A Listening Response
Images and metaphors that guide us

Drawing from the “Stories in Art from Iraqi Kurdistan” exhibition, which was initiated by the Mennonite Heritage Centre Gallery and brought together by Kathy Moorhead Thiessen of Christian Peacemaker Teams Iraqi Kurdistan. Photo by Krista Johnson Weicksel.
Photo of Carol Ann Weaver at the conclusion of “Earth Peace,” part of the Voices for Peace concert on June 9, 2016, held as part of the Global Mennonite Peacebuilding Conference and Festival, photo by Jen Konkle.
Brokenness

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Humility

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Imagination that offers hope

Complexity that calls for introspection

Challenges that demand our response

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