

Deacon's Beacons

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Listen to your father who gave you life,
and do not despise your mother when she is old. Proverbs 23:22

Here is a reminder of what the commandment, "Honor your father and your mother" really means. We have adapted it to seem like listen to Mommy and Daddy. But this commandment was given to an adult population. And this Proverb is actually what it means. As our parents age, we, for whom they gave up their lives, are responsible for their care. Too many times that is not the case. Nursing homes are filled with people that families choose not to care for. Not every case is the same and not everyone is able to care for an aging loved one. But it seems that older people have become disposable. And that is a shame to say about any life.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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