

Wall Confession

Give everyone a "brick" of coloured paper. Invite everyone to think about the rituals they observe that might keep others on the outside. For example a gym might have an exclusive membership, or a church meeting on Sunday mornings might exclude a weekend/shift worker. Write these on the bricks and then place these together at the front as an act of confession using words such as:

For the times we use rituals to exclude others, forgive us.

Once the bricks have been piled up or a wall built at the front you could use the following prayer:

Forgive us and help us forgive others

Help us break down the walls that exclude others

Help us break down the walls of our fears

Help us as we seek to mend that which is broken in our community.

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