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Alabama	10/25/2011	The Rt. Rev. Henry N. Parsley, Jr.	8/13/2011	"We have had a Service of Repentance this past August on the Feast Day of Jonathan Daniels, for which I preached and celebrated with several hundred members of our diocese and others from the Central Gulf Coast.	Completed	"Our Race Relations Committee...has gathered stories from across the diocese describing realities of racism and of civil rights justice work...which will be published."	
Alaska	awaiting response						
Albany	awaiting response						
Arizona	6/7/2011	The Rt. Rev. Kirk Steven Smith	No Response		No Response		
Arkansas	awaiting response						
Atlanta	awaiting response						
Bethlehem	6/9/2011	The Rt. Rev. Paul V. Marshall	No Plans	"As far as implementation of a 'Day of Repentance and Service of Repentance' in our diocese, this has not occurred. Several of us attended the one held in Philadelphia a couple of years ago when the Presiding Bishop led the liturgy, but the Service has not been planned in our diocese as of yet. "	No Response		Yes
California	1/10/2012	The Rt. Rev. Marc H. Andrus	No Response		Planned	"We have engaged in research to look for evidence of the Diocese of California in the institution of slavery and will be making a final report this year to our Executive Council and Diocesan Convention."	No
Central Florida	awaiting response						
Central Gulf Coast	awaiting response						
Central New York	awaiting response						
Central Pennsylvania	awaiting response						
Chicago	8/30/2011	The Rt. Rev. Jeffrey D. Lee	No Response		Planned	"The Task Force is seeking a qualified person to conduct the research over a two-year period and to submit a written report."	
Colorado	awaiting response						
Connecticut	awaiting response						
Dallas	awaiting response						
Delaware	12/9/2011	The Rt. Rev. Wayne P. Wright	Service held 10/30/2010	"A...committee planned and carried out a 'Service of Repentance for Slavery in the Diocese of Delaware' on October 30, 2010...The attendance at the Cathedral Church of St. John was near over-flow levels."	Completed	"The [research] Committee reported their results at the 224th Delaware Diocesan Convention."	

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East Carolina	6/13/2011	The Rt. Rev. Clifton Daniel, III	Service held 02/5/2010	"Katrina Browne, producer of the film Traces of the Trade; A Tale of the Deep North, was keynote speaker and preacher for the Service of Repentance and Reconciliation at the February 2010 convention."	No Response		
East Tennessee	6/30/2011	The Rt. Rev. George Dibrell Young, III	[Service held 11/01/2008]	"We have held a Day of repentance & reconciliation"	No Response [Response listed one parish that conducted a study]		
Eastern Michigan	11/8/2011	The Rt. Rev. Todd Ousley	No Response		No Response		
Eastern Oregon	awaiting response						
Easton	awaiting response						
Eau Claire	awaiting response						
El Camino Real	awaiting response						
Florida	4/17/2012	The Rt. Rev. Samuel Johnson Howard	No Plans	"We do hope to set up a committee at some time in the near future to make sure that we have these things in place within the next three years."	No Plans		
Fond Du Lac	awaiting response						
Fort Worth	6/9/2011	The Rt. Rev. Wallis Ohl, Provisional Bishop	No Plans	"We do not anticipate scheduling a 'Day of Repentance and Service of Repentance.'"	No Response	"...the re-forming Episcopal Diocese of Fort Worth has not scheduled specific actions."	
Georgia	awaiting response						
Hawaii	awaiting response						
Idaho	awaiting response						
Indianapolis	awaiting response						
Iowa	awaiting response						
Kansas	awaiting response						
Kentucky	awaiting response						
Lexington	awaiting response						
Long Island	awaiting response						
Los Angeles	awaiting response						
Louisiana	awaiting response						
Maine	8/24/2011	The Rt. Rev. Stephen T. Lane	No Plans		No Response		

