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Love.



Have you sensed God's presence this week?

What does God's love mean to you (feel like) at the moment?

Who has shown you love recently?

Am I complaining about others more than I am complimenting them?

Where is Jesus challenging you to bring love?



Holy Spirit, you dwell within us and you teach us perfect love, which drives out all fear. Give us a spirit of courage, and make us bold enough to love one another without fear. Enable us to see that perfect love calls us to persevere in suffering and to trust beyond what is visible.

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Surrender.



What present habits do you need to surrender?

Are you finding truth-telling difficult?

Is there a behavior, attitude or ambition that keeps tripping you up?

What areas of your life have you seen Jesus at work recently?

What's currently colonizing your imagination?



Lord, help us to be foolish enough today
to stand for you,
foolish enough to trust you,
foolish enough to call upon you,
and foolish enough to wait upon you.
Amen

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Generosity.



What possession would you find it hard to part with, and why?

In what ways are you being generous to the extent that it hurts?

In what ways do you need to be more generous in your language and with who?

What recent stories of generosity have inspired you to act differently?

Is your generosity becoming a lifestyle or is it still a pastime?



Lord, we cup our hands to gather the pieces
of heaven you shower upon us.
Help us to open our hands with generous spirits
and scatter your divine love in the darkest places.

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Mission.



Where are you trying to work for justice and peace?

In what ways are you remembering the poor?

Where are you finding it hard to "do what Jesus would do?"

What is Jesus telling you about what to do and where to go at the moment?

What recent stories of mission have inspired you to change the way you live?



Help us, Lord, to do the one thing that is necessary:
to tend to the poor, to walk alongside the poor,
to find you among the poor, to declare ourselves
poor as long as anyone suffers need.
May we begin this journey with just one person today.
Amen

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