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A reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Romans

8:26-27

Brothers and sisters:
The Spirit comes to the aid of our weakness;
for we do not know how to pray as we ought,
but the Spirit himself intercedes with inexpressible groanings.
And the one who searches hearts
knows what is the intention of the Spirit,
because it intercedes for the holy ones
according to God's will.

The word of the Lord.