

REJOICING IN A PANDEMIC

GETTING STARTED

What does it mean when Jesus tells Peter to feed His sheep? Who are the sheep? What is the food? And what are the qualifications of a shepherd? The answers to these questions remain critical for the church today.

READ THE TEXT: Habakkuk 3:17-19

17Though the fig tree should not blossom,
nor fruit be on the vines,
the produce of the olive fail
and the fields yield no food,
the flock be cut off from the fold
and there be no herd in the stalls,

18yet I will rejoice in the LORD;
I will take joy in the God of my salvation.

19GOD, the Lord, is my strength;
he makes my feet like the deer's;
he makes me tread on my high places.

UNDERSTAND THE TEXT

- 1. What was going on in Habakkuk's day? Why was there no crops and herds?
- 2. What was Habakkuk complaining about at the beginning of the book? What was God's answer?



APPLY THE TEXT

- 1. How can we be rejoicing right now?
- 2. How can we practically be reminding ourselves of these truths?

SHARE & PRAY

- 1. How the group can support each other right now?
- 2. What are ways in which we can help one another rejoice?
- 3. How the group can be living on mission right now
- 4. How can we show our faith to our neighbours in a responsible way?

