

Deacon's Beacons

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You have been told, O mortal, what is good,
and what the LORD requires of you:
Only to do justice and to love goodness,
and to walk humbly with your God. Micah 6:8

This is one of my most favorite Scripture passages. I actually used it for my invitations when I was ordained. All that we are called to do is summed up succinctly here. We are called to do what is right and just. We are called to love tenderly and compassionately and we are called to live a humble life. If we are doing those things, we will not be far from God. It transcends religious observances and places faith in the context of relationship. It can be very easy to follow religious directives but miss the people around us to whom we are supposed to minister. As St. James tells us, faith without works is dead.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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