



STEP UP TO THE PLATE

John 21:15-17

THE PRIVILEGE OF PROFESSION

- Addressing disciples
- Revelation and intent of the church

↳ Looks back at the promise

Matt. 16:15-20

Looks forward to the privilege → Acts 1:6-8; 9-16

Looks toward the responsibility

→ Eph. 1:7-12 ←

- Profession: Two dimensional

Do you love

Belief

Me?
Tend My

Occupation (Profession)

lambs?



THE PRESENCE OF GRACE

- At our low point
- When controlled by circumstances
- Can miss the presence of Christ



THE PROVISION OF HOPE

- Hope is found in common experience
- Hope is always pre-established (Eternal)
- Hope is confirmed



THE PRACTICE OF PURPOSE

- The Diversion
- The Decision



- The Decision

Jesus: Do you love Me more that *these*?

Peter: Yes Lord; You know that I love You!

Jesus: *TEND MY LAMBS*

Jesus: Do you love Me?

Peter: Yes Lord; You know that I love You!

Jesus: *SHEPHERD MY SHEEP*

Jesus: Do you love Me?

Peter: Lord You know all things. You know that I love You!

Jesus: *TEND MY SHEEP*



THE PRACTICE OF PURPOSE

- The Diversion
- The Decision
- The Death