

Deacon's Beacons

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“And whenever you stand praying, forgive, if you have anything against anyone, so that your Father also who is in heaven may forgive you your trespasses.” Mark 11:25

In order to seek forgiveness, we must first be willing to offer forgiveness. Otherwise, you will be asking for what you yourself refuse to grant. Mark's Gospel does not include the Our Father but these words are an integral part of that prayer as it appears in Matthew and Luke. Every time we pray that prayer, we must recognize that we are pledging to forgive so that we may be forgiven.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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