

*S. Paul discovereth his back towards them
by his thanks, praying, praying, and with
their feet, and hath them, which he saith, the first
of his crosse, and the second, the first
patience.*

A Pilgrims Progress

A Journey through 1st & 2nd Peter

Grace in
our
Christ



Theme

Progressing through this
life into that life in the
face of adversity and
pressure.

Vital Link of Leadership

- A corporate journey requires corporate leadership.
- Elders – 2 aspects
- Appointed – Titus 1:5
- Delegated – developed and determined by appointed elders.

Shepherds provide

- 1. Governance & Guidance

- – vs.2

- 2. Leadership & Love

- – John 10:11-15

- 3. Protection & Provision

- “feed the flock”

- - Psalm 23

- - Ezekiel 34

A Good Shepherd...

- 1. Attitude – vs. 2
 - willingly - voluntarily
 - eagerly – cheerful readiness
- 2. Acceptance – vs. 3
 - “entrusted” – casting lots
- 3. Actions –examples
 - – 1 Tim. 3:7
- 4. Accolades – vs. 4

Stability in the Journey

- 1. Stay Submitted – vs. 5
- 2. Stay Humble – vs. 5
- 3. Stay Connected – vs. 7
- 4. Stay Sober – vs. 8
- 5. Stay Vigilant – vs. 8
- 6. Stay Steadfast – vs. 9
- 7. Stay Knowledgeable – vs. 9

The Bigger Picture

- God's Grace ...
- 1. Has CALLED you!
 - – vs. 10
- 2. Will CARE for you!
 - – vs. 5-7
- 3. Will COMPLETE you!
 - – vs. 10