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THE MESSAGE OF 1 PETER

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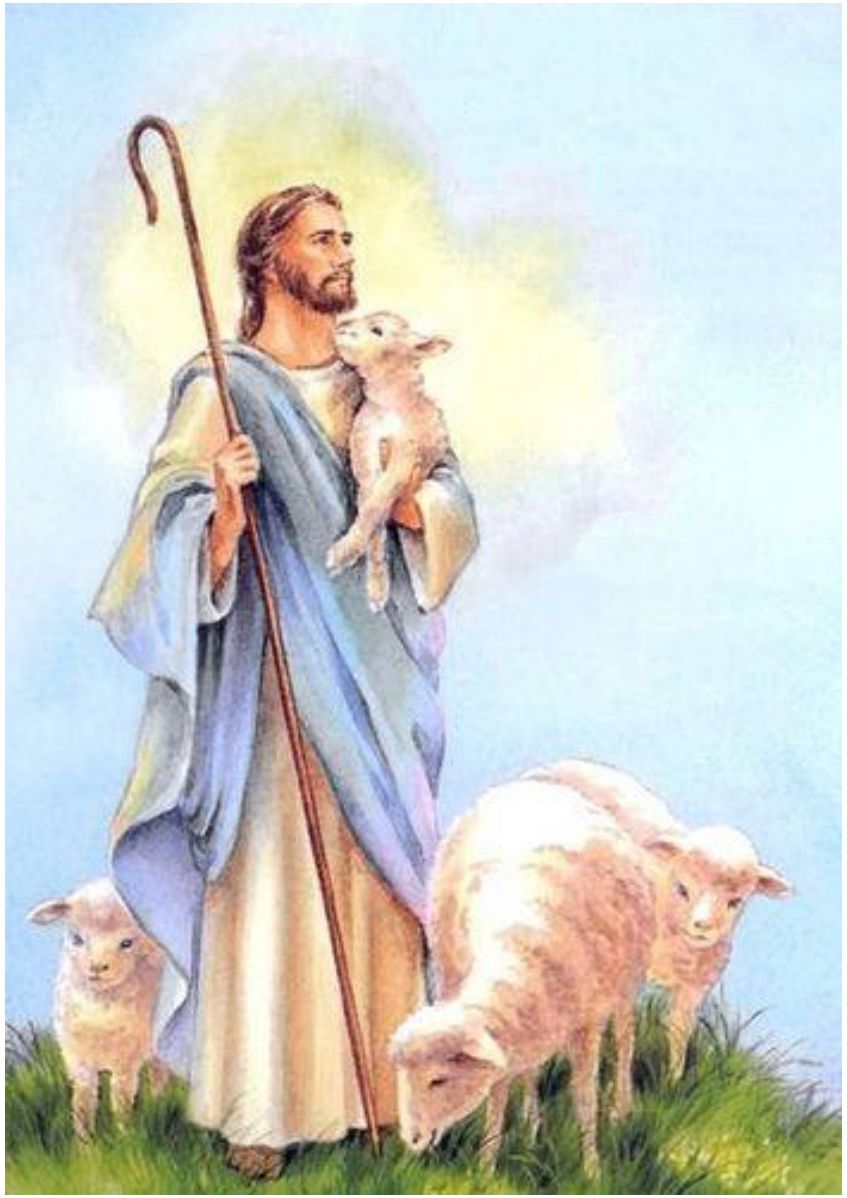
MISCONCEPTIONS ABOUT JESUS…..



1 Peter 5:1-4

To the elders among you, I appeal as a fellow elder and a witness of Christ's sufferings who also will share in the glory to be revealed: Be shepherds of God's flock that is under your care, watching over them—not because you must, but because you are willing, as God wants you to be; not pursuing dishonest gain, but eager to serve; not lording it over those entrusted to you, but being examples to the flock. And when the Chief Shepherd appears, you will receive the crown of glory that will never fade away.

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THINKING LIKE A SHEPHERD….

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It’s all about the sheep, not the shepherd.

WHAT DO THE SHEEP ***NEED?***

Paul warns early church leaders….

Acts 20:25-31

"Now I know that none of you among whom I have gone about preaching the kingdom will ever see me again. Therefore, I declare to you today that I am innocent of the blood of any of you. For I have not hesitated to proclaim to you the whole will of God.

Paul warns early church leaders….
Acts 20:25-31

"….. Keep watch over yourselves and all the flock of which the Holy Spirit has made you overseers. Be shepherds of the church of God, which he bought with his own blood. I know that after I leave, savage wolves will come in among you and will not spare the flock. Even from your own number men will arise and distort the truth in order to draw away disciples after them. So be on your guard!"

DIVINE DISRUPTION….

a time of reset, to reframe

What it means to be the Church

See previous messages on YouTube

DIVINE DISRUPTION….

1 Peter 4:16-17

"However, if you suffer as a Christian, do not be ashamed, but praise God that you bear that name. For it is time for judgment to begin with God’s household; and if it begins with us, what will the outcome be for those who do not obey the gospel of God?"

"The issue with some Christians today is that they have enough of God to feel comfortable but not enough to make their lifestyles uncomfortable…"

Mark 8:34 The Passion Translation (A Paraphrase Version)

"Jesus summoned the crowd, along with his disciples, and had them gather around. And he said to them: "If you truly want to follow me, you should at once completely disown your own life. And you must be willing to share my cross and experience it as your own, as you continually surrender to my ways."

Supersize Me….

The Message of 1 Peter 5:1-4– A Living Hope

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***NOT* spiritual junk food…..**

John 21 Peter's encounter with Jesus..

What's your ministry Peter….?

John 21 What's your ministry Peter….?

***POIMAINE x1** shepherd = care for*

***BOSKE x2** shepherd = feed, spiritually nourish by feeding people the word of God.*

CONCLUSION:

Acts 2:42-47

the priorities of the early church

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"THEY DEVOTED THEMSELVES"

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