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### WELCOME DELEGATES

On behalf of the convention committee and the White River Buddhist Temple, we extend our welcome to delegates of the 72<sup>nd</sup> Annual Northwest Buddhist Convention. This year's theme "Compassion, Gratitude, Community" is the foundation of Jodo-Shinshu. It is our hope that these next few days will provide an atmosphere conducive to a better understanding of the Buddha.

We extend a warm welcome and appreciation to our community speakers and Northwest ministers who have graciously accepted our invitation to lead our sessions. A special thank you to our keynote speaker, Reverend Matthew Hamasaki, from the Buddhist Church of Sacramento and to Bishop Umezu for sharing his perspective from the BCA.

We hope the DoubleTree Suites and arrangements are adequate and comfortable and provide the best environment for inspiration, spiritual growth and enrichment of our daily lives.

In Gassho,



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