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DECLARATION OF SANCTUARY

Salvadoran and Guatemalan refugees A We publicaly declare our participation in the ministry of the national sanctuary movement.

In this Declaration of Sanctuary _____ commits itself to:

1. Open our place of worship to Salvadoran and Guatemalan/refugees on an emergency and short term basis, in order to protect them from arrest, detention, or deportation;
2. Contribute to the on-going ministry of the national sanctuary movement and to the defense of those indicted and arrested;
5. Explore, if called upon, the possibility of providing longer term sanctuary for a refugee family;
4. Convey this declaration immediately to the Attorney General of the United States and to appropriate government and church officials.

We enter into this ministry because we believe that the U.S. policy and practice toward Central American refugees is illegal and immoral. We enter into this ministry because we believe that the U.S. policy in Central America has contributed to the persecution from which these refugees are fleeing. We enter into this ministry of the national sanctuary movement as an act of Christian discipleship and we pray for God's continued guidance.