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Greetings!

On behalf of White River Buddhist Temple, we welcome you to the 72nd Annual Northwest District Buddhist Convention. We are excited that you are here and look forward to a weekend filled with learning, inspiration, and reconnecting, as we explore our theme of *Compassion, Gratitude, Community* through our incredible group of presenters and ministers.

Our goal for the weekend is to share the Dharma in a meaningful way through relevant, thought provoking workshops and keynotes. By remaining open to new ideas, we want you to continue to engage in dialogue long after this weekend is over.

We anticipate that you will find meaning and purpose in learning and in sharing the Dharma this weekend. So, be prepared to open your mind and hearts, engage in some meaningful conversation, and discover how we can all live a compassionate, grateful life by embracing the diverse community in which we live.

In Gassho,

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