

The Acts of Convention | 1973-2024

Resolution Number: 2022-A093

Title: Commend and Engage with The Episcopal Church-United

Methodist Church Dialogue

Legislative Action Taken: Concurred as Amended

Final Text:

Resolved, That the 80th General Convention commends the current version of "A Gift to the World, Co-Laborers for the Healing of Brokenness," which was prepared and distributed by The Episcopal Church-United Methodist Dialogue; and be it further

Resolved, That this Convention encourages all Episcopalians to utilize the many resources available to understand the substance of this dialogue and its goal of full communion. Resources can be found on the websites of The Episcopal Church (episcopalchurch.org), the Episcopal Diocesan Ecumenical and Interreligious Officers (edeio.org), and umc-tec.org, a website supporting full communion between the United Methodist Church and The Episcopal Church; and be it further

Resolved, That this Convention expresses its particular, prayerful support for the LGBTQIA+ communities among both the lay and clergy members of the United Methodist Church; and be it further

Resolved, That this Convention encourages and supports prayerful consideration by all Episcopalians during the coming triennium of this significant step forward in response to our Lord's fervent wish "that all may be one."

Citation: General Convention, Journal of the General Convention of...The Episcopal Church,

Baltimore, 2022 (New York: General Convention, 2023), pp. 455-456.