

Seeking Shelter:

ADVENT 2012 ECUMENICAL RESOURCE FOR JUSTICE SEEKERS

New KAIROS Advent resource now available!

KAIROS' new Advent 2012 resource, 'Seeking Shelter: An ecumenical Advent justice journey', is now available in electronic format! The print format is coming shortly.

Inspired by Mary and Joseph's search for shelter, the resource is based on Las Posadas, a Central American and Mexican tradition in which actors playing Mary and Joseph walk through town searching for shelter, accompanied by local church members singing and carrying bright lanterns. Turned away again and again, they finally find householders who welcome them in. Today, that search for shelter is a reality for many in our world, whether the shelter people seek is fair wages, land rights, or clean water.

What is our response?



What's included in this resource?

- Scripts and simple instructions for movement that weave Las Posadas into worship and invite your faith community's children and choir into the liturgy
- Prayers, liturgical pieces, scripture commentary/homily notes, and suggested symbols for use in worship
- A justice focus for each Sunday:
Sunday 1 - Climate justice;

Sunday 2 - Women of Courage;
Sunday 3 - Migrant justice;
Sunday 4 - Peace in Bethlehem

As we move through each Sunday of Advent, we will offer extra resources and reflections online - including a photo slideshow for each Sunday. KAIROS hopes you and your faith community will also join in online, sharing your creative Advent ideas through our Facebook group and blog postings.

Our Advent journey through peace, hope, joy and love can carry us along on a search for justice and right relations. KAIROS invites you to an Advent search for that shelter in the spirit of Mary and Joseph's journey.

A blessing for speaking out

(A prayer for Sunday 2 - Women of Courage)

*May we leave the land of silence,
May we bring our truth to voice
May hope be ours in every step,
May healing flow in every word,
May others stand with us in grace,
May God grant us peace.*

—Keri Wehlander

\$10 - print copy (includes postage).

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