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Maryland	7/11/2011	The Rt. Rev. Eugene Taylor Sutton	Planned for 11/01/2014	"A Day of Service and Repentance is being planned for November 1, 2014 which is the day Maryland ended slavery in 1864."	Completed	"An extensive report was given to the 76th General Convention detailing research that was compiled by Mary Kline, archivist and the Rev. Kingsley Smith, historiographer."	
Massachusetts	awaiting response						
Michigan	awaiting response						
Milwaukee	awaiting response						
Minnesota	awaiting response						
Mississippi	5/18/2011	The Rt. Rev. Duncan M. Gray, III	Service held 05/21/2011	"Our liturgy of Repentance and Reconciliation is scheduled for the site of the old Trailways Bus Station and the Cathedral Saturday, May 21. This is in conjunction with our city and state's week long commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the Freedom Riders."	Completed	"We have...commissioned three historians to delve into our past to help us understand the relationship between the Episcopal Church in Mississippi, slavery and Jim Crowe. Their initial research was shared in presentations at our Diocesan Convention four years ago. They have since been published. Their work continues with grants."	
Missouri	awaiting response						
Montana	awaiting response						
Navajoland Area Mission	awaiting response						
Nebraska	awaiting response						
Nevada	awaiting response						
New Hampshire	awaiting response						
New Jersey	awaiting response						
New York	awaiting response						
Newark	awaiting response						
North Carolina	4/16/2012	The Rt. Rev. Michael B. Curry	Service held 1/21/2011	"The Rt. Rev. A.C. Chip Marble, Assisting Bishop of North Carolina, helped plan and lead the Day of Repentance and Service of Repentance at our Annual Convention in 2011."	Planned	"We continue through the Committee for Racial Justice and Reconciliation to address the historical and ongoing influence of racism in the lives of our congregations and individual congregants."	
North Dakota	awaiting response						
Northern California	awaiting response						
Northern Indiana	awaiting response						
Northern Michigan	awaiting response						
Northwest Texas	awaiting response						
Northwestern	awaiting response						
Ohio	awaiting response						

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Oklahoma	6/1/2011	The Rt. Rev. Dr. Edward J. Konieczny	No Plans	"There has not been a 'Day of Repentance and Service of Repentance' and it is not anticipated that one will be offered."	No Response		
Olympia	awaiting response						
Oregon	awaiting response						
Pennsylvania	awaiting response						
Pittsburgh	4/25/2012	The Rt. Rev. Kenneth L. Price, Jr.	No Plans	"The Diocese of Pittsburgh has not declared a Day of Repentance or held a service."	Planned	"Since our diocese did not separate from the Diocese of Pennsylvania until 1865, most of our focus will be on the experience of blacks in the post civil war period."	Yes
Puerto Rico	awaiting response						
Quincy	awaiting response						
Rhode Island	awaiting response						
Rio Grande	awaiting response						
Rochester	awaiting response						
San Diego	awaiting response						
San Joaquin	awaiting response						
South Carolina	awaiting response						
South Dakota	awaiting response						
Southeast Florida	awaiting response						
Southern Ohio	awaiting response						
Southern Virginia	awaiting response						
Southwest Florida	awaiting response						
Southwestern Virginia	awaiting response						
Spokane	awaiting response						
Springfield	awaiting response						
Tennessee	awaiting response						
Texas	awaiting response						
Upper South Carolina	awaiting response						
Utah	awaiting response						
Vermont	awaiting response						
Virginia	7/8/2012	The Rt. Rev. Shannon S. Johnston	Planned for 2013		Completed		
Washington	awaiting response						
West Missouri	awaiting response						
West Tennessee	awaiting response						

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West Texas	7/19/2011 and 4/13/2012	The Rt. Rev. Gary R. Lillibridge	No Plans		Planned	"The Diocesan Reconciliation Commission will...create a team to research the history of slavery in the diocese."	
West Virginia	awaiting response						
Western Kansas	awaiting response						
Western Louisiana	awaiting response						
Western Massachusetts	awaiting response						
Western Michigan	6/27/2011	The Rt. Rev. Robert R. Gepert	No Plans	"No."	No Response		
Western New York	awaiting response						
Western North Carolina	4/17/2012	The Rt. Rev. G. Porter Taylor	Service held 4/9/2011	"The Service also included a powerful litany of repentance and lamentation, an opportunity for people to go to bi-racial 'stations' for healing prayer and the Laying on of Hands, and other moving elements which seemed to speak deeply to those in attendance."	Completed	"A book by the Rev. S.F. James Abbott entitled <i>Unfinished Journey: A brief racial history of the Diocese of Western North Carolina</i> was distributed to each parish at the Diocesan Convention."	
Wyoming	awaiting response						