

the **Human** Becoming

A counter-intuitive journey to God.

This week, Jesus prays that we be one as He and the Father are one. What would an answer to that prayer look like? What kind of one-ness calls forth and sustains unity without forcing uniformity?

Word

“Holy Father,
protect them in your
name that you have
given me, so that
they may be one, as
we are one.”

Gospel Lectionary Text
Seventh Week of Easter
John 17:6-19

Made **Flesh**

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How have you heard this text taught or preached?

But I say...

How is this text good news for the most vulnerable in our communities, and for our most vulnerable selves?

Dwelling Among Us

Lord, make me an
instrument of your peace.
Where there is hatred,
let me sow love.
Where there is injury, pardon.
Where there is doubt, faith.
Where there is despair, hope.
Where there is darkness, light.
Where there is sadness, joy.

From the Prayer of St. Francis of Assisi



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Birth pangs are a signal of imminent new life. As systems of violence and sacrifice are torn down stone by stone, what is being called forth?

Word

Then Jesus asked him, "Do you see these great buildings? Not one stone will be left here upon another; all will be thrown down...For nation will rise against nation, and kingdom against kingdom; there will be earthquakes in various places; there will be famines. This is but the beginning of the birth pangs."

Gospel Lectionary Text
25th Week After Pentecost
Mark 13:1-9

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Crush this age-old darkness, O Christ, in the winepress of your everlasting light. Trample this old darkness and from it draw the wine of everlasting life. Upend all works of death. Make all things new. Make all things right. You have made all things well. You have made all things well. You have made all things well, O Christ! Amen!



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