## THE FLOCK DOOMED TO SLAUGHTER

- I. The Exalted Will Be Humbled (11:1-3; 10:3)
- II. The Flock Rejects Their Good Shepherd (11:4-14)
  - A. The Two Staffs: Favor and Union (11:7, 10-11, 14)
  - B. The Wages: How Much Is a Good Shepherd Worth? (11:12-13; Exo 21:32)
- III. The Foolish Shepherd (11:15-17)
- IV. The Good Shepherd Rejected and Betrayed (John 10:11; Matthew 23; 27:1-10)

Reflection and Application Questions (for personal reflection and family conversation):

- 1. What is the overall message of Zechariah's living parable?
- 2. What was the result of God's people rejecting him as their shepherd?
- 3. How does this passage point forward to Christ, the good shepherd?