

## A Word of Forgiveness

God, who is rich in mercy, loved us  
even when we were engaging in  
social media and online chatter  
seeped in death;

And God has made us alive in Christ,  
calling us to proclaim life abundant  
in all we say and do and post.



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In the name of + Jesus Christ  
your sins are forgiven.  
Almighty God strengthen  
you with power,  
clothe you in compassion,  
and walk with you in the way of peace,  
through the Holy Spirit,  
that Christ may live in your hearts and  
be shown in your presence. Amen.





## A Confession For Online Peacebuilding

We confess we are captive to sin,  
and cannot free ourselves.

We have sinned against you in thought, word,  
and deed by things we have posted, and  
things we have left unposted.

We have forgotten our call to love you, even  
in digital spaces, because you transcend time  
and space.



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We have forgotten our neighbors' humanity when engaging with them online, because they appear just as words or images on a screen.

We have given into our own desires to win an argument, to humiliate the other, to boost our own egos, rather than to listen to your call to love one another, to strive for justice, and to be peacemakers.





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For the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ,  
have mercy on us.

Remind us that we are called your disciples in  
all spaces and should seek to love and promote  
justice and peace among all your beloved  
children wherever we find ourselves engaging  
with the world, even online.

Forgive us, renew us, and lead us, so that we  
may delight in your will, and post in your  
ways, to the glory of your holy name. Amen.

