Deacon's Beacons

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Have this mind among yourselves, which is yours in Christ Jesus, who, though he was in the form of God, did not count equality with God a thing to be grasped, but emptied himself, by taking the form of a servant, being born in the likeness of men. And being found in human form, he humbled himself by becoming obedient to the point of death, even death on a cross. Philippians 2:5–8

This is probably drawn from an ancient hymn that was familiar to early Christians. The message is humility. That is something of which we need to be reminded all the time. Particularly as modern Americans, we can find humility elusive. Our culture does not value it. Our commercial environment looks down upon it. Yet it is exactly what we call called to live. People will find it strange that we choose to be humble. But if Jesus chose to do it, what other choice do we really have?

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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