

G O S P E L

A reading from the Gospel according to John 10:11-18

Jesus said,

“I am the Good Shepherd,
The Good Shepherd is even willing to die for the sheep.
A person who is only hired to watch the sheep,
And doesn't own them, runs away when a wolf comes,
And leaves the sheep to be snatched and scattered by the wolf.
A person like that is working only for money,
And doesn't really care about the sheep.

“But I am the Good Shepherd.
God knows me and I know God.
And in the same way,
I know my sheep and my sheep know me.
And I am willing to die for my sheep.

[“I have other sheep who aren't in this flock yet.
I must lead them too,
And they will listen to my voice.
Then there will be only one flock with one shepherd.”]

[“God loves me because I am willing to die for my sheep.
No one makes me give up my life;
I give it up freely.
I have the power to raise it up again.”]

The Gospel of the Lord.



The shepherd offers love to the sheep.



*God puts us first,
just like the
shepherd puts his
sheep first.*

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ABOUT IT

Today's Gospel talks about the relationship between a shepherd and his sheep. It shows that the shepherd loves his sheep very much, and is even willing to die for them.

What the Gospel is saying is that Jesus too loves us very much. All we need to do is follow His voice, just like the sheep follow the shepherd.

HE IS THE GOOD
SHEPHERD

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