John 1:1-3; 10-11 (New International Version)

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God.

2He was with God in the beginning.

3 Through him all things were made; without him nothing was made that has been made.

10He was in the world, and though the world was made through him, the world did not recognize him.

11He came to that which was his own, but his own did not receive him.

Leader: This is the Word of God for the people of God.

People: Thanks be to God!