



Reading Jeff's thought for the day took me back to an afternoon in Rachel's garden about 9 years ago where I found a crab spider resident in a foxglove flower. It captured a fly and was busily trying to pull it back into its hiding place when a bumble bee breezed in, drank the nectar and flew off with legs covered in pollen almost trampling the spider in the process. Without further ado the spider continued back into the flower with its prey. Nature red in tooth and claw and remarkably indifferent.



But Jesus reminds us that not a sparrow falls without our Father knowing. The Creator of all is not indifferent but has established a world where there is balance, change and development.

We are all intricately connected to each other, reliant upon the health of each community, however big or small the creature. The corona virus has revealed just how important our behaviour is – a perfectly harmless virus in bats or pangolins becomes a killer in us. And all because of the way human beings have treated another creature. Nature teaches us lessons all time, about ourselves and God.

