

In our Biennium Reconciliation Initiative we quote National Bishop Susan Johnson:
"We now seek opportunities to listen, to learn, to repent, and to discover paths of healing."

At Assembly 2014 delegates responded to what they heard and learned at the Thursday and Friday Reconciliation and Right Relationship sessions by writing "Twitter Prayers."

For your reflection and prayer, here they are:

- God, bring us awareness, connection and right relationships.
- Help us start.
- God, compel us to do something now.
- Better understanding. Talking, feeling. Hoping, working our way to reconciliation.
- Guide us beyond our systemically created ignorance.
- Lord, unknown of what to do, we learn from you.
- Shame. "You stole our land." You pulled the rug out. We are deeply sorry.
- Open our minds, let us learn from history.
- Lord, bring healing so we may become whole.
- Lord, redeem our learning.
- Show us where to start.
- Angry that we didn't know.
- Learning through listening.
- Help us to educate ourselves to educate others.
- Sad, angry, excited, hopeful, changing, learning, listening.
- Scattered, knowing, unknowing, identity lost, identity found. Where do we go? How do we travel? What will we find? Shall we seek together?
- Learn history; say sorry.
- Let us own our history and learn to walk together with patience, empathy and honesty.
- Let us be part of the healing.
- Strangers unknown, even ourselves. Friends becoming, with God's help. Amen. Miigwetch.
- Friendship. Understanding. Discovering similar feelings and experiences.
- Listen together in a non-judgemental, caring community.
- Research local history and meet our neighbour.
- We pray for broken families and healed relationships.
- Help us to be open to educate and to act.
- I pray for strength for the broken communities to pursue healing.
- Grant us an overcoming of stereotypes.
- Hope, horror, shame, speechless, powerless, impotent, reality. Expressions.
- Parallel. Engagement. Equality. Unknown. Sharing. Dignity. Possibilities.
- Please, God, forgive us for our ignorance.
- Dear God, Creator. Use our tears to call us to loving action.
- Uncertainty. Beginning. What. How. Fear.
- Guide us – what do we do next?
- Recognizing where we've been and where we need to go.
- Confusion. Direction. Fear. Trepidation. New Connections. Ideas.
- I had no idea. Shocked. Touched. Confused.
- We have encountered, but not encountered intentionally.