

# Responding to “America at War” Mennonite Conversation and Prayer

## ORDER OF WORSHIP

### Gathering and Praising

Welcome		Steve Penner
Hymn	“Great is the Lord”	No. 87
Call to Prayerful Peacemaking		
Hymn	“We are people of God’s peace”	No. 407
Prayer of Confession		
Hymn	“O Lord, Hear My Prayer”	No. 348

### God Speaks to Us

#### Where there is hatred, let me sow love

Scripture	Matthew 5:43-48
Story	Gandhi
Response	“O Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace.”

#### Where there is injury, pardon

Scripture	Romans 12:14-21
Story	Current Congo Story by Pakisa Tshimika
Response	“O Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace.”

#### Where there is despair, hope

Scripture	Isaiah 61:1-3a
Story	Cora Weiss
Response	“O Lord, make me an instrument of Thy peace.”

#### Where there is darkness, light

Scripture	Matthew 5:3-12
Story	Christian Peace
Response	“O Lord, make

#### Where there is sadness, joy

Scripture	Psalm 133:1-3
Story	Tel-Aviv Peace R
Response	“O Lord, make

### Speaker

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### We Respond to God

Hymn “You called me, i

*You called me, Lord, my God m  
to build with you, O God, a fellc*

*No angels can perform the task  
a world in pain and stress, to wh  
But God chose human hands hi  
Lord, help me in this work, to d*

*Blessed are the faithful ones, th  
proclaiming to all justice, and li*

### Conversations and Prayerfu

Agriculture	Ted
Arts	Jani
Business/Economy	Pau
Cultural Diversity	Nat
Education	Mar
Faith Communities	Mer

## Lunch

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# Pray fo

## Closing Session

Hymn           *"O Healing River"*           No. 372  
Micah 4:1-4                                       No. 833  
Time of Prayer with sung response       No. 348

Sharing from Response Groups  
Hymn           *"Comfort, Comfort, O my people"*       No. 176

Sharing from Response Groups  
Prayer of St. Francis

Sharing from Response Groups  
Hymn           *"In Christ there is no East or West"*   No. 306  
Guided Prayer                                 Lynn Baker

O Lord,  
make me an instrum  
Where there is h  
Where there is ir  
Where there is d  
Where there is d  
Where there is s:

O divine Master,  
grant that I may not :  
to be consoled a:  
to be understood  
to be loved as to  
For it is in giving that we  
It is in pardoning that w  
It is in dying that we are

## Going Out as Peacemakers

Hymn           *"You are salt for the earth"*           No. 226  
Affirmation of Faith and Hope           No. 711

# Act for