



Dear Sisters and Brothers at district conference,

The story of On Earth Peace and its ministries is the story of people.  
People addressing violence and injustice.  
People overcoming divisions and difference.  
People engaging youth in their communities.

People living out Christ's love.

Divisions and struggles afflict our church, our communities, and our world. Destructive conflict, suffering, and violence affect the lives of many people daily. It can be easy to lose hope, yet there is something that draws us together.

The bridge is Christ's love.

As we look back on the past year, we give thanks for the many bridges that have been built within the church and beyond through the skilled leadership of our volunteers, practitioners, and staff. We give thanks for the support and encouragement from so many congregations and individuals who entrust us with their support in this work.



An agency of the  
Church of the Brethren  
empowering people to  
discern the things  
that make for peace



We are joined in Christ's love.

The story of On Earth Peace is a story of people. These people include a deeply committed and spiritually grounded staff and board, and the many volunteers and contributors who lend a hand.

The story of On Earth Peace, we believe, is God's story, being told through our lives. To those who have been part of this story over the past year, we offer our thanks for your commitment, your participation, and your support. To those who have not been part of this story, we offer an invitation to join us in this holy adventure of reconciliation and building bridges.



Blessings and peace,

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