

SUNDAY MORNING

12/14/14

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Votum and Salutation

Psalter 218:1, 5, 6

Reading of the Law of God

Scripture Reading: Isaiah 40:1-11

Prayer

Psalter 211

Sermon Text: Isaiah 40:11

The Gentle Shepherd is Coming!

1. The paradoxical promise

2. The clear revelation

3. The growing realization

Psalter 35:5, 6 (standing)

Reading of the second part
of the Lord's Supper form

Psalter 415:3, 4

Administration of
the Lord's Supper

Psalter 241:1-5

Closing Prayer

Psalter 52

Doxology of Praise (pg. 415)

Benediction

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1. How does this promise seem to contain a paradox?

2. In what three ways is the arm/hand of the Lord used?

3. How is Christ seen to be this Gentle Shepherd?

4. How is the Shepherd motif a picture of what we remember in the Lord's Supper?

5. What five things does the Gentle Shepherd do for His sheep? How should each of these things encourage God's people as they wait for His return?