

Deacon's Beacons

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For the LORD God is a sun and shield;
the LORD bestows favor and honor.
No good thing does he withhold
from those who walk uprightly. Psalm 84:11

There are times when I look at a passage and think that I would rather not reflect on that. But those are the times that I believe the Holy Spirit is calling me into something deeper. On the surface, it does not seem that God always gives us good things. Just look around at the damage, the destruction and the devastation brought by the pandemic. Those are not good things. But we must remember that only good can come from God. By His very nature, God does not will evil on anyone. That evil is brought upon us through the stain of sin. So it is true that God provides good things to us. To go a step further, one might ask why God does not do everything that we think is good. We cannot know that because we do not know the mind of God. We must trust that what God provides is for the best given His ability to know all things.

Go raibh síocháin Chríost a bheith in éineacht leat.

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