Gospel John 17:24-26

*I* want them to be with me where *I* am.

★ A reading from the holy Gospel according to John.

Jesus raised his eyes to heaven and said:

'Father,

I want those you have given me to be with me where I am, so that they may always see the glory you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world. Father, Righteous One, the world has not known you, but I have known you, and these have known that you have sent me. I have made your name known to them and will continue to make it known so that the love with which you loved me may be in them, and so that I may be in them.'

The Gospel of the Lord.