



For the Ride Home..... a Gospel Reflection for adults

What did you hear today in the Scriptures?

- The very familiar Gospel about the Prodigal Son was heard today. With whom do you identify within this story? Are there real-life folks like these we encountered that you know?
- How do you experience nourishing and sustaining you on your journey through life?
- Thinking about our nourishment in the Eucharist, how might God open your heart to more fully understand Christ's Real Presence?

Gospel Reflection for our young people

- Today we hear the story of the Prodigal Son. Jesus wanted us to understand that whatever we do wrong, we can always come back to our heavenly Father. If we ask God for forgiveness, we know that he will welcome us with open arms. How does this great love of God make you feel?
- Do you see the connection with the Sacrament of Reconciliation (confession) when we ask God to forgive us and help us to become more loving and caring? Like the son in the Gospel story, we are filled with happiness and joy when we make peace with God. Think about that special joy when you go to confession the next time.

