

No training. Little training. Poor training. This describes most shepherds in Story Churches where people learn by example, or by stories of examples.

In 15 days of training, **The Story Path for Shepherds** from Story Seminary of Think Again Ministries, lays the foundation for all shepherds and all followers of Jesus in a local Story Church, using only a knotted string.

They learn that Christ gives to every local church helpers who equip the followers of Jesus to do the work of ministry. Following Ephesians 4:11-12 these helpers are the messengers, the announcers, the harvesters and the nurturers.

In 15 days, these Shepherd Helpers learn how to equip the church for ministry. There are five parts to the Story Path for Shepherds.

1. The Nurturer Shepherds teach followers to tell their Spirit Stories.
2. The Harvester Shepherds teach the Good News Story on 10 Fingers.
3. The Messenger Shepherds teach the Big Story in 15 Bible Stories for all.
4. The Announcer Shepherds teach Family Stories from the last 22 Bible books.
5. Four Shepherd Helpers go teach the Shepherd Path to two more story churches.

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