

Resolution 10A:  
A Resolution to Begin the Work of Reparation in the Diocese of Virginia

Task Force Nomination Application

Thank you for your interest in serving on the Task Force for R10a. The Task Force, appointed by the Standing Committee and approved by the Bishop, is to be representative of the broad racial, ethnic, gender, age, economic, geographic, sexuality, and other areas of diversity within the Diocese of Virginia, and charged with a mandate to

*identify and propose means by which repair may begin for those areas of our structures, patterns, and common life by which Black, Indigenous, People of Color (BIPOC) within the original bounds of our diocese still carry the burden of theological, social, cultural, economic, and legal injustices, exclusions, and biases born out of white supremacy and the legacy of slavery.*

The righteous hunger for racial justice and healing that God has called the Diocese of Virginia toward will not be achieved in hurried symbolic efforts. Instead, it demands a commitment to Christian discipleship, discipline, honest communication, determination, and nothing less than Godly transformation. The entire diocesan family is invited to take part in this vital work. Among those appointed to serve, the skill and knowledge areas being sought are *Prayer and Spirituality; Education; Theology and Ethics; Finance and Investment; Legal Matters: Constitutions and Canons; Community Wisdom; History; Communication; Marketing, and the Arts.*

A Collect For the Human Family  
From the Book of Common Prayer

O God, you made us in your own image and redeemed us through Jesus your Son: Look with compassion on the whole human family; take away the arrogance and hatred which infect our hearts; break down the walls that separate us; unite us in bonds of love; and work through our struggle and confusion to accomplish your purposes on earth; that, in your good time, all nations and races may serve you in harmony around your heavenly throne; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

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**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**May we text you?   YES \_\_\_   NO\_\_\_**

**Church Home/Region:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Related Experience (Employment and/or Volunteer):**

**Why do you, or the person you are nominating, wish to serve on this Task Force?**

**Among the noted gifts/skills, what gifts/skills do you, or the person you are nominating, bring to this Task Force? What role or roles most energize you, or the person you are nominating, when considering service on the Task Force?**

**Why is diversity important for the work of this Task Force?**

**What wisdom, knowledge, experience, or perspective do you, or the person you are nominating, bring to the subject of reparations?**

**What anti-racism training have you, or the person you are nominating, received?**

**This work is long-term and ongoing. How do you, or the person you are nominating, envision service over the long-term?**

**What else would you like us to know, what else should we know about or hear from you, or the person you are nominating, regarding this work?**

**Nominated By**

Self-Nomination Yes \_\_\_\_

Name of Nominator: \_\_\_\_\_

**Required for clergy applicants**

Name of Regional Dean: \_\_\_\_\_

Letter of Recommendation from Regional Dean

YES \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_

**Required for lay applicants**

Name of Rector/Priest-in-Charge: \_\_\_\_\_

Letter of Recommendation from Rector/Priest in Church

YES \_\_\_\_ NO \_\_\_\_

Please email completed application to:

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