

Series Title: **Good News for your Soul**  
Message Title: **The Shame of the Shepherds**  
Scripture Source: **Luke 2:8-20**  
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The Shepherds 24/7 work schedule kept them from participating in \_\_\_\_\_  
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They weren't told to go to a palace or any place of prominence, Jesus had arrived in their world.

The message to the shepherds reflected the invitation for people to "come \_\_\_\_\_".

Jesus loves us enough, not only to meet us where we are,  
but also not to leave us where we are.

#### The Role of the Church in Discipling/Correcting

Matthew 18:15-17

1 Corinthians 5:6-13

"...not only was Jesus not born in a palace, but He was also not born in a \_\_\_\_\_..."

"Jesus loves the outcast, He loves the ones the world just loves to hate. And as long as there's a heaven,  
there'll be a failure to excommunicate"

- "Failure to Excommunicate", Relient K

#### The Progression of the Shepherds:

1. The Shepherds \_\_\_\_\_.
2. The Shepherds \_\_\_\_\_.
3. The Shepherds \_\_\_\_\_.