

Deacon's Beacons

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(B)ut God shows his love for us in that while we were still sinners, Christ died for us.
Romans 5:8

One of the main themes of the Letter to the Romans is that we are undeservedly made righteous. We cannot earn that. God cannot forget about our sins without some penalty or retribution. That is the All-Just nature of God. But God is also All-Merciful. While demanding payment for our sins, God chooses to pay it Himself through the Incarnation of Jesus. In that way, the perfect Sacrifice is offered for our sins. As we prepare for the celebration of Christmas, we must always keep that in focus as the beginning of the journey to the Cross which is our Salvation.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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