

More Than Hearing Worksheet

Episode: C Christ the King x2016

Text: Jeremiah 23:1-6

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter **the sheep of my pasture!** says the Lord. 2 Therefore thus says the Lord, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have **scattered my flock**, and have driven them away, and you have not **attended** to them. So I will **attend** to you for your evil doings, says the Lord. 3 Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and **they shall be fruitful and multiply**. 4 **I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them**, and **they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed**, nor shall any be missing, says the Lord. 5 The days are surely coming, says the Lord, when I will raise up for David **a righteous Branch**, and he shall reign as king and **deal wisely**, and shall execute justice and righteousness in the land. 6 In his days Judah will be saved and Israel **will live in safety**. And this is **the name** by which he will be called: “The Lord is our righteousness.”

Primary Expressed Intelligence - {MWD} People {D2} Nature

Word - I, Eye - S, Body - I, Nature - I/S, People - I, Self - S

Smarts	Images in the text/ interesting exegesis	Illustrations	SFX
Word - Verbal/Linguistic	attend/ attend to - play on words in Hebrew	The name of the new shepherd is a play on the name Zedekiah who was the last king of Judah.	
Eye - Visual/Spatial			Aerial view of sheep herding And Extreme LED sheep herding And * Sheep running amok in Spain > “What happened was the pastor’s fault because he fell asleep on the job”
Math - Logical/Mathematical	God’s retributive justice is meted out to		

	the shepherds, not the sheep: You have done thus; thus will I do to you.		
Body - Kinesthetic		<p>Playing tag in a big group is like a flock of sheep being stalked by a predator, only without the life-death consequences.</p> <p>You don't have to be faster than the wolf, just faster than at least one of your fellow sheep.</p> <p>See also People</p>	
Musical			
Natural	<p>Thus, to come into God's presence is a little like approaching a blast furnace. The blast furnace means us no harm, it is just hot. Hot enough, indeed, to burn away our impurities and prepare us for a new life. ~Fred Gaiser, WP</p> <p>God always provides the safe harbor.... ibid</p>	<p>Justice = great heat; a blast furnace, a forest fire, lava. Extraordinarily destructive but also useful if respected.</p> <p>Safe harbor - protected from wind and excessive wave motion; water is usually calm http://www.rogerystgallery.com/fine-art/ferenc-tulok/assets/large/safe-harbor.jpg</p> <p>The "righteous branch" or shoot from the stump https://www.loveyourlandscape.org/expert-advice/tree-care/insects-and-disease/dealing-with-tree-suckers/</p>	Return of the Chia Pet!!
People - Interpersonal	God's people are hurt and, if God is God, then the hurt caused by failed leadership produces a problem for God. ~Richard Nysse, WP	God's interest in this pain is like a parent who hurts for their children who are hurting. Remember a time when your own kids were ill or frustrated or struggling; it becomes your own pain	

		<p>because they are your kids.</p> <p>Have you ever felt safe because you were in a crowd? Was it the crowd that made it feel safe or that the crowd was in a safe place?</p>	
Self - Intrapersonal			<p>How would you describe the feeling of safety knowing that someone strong and wise is watching over you (perhaps as a child or a patient or some other situation)?</p>