

Lenten Challenges

Personal:

- Reflect upon what your Christian tradition means to you and write a short diary entry about it.
- Create an image (for example, a picture, photo or work of art) which symbolises peace for you and share it in whatever way you feel is appropriate.
- Go and share your experience of God with one person.
- Speak to some people you trust about what gifts they recognise in you and explore how you might invest in them and use them for God.
- Explore ways to express the love of God to a neighbour.

Local:

- Visit the worship service of another Christian church in your local community and write a short diary entry on what you experience.
- Seek out projects in your area that are good examples of diverse groups coming together, and volunteer.
- Find a group or local activity that stretches your faith and service and learn a bit more by engaging with them.
- Discuss what collaborative initiatives the churches in your community could undertake to celebrate your shared faith in Jesus Christ. Go out with a group from your church and share the good news of God in your community.

Global:

- The world today faces growing tensions, conflict and actual warfare. What one thing could your church or group of churches commit to doing to challenge that reality?
- Organise an event celebrating the global unity of the churches with creation.
- Find something culturally distant and uncomfortable for you and engage and learn from it.