through opening to that Grand Presence and allowing it to speak the language of love though me.

We are all one together. *Silence* 

*Chant* Ubi Caritas et amor, Ubi caritas Deus ibi est. (Where charity and love are found, God himself is there)

#### Meditation

Message Nicholas

Prayers Heather

Offertory I Believe Stephen Bennett.

*Conversation* Nicholas and Heather

### Hymn

This is my song O God of all the nations A song of peace for lands afar and mine This is my home the country where my heart is

Here are my hopes my dreams my holy shrine

But other hearts in other lands are beating With hopes and dreams as true and high as mine

My country's skies are bluer than the ocean And sunlight beams on cloverleaf and pine But other lands have sunlight too and clover And skies are everywhere as blue as mine O hear my song Thou God of all nations A song of peace for their land and for mine

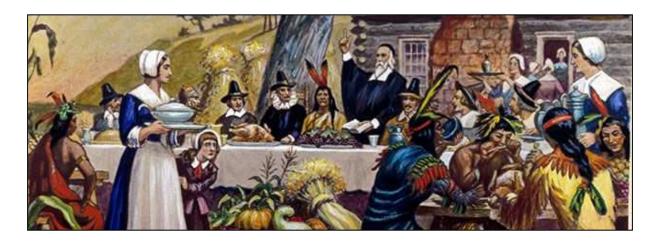
This is my prayer O Lord of all earth's kingdoms

Thy kingdom come on earth Thy will be done

Let Christ be lifted up till all shall serve Him And hearts united learn to live as one O hear my prayer Thou God of all nations Myself I give Thee let Thy will be done

Notices and Closing Remarks Nicholas

## Blessing Julie Paxton





### Introduction Hymn

Now thank we all our God with heart and hands and voices, who wondrous things has done, in whom his world rejoices; who from our mothers' arms has blessed us on our way with countless gifts of love, and still is ours today.

O may this bounteous God through all our life be near us, with ever joyful hearts and blessed peace to cheer us, to keep us in his grace, and guide us when perplexed, and free us from all ills of this world in the next.

All praise and thanks to God the Father now be given, the Son and Spirit blest, who reign in highest heaven the one eternal God, whom heaven and earth adore; for thus it was, is now, and shall be evermore.



# Affirmation

I am aware of myself.

I am aware of my mind, my thoughts and the way that I am thinking about the world.

I am aware of my body, the way that I feel: my emotions, my pain and my joy.

I am aware this space around me. Of my presence in this space, and the space's presence in me.

I am aware of those people around me, their needs, their presence, their ability to contribute to me, and my ability to contribute to them.

I respect our relationship and the perfection of being in this space at this time.

I am aware of being a part of one whole, alongside all those here with me, and all that is around me.

I am mindful of the Grand Presence that holds everything together, that gives us life and sustains all within its being.

I commit to making my contribution

Music: Tom and Julie Paxton, Heather Vesey and Tom Leddy