

Sermon Notes Page
Soul Shift week #7 – Shift #6 – from Sheep to Shepherd
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Ezekiel 34:11-16

- Soul Shift Week #1 – Learning to transform our soul.
- Soul Shift Week #2 – Shift #1 – from Me to You – Mark 9:30-37
 - o We practice **Incarnational Hospitality**.
- Soul Shift Week #3 – Shift #2 – from Slave to Child – Mark 10:13-16
 - o We name the **Fears**: Fear of the Unknown, the Stranger, Appearing Ignorant, of Plopping, of Oppressive Systems.
- Soul Shift Week #4 – Shift #3 – From Unseen to Seen – John 9:1-12
 - o We name our **Gifts**: Artist, Healer, Educator, Neighbor, Connector, Activist.
- Soul Shift Week #5 – Shift #4 – From Consumer to Steward
 - o We practice **Whole Life Stewardship** – using our Prayers, Presence, Gifts, Service, and Witness for God: Matthew 6:27.
- Soul Shift #6 – Shift #5 – From Ask to Listen – Acts 10:23-33
 - o We practice **the Cornelius Posture** (vs. 24-25) – one of Humility, Expectation, and Obedience
- Soul Shift #7 – Shift #6 – Sheep to Shepherd
 - o When have you made mistakes?
 - o Ezekiel 34 is telling Israel about their mistakes.
 - o God names their leader as the Good Shepherd
 - o We become Shepherds when we use **Interrupting Hope** to overcome our fears (see week #3). Interrupting hope is using practices to interrupt our fear, so hope can pour in.
 - Transitional Objects: _____
 - See Gifts and Call Them Out: _____
 - Economy of Words: _____
 - Always Acknowledge: _____
 - Take Care of the 5 Feet in Front of You: _____