For those who are sad

Risen Christ,

Give them your comfort and support, your gifts of compassion and hope.

Help me to show empathy
even though I don't quite understand
the depth of their feelings in grief.

Inspire me to say the right words, and to do small acts of kindness to show them that I share their sorrow.

Good Shepherd, speak your words of peace to those who are sad, and renew their trust in your guiding hand in the valley of sorrow.

