Path of Discipleship LEARN YOUTH

Experiencing	Belonging	Searching	Owning
I know the basic stories of the Christian faith.	I can connect my own story to the story of God and God's people. I am starting to understand the salvation story.	I know and can reflect on the stories of God and God's people from multiple perspectives. I question how the story of God and God's people is part of my story.	I claim the Christian story of God and God's people as my own and can make it a part of my daily life. I can talk about the salvation story with others
I know that I am made in the image of God, Jesus loves me and that following Jesus means: Love God and Love my neighbor as myself	I am curious to hear from others in my community about what it means to believe in God, follow Jesus as Lord and Savior and be led by the Holy Spirit.	I question what it means to believe in God, to follow Jesus as Lord and Savior, and be led by the Holy Spirit.	My identity as made in the image of God and a follower of Jesus' way of love is a part of my daily life. I seek to be led by the Holy Spirit.
I have a growing awareness of the diversity of God's people.	I am increasingly aware of how my community's diversity draws us into stronger relationship with one another and with God. I begin to know what the beloved community looks like.	I struggle with my country's history with racial injustice and with whether my congregation reflects the beloved community.	I know that racial injustice is part of the United States and the Church and am committed to dismantling racism. I can teach others about racial injustice and God's invitation to become beloved community.
I experience Episcopal identity in community through the liturgical calendar, BCP, Christian music, and the Baptismal Covenant. I experience the language and beliefs of Episcopal tradition primarily through formation (e.g. youth group, camp, events) and worship.	I identify myself as an Episcopalian. I find my place of belonging in the language and beliefs of Episcopal tradition. I recognize that the Episcopal way values Scripture, reasoning, culture, and tradition.	I actively pursue questions of belief, meaning, and purpose within and outside the Episcopal tradition and its teachings. I can distinguish Episcopal identity from other Christian denominations.	I live my Episcopal identity grounded in the BCP, Christian music, creeds, and the Baptismal Covenant. I recognize that others practice Christianity in ways that are different than mine. I am able to share with others foundational beliefs of the Episcopal tradition.

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