

Immigration Dialogue Day at Culver Palms UMC



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12:00 TO 2:00 P.M.

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IMMIGRATION DIALOGUE DAY

Welcome:	Margaret Lindgren	Closing Psalm/ Litany:	Jennifer Lim
Lunch:	12:00 pm to 12:30 pm		
Pastor's address:	Se Hee Han		We shall recite from Psalm 121, which is known as the "The Traveler's Psalm" and asks for God's help and protection on a journey. We say it as a prayer for the many immigrants in our nation who face barriers and trials in their lives.
Introduction of Speakers:	Jennifer Lim	Leader:	I lift up my eyes to the hills—from where will my help come?
Speaker:	Scott McVarish, Immigration Attorney Scott is the lead attorney of the Immigration Law Office of Los Angeles and serves on the board of directors for Clergy Laity United for Economic Justice (CLUE).	All:	My help comes from the Lord, who made heaven and earth.
Topic:	Overview of the immigration system, realities and barriers faced by the undocumented population, U visas for victims of crimes.	Leader:	God will not let your foot be moved.
Speaker:	Greg Simons, Immigrant Rights Advocate Greg has been an immigrant rights advocate for 20 years and joined the Coalition for Humane Immigrant Rights of Los Angeles (CHIRLA) in 1996.	All:	The Lord who keeps you will not slumber.
Topic:	The DREAM Act, effects of recent immigration law enforcement program known as Secured Communities, vision and programs by CHIRLA.	Leader:	God who keeps Israel will neither slumber nor sleep.
Video presentation	"Know Your Rights" by CHIRLA	All:	The Lord is your keeper.
Q & A Session	Speakers and audience.	Leader:	The Lord is your shade at your right hand.
		All:	The sun shall not strike you by day.
		Leader:	Nor the moon by night.
		All:	The Lord will keep you from all evil.
		Leader:	God will keep your life.
		All:	The Lord will keep you going out and your coming in from this time on and forevermore.