

A. a reading from Queen Elizabeth II

“But even with the inspiration of others, it’s understandable that we sometimes think the world’s problems are so big that we can do little to help. On our own, we cannot end wars or wipe out injustices, but the cumulative impact of thousands of small acts of goodness can be bigger than we imagine.”

B. Scripture Encouragement:

Matthew 5:16

In the same way, let your light shine before others, so that they may see your good works and give glory to your Father who is in Heaven.

The content of this verse centers on “good works.” Our good works is not ours but should mirror the life of Christ within us, that is

Is working through us. (Example: Showing loving kindness to everyone)

Prayer: God thank you for your loving mercy and grace. May you give us the strength to show love to one another through our actions, words, and deeds. May our love shown to each other be a reflection of the love you have for us all.

Amen.