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## Let Peace Begin With Me

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As we come before you at this moment in the busy time in our lives, may we pause to reflect on what it means to live in unity with our neighbor.

May we love our neighbor as we love ourselves.

May we treat our neighbor as we want to be treated.

May we take a moment to speak to our neighbor with love and compassion.

May we offer grace and mercy when listening to them speak.

May we bring peace to our corner of the world

and with each offering of peace may be said,

“Let there be peace on earth and let it begin with me.”

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