup>[a]</sup>

<sup>2</sup> He gives me green pastures to lie in.

He leads me by calm pools of water.

<sup>3</sup> He restores my strength.

He leads me on right paths<sup>[b]</sup> to show that he is good.

<sup>4</sup> Even if I walk through a valley as dark as the grave,<sup>[c]</sup>

I will not be afraid of any danger, because you are with me.

Your rod and staff<sup>[d]</sup> comfort me.

<sup>5</sup> You prepared a meal for me in front of my enemies.

You welcomed me as an honored guest.<sup>[e]</sup>

My cup is full and spilling over.

<sup>6</sup> Your goodness and mercy will be with me all my life,

and I will live in the LORD's house<sup>[f]</sup> a long, long time.<sup>[g]</sup>