

SMALL GROUP DISCUSSION QUESTIONS

“Does Your Soul Need To Be Restored?”

First Presbyterian Church of Honolulu

The Week of March 30, 2014

Victor Marx (guest preacher)

MESSAGE FOR YOUR SMALL GROUP:

Support our high schoolers as they raise funds for their mission trip by participating in the April 27th Youth Missions Auction! Aside from attending the auction in the Fellowship Hall, you can help by donating auction items, like gift cards (to restaurants and stores), hotel stays, jewelry, catamaran rides, etc. Drop off donated items at the FPC Front Desk. Funds raised from the Auction will support the summer youth mission trip to an orphanage in Ensenada, Mexico.

READ PSALM 23

- 1) Why does this Psalm use the analogy of a shepherd caring for his sheep with the way the Lord cares for His people? How committed is the shepherd to his sheep?
- 2) How much do we trust God as our loving Shepherd?
- 3) According to John 8:44, how does the devil employ his tactics and tricks on Christians?
- 4) What is the difference between God CAUSING something to happen and God ALLOWING something to happen?
- 5) Do you believe that the Lord can redeem evil done to you? Have you experienced a time when He did? Briefly share that experience with your small group.
- 6) Going back to Psalm 23, how has the Good Shepherd restored your soul lately? Or do you need Him to restore you now?
- 7) What is your one take-away from this sermon?