

Twin Towers United Methodist Church Statement of Reconciliation

Twin Towers United Methodist Church is a reconciling congregation affirming all persons without regard to race, gender, ethnic background, sexual orientation, national origin, age, physical or mental ability, marital status, economic condition, or anything that threatens to divide God's family. In our quest to follow the example of Christ, we commit ourselves to loving acts of invitation, welcome, and reconciliation, providing ministry to, for, and with all persons without exception.

As children of God, we are called to share in word and deed the divine love that casts out fear. Made in God's image, we are called to accept ourselves and our sexuality, which is a gift given by God, whatever our sexual orientation. We are called to follow the leading of the Holy Spirit urging us to enable all people to live with integrity, supported by love and God's grace.

We are all forgiven and reconciled children of God, drawn together by our Lord's command to love one another. We invite all to proclaim God's kingdom and to share in all aspects of the life of our

congregation: worship, education, stewardship, and service.

All this from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation. II Corinthians 5:18