



The best gift we can ever receive is our salvation! To explore how valuable this gift truly is, this holiday season, we'll spend 4 weeks unwrapping 4 names of Jesus!! Last year we explored Jesus as Messiah, Lord of Lords, and Immanuel. This year we're unwrapping Jesus being the **Light of the World**, the **Lion of Judah**, the **Prince of Peace**, and the **Good Shepherd**.

When we read about Jesus' birth, the shepherds are told about it *first*. This was not a prestigious job. It was one that took great care, devotion, & protection.

Jesus says with his own words that He is the **Good Shepherd**.

Jesus came not for royalty or the elite but for everyone who would humble themselves and recognize their need for Him.

And as a Good Shepherd, He knows **each** of us and willingly endured the cross on our behalf.

### WORSHIP

Have everyone choose an activity to do, then listen to songs that praise God for the gift of Jesus!

### DISCUSS

Look up the *Go Fish* song "It's About the Cross" and discuss the lyrics.

### EXPLORE

Go to:  
[onethingalone.com/advent-resources/](https://onethingalone.com/advent-resources/)  
for **two** different playlists!

### PLAY

Read John 10:11-14.  
Then play Sheep-Hide-n-Seek remembering that our Good Shepherd knows our every step and hiding place.

For each AKM Series, we select a memory verse we work on each Sunday.  
If you'd like to join us in working on it as a family, display this page to practice during the week.

*She will give birth  
to a son,  
and you are to name  
him Jesus,  
because he will save  
his people from their  
sins.*

*Matthew 1:21*

