

LAMBETH 2022 TOOLKIT

Welcome to the Lambeth 2022 Toolkit. Inside you will find three resources to help you learn about Lambeth and explore what it means in your context and for the Anglican communion to be responsive to the needs of a 21st-century world.

Explore Lambeth includes links, videos and resources to frame the themes of the conference as well as some of the basic information about Lambeth's role as one of the instruments of unity within the Anglican Communion.

Bible Study – 1 Peter in 5 Sessions is based on the Bible study that the bishops participated in at Lambeth, which laid the foundation for the Lambeth Conference. You will find links to the study material and the Bible Expositions by the Archbishop of Canterbury.

Going Deeper provides resources around select calls including the calls themselves, plenary sessions and reading material to go deeper in your faith and mission.

We hope that these resources provide you with tools to discern God's vision of what it means to be Christ's church in the world witnessing and bringing the Good News of Christ.

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EXPLORE LAMBETH

1. Learn about Lambeth

Every bishop of the Anglican Communion is invited to the Lambeth Conference—which is convened by the Archbishop of Canterbury. The Lambeth Conference has met since 1867, happens once a decade and is a significant event in the life of the Anglican Communion. The conference explores church and world affairs. Outcomes of the conference shape the life of the Anglican Communion in the decade ahead. The Anglican Communion represents millions of Christians, churches and communities in more than 165 countries. As a significant part of the worldwide church, its global witness in sharing Good News and living out transformational hope is immense.

The Communion is organized into a series of provinces and extra-provincial areas. The provinces are subdivided into dioceses, and the dioceses into parishes—at the heart of their communities around the world. The provinces are autonomous and free to make their own decisions in their own ways—guided by recommendations from the four Instruments of unity: the Archbishop of Canterbury, the Lambeth Conference, the Primates' Meeting and the Anglican Consultative Council.

Watch: <https://www.lambethconference.org/about/what-is-the-lambeth-conference/>

Read about the instruments of unity: <https://www.anglicancommunion.org/structures/instruments-of-union.aspx>



2. **Consider the three phases**

In order to make the discussions and outcomes of the conference as fruitful as possible, this Lambeth Conference was supported by a pre- and post-event phase. The journey to the face-to-face conference started during 2021 when there were a number of pre-event virtual meetings for bishops to help them prepare for Lambeth. Meetings provided space for prayer, Bible study and engaging conference themes. The conference themes explored shared ministry experiences from around the world. Lambeth operated in three phases: Phase 1: Listening together (2021-2022): Bishops' conversations, Phase 2: Walking together (August 2022), Phase 3: Witnessing together (2022 and beyond).

Read more about the phases:

<https://www.lambethconference.org/programme/phases/>

3. **Join the Lambeth Conference Prayer Journey and videos on YouTube**

Continue with these links and videos to learn more about Lambeth and join with an international community as we pray for hope, justice and transformation in our world. Read written prayers or watch video prayer messages shared by Anglicans from around the world as together we pray with hope.

Follow the link for prayers and videos from around the communion: <https://www.lambethconference.org/resources/prayers/>

Download the pdf Prayer Guide: <https://www.lambethconference.org/wp-content/uploads/2022/05/Lambeth-Conference-Prayer-Guide-2022-ENG.pdf>

Explore the YouTube Lambeth playlist for full-length plenaries, Bible expositions and calls: https://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLUANff_8ldgNOV8zgXjxX2ozNa8nr53VZ

4. **Watch the first keynote**

God's Church for God's World: A 21st Century World needs a 21st Century Church

1st Keynote Address: The Archbishop of Canterbury

Watch: 3:54 – 58:29

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=WNF9Vns4_es

Read the keynote: <https://www.archbishopofcanterbury.org/speaking-writing/speeches/archbishop-canterbury-gives-first-keynote-address-lambeth-conference/>



5. **Watch the second keynote**

**God's Church for God's World: Living in the World as a Christian
2nd Keynote Address: The Archbishop of Canterbury**

Watch: 0:00 – 46:00

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ucVQiVMJfOU&list=PLUANff_8ldgNOV8zgXjxX2ozNa8nr53VZ&index=26

The Anglican Communion is present in 165 countries, with millions of Christians worldwide. The keynote addresses what it means to share the hope of the gospel in a challenging world.

How do we engage with our culture without being consumed by it?

Read the keynote: <https://www.lambethconference.org/the-archbishop-of-canterburys-second-keynote-address-at-the-lambeth-conference/>

6. **Watch the third keynote**

**God's Church for God's World: Going into the world and living out our mission
as the Anglican Communion
3rd Keynote Address: The Archbishop of Canterbury**

Watch: 11:38 – 54:06

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JIXND3YAMRE&list=PLUANff_8ldgNOV8zgXjxX2ozNa8nr53VZ&index=30

The Most Reverend Justin Welby –The Archbishop of Canterbury addresses the conference on the contemporary challenges and themes of our world in the context of theology and mission.

What does it mean for the Church to be good news today?

Read the keynote: <https://www.archbishopofcanterbury.org/speaking-writing/speeches/archbishop-canterbury-gives-final-keynote-address-lambeth-conference>

