As a person of faith and a parent, I believe our nation should stand with families and keeping families together. This is especially true during difficult times of migration away from dangerous conditions in a home country. The recent Executive Order signed on June 20th, does nothing to reunite families already divided, and lacks specificity on how to continue detention without dividing families. These kids and parents have suffered enough trauma, and while laws should be enforced we can do so humanely and with compassion for families struggling to find refuge and peace. As the Apostle Paul writes in Romans 13:10 - *Love does no harm to a neighbor. Therefore love is the fulfillment of the law*. The recent raids on employers around Ohio and the nation are just as disruptive and disturbing as the self-imposed family crisis on the boarder. Regardless of cages or walls, healthy meals or inadequate rations, nothing can replace the love of a family member. We call on Congress to pass immigration reform that puts families first. (174 words)