

Liturgy for New Worshipping Communities Day
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Prayer of Confession

Abba God—our father and mother,

You have called us to yourself, and yet like sheep, we wander away to do our own thing.

Come Holy Spirit—reorder our desire, so that you are who and what our soul longs for.

You have called us to each other, yet we let differences distance and divide us.

You have set a big table of welcome, yet we want to limit the invitations to our liking.

You have called us to love our neighbors, yet we don't really know them.

You have called us to make disciples and yet we don't want to go, to risk the awkward.

Set us free from the anxiety of being relevant and successful, that we may be committed to being faithful and responsive.

Amen.