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From the Catechism of the Catholic Church, paragraph 1340

"By celebrating the Last Supper with his apostles in the course of the Passover meal, Jesus gave the Jewish Passover its definitive meaning. Jesus' passing over to his Father by his death and Resurrection, the new Passover, is anticipated in the Supper and celebrated in the Eucharist, which fulfills the Jewish Passover and anticipates the final Passover of the Church in the glory of the kingdom."

Quote: It is there in His Eucharist that He says to me: "I thirst, thirst for your love, your sacrifices, your sufferings. I thirst for your happiness, for it was to save you that I came into the world, that I suffered and died on the Cross, and in order to console and strengthen you I left you the Eucharist. So you have there all My life, all My tenderness."

- *Mother Mary of Jesus, foundress of the Sisters of Marie Reparatrice*

Reflection: Do I recognize on the altar the life and tenderness of Jesus Christ, my Savior, who thirsts for my love, my sacrifices, my sufferings, my sacrifices, my happiness? Do I thirst for the happiness of the poor whom I serve?

Prayer: Lord Jesus, help me to see in the neighbors I serve their thirst for true love, for true and pure sacrifice, and for heavenly happiness. Help me to see you in each neighbor, that in serving them I may feel your thirst for my soul and for the souls of all of creation. We make this prayer through Christ our Lord.