

UNIQUE & UNITED A Prayer Resource For Racial Justice in the UK

PRAYER OF PETITION

Sometimes it can be difficult to know what to pray when it comes to racism in our society. We hope that these words can eventually guide your own prayers from the heart.

"First of all, then, I urge that supplications, prayers, intercessions, and thanksgivings be made for all people, for kings and all who are in high positions, that we may lead a peaceful and quiet life, godly and dignified in every way. This is good, and it is pleasing in the sight of Cod our Savior, who desires all people to be saved and to come to the knowledge of the truth." - 1 Timothy 2:1-4

Father, the people of this nation and everything in it belongs to you. You have put us here for Your Glory and purposes. In these times where people are turning against each other because of skin colour, we need strong leaders to help to be anti-racist. Father we need leaders with discerning hearts, who are wise and compassionate.

We know that good leaders come from You, so we ask that You would place godly and just people in influential positions. Raise up leaders who are "dignified and Godly in every way". Let those who will make policies and decisions on racial matters, with empathy, compassion, discernment and wise minds, do so in a way that will move this nation right direction. Let those who walk in the corridors of power be people who honour Your Holy Name.

God please let our leaders advocate for peace, love and unity. May the words they speak be edifying for our nation. May our leaders be supportive of one another and may the lies of the enemy be silenced so that we "may lead peaceful and quiet lives".

> In the powerful name of Jesus we pray, Amen!!!