

WE BELIEVE in a church that supports the right of all persons to decide if, when, and under what circumstances to have a child, and to have the resources to raise children in healthy, safe, and supportive environments. We commit ourselves to work for societies free from structural and systemic barriers to reproductive and sexual health while simultaneously opposing policies that hinder progress towards building a just and compassionate world. To that end, we are compelled by our faith to an ongoing collaboration with both religious and secular organizations throughout the world that are leading the reproductive justice movement.

WE BELIEVE in a church that understands that one of the greatest gifts God has given us as humans is the freedom to live in dignity according to one's own beliefs and faith up to and including end-of-life care. For us, addressing terminal illness and death remains a profoundly spiritual question but modern medical technology has provided new information that opens the door for faith leaders to actively reconsider some previous held beliefs, including the possibility of embracing the concept of allowing death with dignity as the ultimate act of compassion.