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#### OPENING ODE

A goodly thing it is to meet  
In friendship's circle bright,  
Where nothing stains the pleasure sweet,  
Nor dims the radiant light.  
No unkind word our lips shall pass,  
Nor envy sour the mind.  
But each shall seek the common weal:  
The good of all mankind.

#### MARY STEWART COLLECT

Keep us O Lord from pettiness; let us be large in thought, in word and deed. Let us be done with faultfinding and leave off self-seeking. May we put away all pretence and meet each other face to face, without self-pity and without prejudice. May we never be hasty in judgment and always generous. Let us take time for all things; make us grow calm, serene, gentle. Teach us to put into action our better impulses, straight-forward and unafraid. Grant that we may realize that it is the little things that create differences; that in the big things of life we are one, and may we strive to touch, and know the great human heart common to us all. And O Lord God let us not forget to be kind.

#### INSTITUTE GRACE

We thank Thee Father, for thy care  
Food, friends and kindness we share  
May we forever mindful be  
Of Home and Country and of Thee.