Is your God or my God the God of us All?

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“God stands in the congregation of the mighty; The Lord judges among the gods.”
(Psalm 82:1)

Rust college is a diverse faith community. “Better Together” is a newly formed interfaith student group. Our mission is to learn more about Christianity, Judaism, Islam, Hinduism, Buddhism, and those who declare no faith tradition. We embrace the blessing each faith brings to our campus life. May God continue to bless our diversity of faith.

Prayer: Lord of Hosts, Creator and Sustainer of all life, You sit high and look low. Yet You are the Most High God. How long will we hate one another because we are different? How long will the rich exploit the poor? How long will the East and the West fight for domination? How long must we rage and claim divine favoritism in religion and spirituality?

Open the floodgates of peace and justice in the earth. Set free the political captives around the world. Level the economic playing fields among all nations. Establish your economies of scale so that hunger and starvation ceases.

Restore unity and wholeness between males and females. Let all hierarchies collapse. Empower your people stand for justice for all. Glorify your name. Declare your sovereignty among the gods. You are the One God and we all bow down to you. All of us are your children. You are the final Prosecutor and Judge. We call you by many names, but you are the Great Holy and Mysterious One. Praise and honor and glory to your Holy Name. Amen.

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