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LEADER: We light the Candle of Love remembering that love comes from God. Everyone who loves has been born of God and knows God.

God, the love you offer us is without condition
When we encounter hurt ...

PEOPLE: Love invites us to offer forgiveness.

LEADER: When we encounter injustice ...

PEOPLE: Love invites us to draw near to those suffering.



LEADER: When we encounter the lonely ...

PEOPLE: Love helps us to show hospitality.

LEADER: When we encounter the marginalized ...

PEOPLE: Love breaks down all barriers and prejudices.

LEADER: When we encounter the sick, the unemployed, the wounded, and the disheartened ...



PEOPLE: Love heals.

LEADER: Yes, Lord, for when we encounter each of these whom you dearly love, we encounter you. And when we give the gift of love to each one, you know us as your children. We love because you first loved us.

The candle of Love is lit.

Immanuel, God with us. Your love is unfailing, and we rejoice that nothing will be able to separate us from the love of God that is in Christ Jesus our Lord.



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