



### **A Prayer for Unity**

Most High, Creator of All,  
give us grace and wisdom  
to work for civility and respect for all people  
so all Your children can worship and walk together, united in spirit.

Strengthen the resolve of those who reject violence, revenge and retaliation.  
Support those who prize the dignity of others as highly as their own.  
Give us wisdom to hold all creation sacred, precious, and worthy of our care.

Cause us to consider the price of conflict, prejudice, suspicion and fear;  
open our eyes to see the benefits of living as one diverse human family,  
recognizing the dignity of each person.

Renew in us the resolve to dedicate our energy  
to the work of building a just society for all people  
of every race, language and way of life.

Make us instruments of your Shalom.

Keep us united in spirit, mercy, hope, thanksgiving and harmony.  
Give us vision to build the culture of encounter, together.

May it be so.  
Amen.