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Singing: Psalm 45—CW page 83

Reading: Psalm 124

Opening Hymn: TLH 545

Reading: Hebrews 12:12-17

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Reading: Luke 17:1-10

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Sermon Text: Song Of Solomon 1:7

Rest At Noon

Prayer

The Apostles' Creed, TLH page 12

Holy Communion

The Lord's Prayer

The Blessing

Closing Hymn: TLH 428

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Bible Study: Lambs: Luke 5:27-32; Care About Everyone
              Sheep: Proverbs 3:27-35; Your Choice

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Rest At Noon

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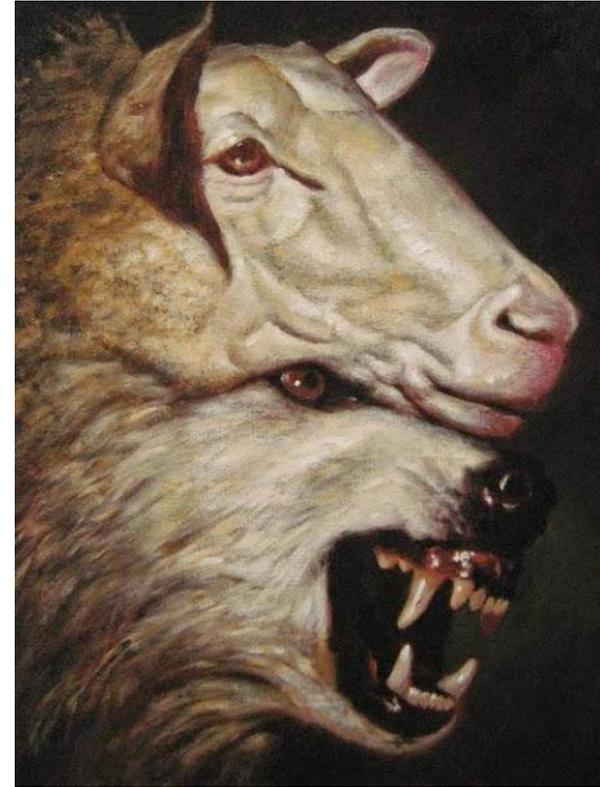
7: Tell me, O thou whom my soul loveth, where thou feedest, where thou makest thy flock to rest at noon: for why should I be as one that turneth aside by the flocks of thy companions?

Thy Companions

In the opening verses of Song of Solomon, we see the mention of three groups of people—all hostile to the Bride of Christ, and members of the enemy camp. First there are **the daughters of Jerusalem;** then come **my mother's children;** and now those who are called **thy companions.** Perhaps the *unholy trinity?*

False Prophet's Logo

That the Bride of Christ should be so viciously attacked so suddenly and so early in this book should not come as a surprise to us.   This is nothing new. Satan often strikes quickly.

The Serpent struck quickly in Eden. While Moses was on top of Mount Sinai talking with God, Aaron fashioned the molten golden calf. Herod sent his soldiers to destroy the young child Jesus shortly after he was born into this world. And immediately after his baptism, Jesus was tempted by the Devil in the wilderness.

So little wonder that Satan attacks the Bride in the very opening verses of Song of Solomon.   Again—some things change so little!