

A reading from the letter of St Paul to the Romans

I consider that the sufferings of this present time
are not worth comparing with the glory
that is to be revealed to us.

We know that in everything, God works for good
with those who love him, who are called
according to his purpose.

What then shall we say to this?

If God is for us, who is against us?

He who did not spare his own Son,

but gave him up for us all,

will he not also give us all things with him?

The Word of the Lord.