

## **Examination of conscience for a Church that is blessed, broken, and shared**

Do I accept and believe that I am a beloved child of God? Am I open to the power of God's love?

Do I always honor the sacred dignity of each person, no matter how broken they may be?

Do my attitudes and choices demonstrate respect for my own God-given dignity?

Do I love God, neighbor, and myself with my whole body, mind, and soul?

Am I willing to forgive those who have caused harm?

Am I respecting and protecting the sacredness of all human life, even while woundedness and division splinter our unity?

Am I merciful and generous to those who are broken by the injustices of poverty, division, violence, and prejudice?

Am I disturbed by the suffering of those impacted by the evils of war, discrimination, exclusion, and destruction? Do I love my neighbors and choose solidarity, advocacy, and action over my own comfort?

Am I impacted by the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor?

Am I acting for peace, healing, and justice?

Do I share of my gifts, time, and talent for the sake of the common good?

Do I share my power and privilege so that the brokenness in Church and society is healed?

Am I sharing my commitment to Christ with others through generous acts of love and witness?

Am I respecting that I share this planet with billions of people and species?

Do I share welcome with all who are seeking belonging, healing, and meaning in their lives? Do I give of myself to help build a holy Church and society? Do I promote unity and love?