

1 March 2022

The Rt. Rev. Michael B. Curry, Presiding Bishop
The Rev. Gay Jennings, President of the House of Deputies
815 Second Avenue
New York, New York 10017

Dear Michael and Gay,

On behalf of the Presiding Officers' Working Group on Truth-Telling, Reckoning, and Healing, we present to you our Report and Resolutions. We believe we are offering the church ways to take significant steps in the long journey to racial justice and equity. As we state in the report, this is a long-term project that will extend beyond our lifetimes and beyond our current visions. We note that we are building on a great deal of good and faithful work around the church. We believe the proposed Episcopal Coalition for Racial Equity and Justice will help gather, coordinate and encourage all the existing energies and spirit into more impactful actions and transformation.

You will note that we are offering a limited number of resolutions. This is because we believe the Coalition will commend, encourage, organize, and fund many of the significant actions listed under the sections mirroring the four quadrants of Becoming the Beloved Community. Should the Coalition resolution fail, we are prepared to offer resolutions covering these areas.

In closing, every member of the Working Group, including ourselves, thanks you for the opportunity to serve our church and all its people in this manner. You assembled a magnificent team, blending "veterans" with younger talent. Our shared commitments to and visions of a more just and equitable church kept us focused and energized. We hope the fruit of labors will not only impact the church, but also help us to be more authentic witnesses to a divided and hurting society.

Faithfully yours.



The Rev. Canon John E. Kitagawa
Co-convenor



The Rt. Rev. Samuel S. Rodman
Co-convenor