Suggested Discussion Questions for 7/25/2021

Leadership Lecture, pt 2 (Acts 20:25-31)

- 1. What is something that you have largely forgotten and are grateful you have (at least a lot of the details are forgotten or you have to work to dig them up)?
- 2. How would you explain *the whole purpose (plan, will) of God* to a new believer? How do you see Ephesians 1:3-12 helping our understanding of this?
- 3. Why did it matter to Paul that he did not shrink back from declaring the whole purpose of God?
- 4. Why do you think people pick and choose what of God's word to believe and/or apply? How is this dangerous?
- 5. The message looked at four aspects of flock care (vigilance, stewardship, shepherding, protecting). Share at least one insight you gained and one challenge you received.
- 6. Is there a time when you received shepherding? What was the positive effect?
- 7. How do you find yourself most led or inspired to shepherd others in God's family?
- 8. When leaders slack in vigilance, what are the destructive effects?
- 9. Which of the 4 characteristics of wolves presented most resonates with you?
- 10. How would you go about spotting and dealing with a wolf in our church?
- 11. What in this study challenges you to change or progress in your walk with God?