

“Comfort my people’ REFLECTIONS 2nd April

Pope Francis

Blessing of the world

part 2

Christ watches over us

While his disciples are quite naturally alarmed and desperate, Jesus stands in the stern, in the part of the boat that sinks first, he sleeps on soundly, trusting in the Father. When he wakes up, he turns to the disciples: “Why are you afraid? Have you no faith?” (v. 40).

See how they call on him: “Teacher, do you not care if we perish?” (v. 38). They think that Jesus is not interested in them. One of the things that hurts us and our families most when we hear it said is: “Do you not care about me?” It would have shaken Jesus too. (Despite this), he saves his disciples from their discouragement.

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