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Use this resource at home to guide your household's daily devotions.



Pray: Light a candle and open your devotion time with a prayer.

Loving God, you see the dangers ahead long before we could imagine them. Keep our eyes trained on the path, following in your trustworthy footsteps, by the grace of your spirit. Amen.



Read: Read the key verse from Sunday's reading.

'The Lord is my shepherd, I shall not want. (Psalm 23:1)



Reflect: Reflect on the scripture summary.

Today's psalm is an expression of ultimate trust. We do not know what perils may lie ahead. But we do know our shepherd, who guides and protects us.



Psalm 23



Connect: Connect in conversation with others in your household.

What was a high point of your day? What was a low point?

"The Lord is my shepherd." What other images for God speak to you? (Rock, friend, parent, lifeline, breath) Why?

Wonder: What does God love about sheep? What does God love about you?



Bless: Close your devotion with a blessing.

May God guide and protect you in all that you do. Amen.



Do: By acting on what we learn, we make God's word come alive. Do the following activity this week.

Think of something you have been reluctant to turn over to God. (A relationship, a struggle, control) Make a decision every day this week to let God handle it without your help.



Go Deeper: Go to clergystuff.com/daily-devotions for devotions on the daily readings.

Sunday, Psalm 23
Monday, Psalm 11
Tuesday, Psalm 16
Wednesday, Psalm 46
Thursday, Psalm 52
Friday, Psalm 121
Saturday, Psalm 131