Prayer for Migrants

For all those who see “home” and all it means

Disappear behind them;
For all those who cannot see a home
In the days ahead of them;
For all those who dwell in
Daily insecurity;
For all those who are weary and
Without a safe place to rest their heads;
For all families in migration we pray.

May the image of the Holy Family Fleeing oppression stay with us this week,

And stay with us each night as wear blessed

With returning to a home.
May we also be blessed
With compassion for those
Still weary, still seeking,
Still with so far to go.

Source: Jane Deren, Education for Justice, 2007