## Prayer

After Nicole Homer

God of planning. God of 2.5 children, of the perfect Christmas cards we never send. God of white dresses and white picket fences. God of every uncomfortable family reunion. God of pronouns. God of avoiding them. God of changing them. God of change. God of me proposing, but taking your name. God of balance, of losing balance, of finding it again. God of labels: wife, lesbian, nonbinary, gender, family values. God of family. Ours. God of ours. God of never stepping foot in a church. God of we are our own church. God of we are our own. God of our Christmas card, just the two of us, our only children the dogs. God of we are enough. God of let us gay up your fridge. God of let's stop trying to fit inside any box but this.