

Communion Reflection

Whatever your cross, whatever your pain, there will always be sunshine after the rain.

Perhaps you may stumble, perhaps even fall, but God's always ready to answer your call.

He knows every heartache, he sees every tear, a word from His lips, can calm every fear.

Your sorrows may linger throughout the night, but suddenly vanish in dawn's early light.

The Saviour is waiting, somewhere above, to give you His grace and send you His love.

Whatever your cross, whatever your pain, God always sends rainbows, after the rain.

Reflection:-

*May the Lord fill you with consoling blessings,
to give you comfort in your sorrow,
to bring peace to your aching heart,
to hold your hand through the tears.
May his eternal love enfold all those
you hold dear and miss so very much
and give you hope in the blessings to come.
Amen.*



*The sky is still as blue, the grass is still as green,
the birds sing as sweetly, the flowers have not lost their fragrance.
It may not seem so at the moment but slowly it will.*

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and Goggins Hill.*

Annual Mass for the Bereaved



Reflection:-

Lord, may you support us all day long,
till the shadows lengthen and evening falls,
and the busy world is hushed,
and the fever of life is over and our work is done;
then in your mercy, Lord, grant us a safe lodging,
a holy rest and peace at the last.

**Sacred Heart Church
Ballyheada**

Saturday November 1st, 2025

Opening Hymn

Address of Welcome

Procession of Gifts

Liturgy of the Word:- First Reading:

A reading from the prophet Isaiah (25:6-9)

On this mountain,
the Lord of hosts will prepare for all peoples
a banquet of rich food.
On this mountain he will remove
the mourning veil covering all peoples,
and the shroud enwrapping all nations,
he will destroy Death for ever.
The Lord will wipe away
the tears from every cheek;
he will take away his people's shame
everywhere on earth,
for the Lord has said so.
That day, it will be said: See, this is our God
in whom we hoped for salvation;
the Lord is the one in whom we hoped.
We exult and we rejoice
that he has saved us.

The Word of the Lord *All: Thanks be to God*

Responsorial Psalm (Ps 26:1.4. 7-9.13-14)

(R) The Lord is my light and my help

The Lord is my light and my help;
whom shall I fear?
The Lord is the stronghold of my life;
before whom shall I shrink? (R)
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Second Reading:

A reading from the letter of St. Paul to the Romans (5:5-11)

Hope is not deceptive, because the love of God has been poured into our hearts by the Holy Spirit which has been given us. We were still helpless when at his appointed moment Christ died for sinful men. It is not easy to die even for a good man— though of course for someone really worthy, a man might be prepared to die - but what proves that God loves us is that Christ died for us while we were still sinners. Having died to make us righteous, is it likely that he would now fail to save us from God's anger? When we were reconciled to God by the death of his Son, we were still enemies; now that we have been reconciled, surely we may count on being saved by the life of his Son? Not merely because we have been reconciled but because we are filled with joyful trust in God, through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have already gained our reconciliation.



The Word of the Lord *All: Thanks be to God*

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, Alleluia....

Gospel: The Lord be with You. *All: And with your spirit.*

A reading from the holy Gospel according to Luke (7:11-17)

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

The Gospel of the Lord *All: Praise to you, Lord Jesus Christ.*

Prayers of the Faithful:-

Response is: Lord Remember us



Offertory Procession:-

Post Communion Reflection:- *Whatever your cross.....*

Final Blessing:-

The Lord be with you. R./ And with your spirit.

May almighty God bless us all, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit. **Amen.** Go in Peace. **Thanks be to God.**

