## **MERRY CHRISTMAS!**

It's that quiet part of Christmas morning where just McCaffrey the MilleniaLab and I are up. I'm drinking coffee preparing myself to take McC out into the "Al Gore is fat" springlike day, and tie up last minute loose ends for the day ahead. And, in spite of all the personal and political stresses, I'm remembering how many gifts my lives includes.

This community is near the top of that list.

Thanks for all your voices, which make this place a warm, dynamic place. And thanks for all the other support you give emptywheel, in various ways.

Have a Merry Christmas today (or, if you don't celebrate Christmas, enjoy having the streets empty and quiet for the first day in weeks!).

And whatever you believe, let's all just keep working on the Peace on Earth part!