

# Our Prayers for Peace

From the Prayer Pole  
during worship 10/8/2017  
at Trinity United Methodist Church



Let's pray:

**Lord God, Creator of us all, we pray for...**

- “Common sense gun control” - no more shootings
- President Trump to understand his role in promoting peace here and throughout the whole world
- our government leaders to have wisdom, courage, and willingness to do the right thing for our country and our world to foster peace instead of hate and destruction
- victims
  - hurricanes
  - Las Vegas
  - fires
  - earthquakes
  - drought
- the violence to stop
- us to be the change that we want to see in the world
- help in finding work
- countries to communicate and in this communication there will be common concerns that will generate worldwide action
- the people to have meaningful, kind, and peaceful dialogues for understanding others stories and fears and with compassion to look upon one another in love
- our young son who had a horrible allergic reaction following a bee sting
- people to make the effort to find truth and truth will move us to effective action and sacrifice

## **Lord God, Creator of us all, we pray for...**

- the families I serve with children with disabilities who experience difficult life circumstances
- world peace. We need Your peace.
- a family member
- the King of Peace, our Lord Jesus, to reign down on us Your love and grace and mercy. We know Your heart breaks over these senseless shootings over the whole world. Not just the United States.
- people to have clear eyes and full hearts so they might see and try to put an end to this brokenness. We need you God.
- Friends to find peace from their depression
- My granddaughter
- every man, woman, and child that we find a peaceful fulfilling purpose for our lives and that we all do our part to make the world a better place
- all the children of the world in all walks of life to have access to clean potable water, healthy food, shelter, safety, education, and health care
- ways to understand differences instead of fearing them
- our church, Trinity UMC and our Church, the United Methodist Church
- North Korea's leadership to have a change of heart to foster peace throughout the world instead of destruction
- myself to teach my children to love, respect, and honor everyone and themselves and be thankful for our differences
- all mankind to treat each other kindly and lovingly that there may be equality in all races, genders, sexual orientation and employment
- people who are hurt (especially my friend Tucker), and for broken families especially in war torn areas
- hearts of all people. God hasn't given us a spirit of fear but of power and loved a sound mind and be smart how to do it.