

A STATEMENT FROM WORLD HORIZONS USA REGARDING RACIAL JUSTICE

As a body and an organization, we condemn violence against our black brothers and sisters. Our nation's long history of oppression of black Americans is inconsistent with the life of Jesus Christ who took the weight of injustice and provides freedom and life for all.

We cry not only for justice, but for Jesus's all-encompassing love to be known in our land. As just one part of an international movement, we are profoundly aware that racism, prejudice, and violence against minorities are not just American problems, but global pervasive sins against those who bear the image of God.

We actively participate in God's will being done on earth as it is in heaven. We stand as allies with black Americans and people of color globally.

From the beginning of World Horizons, we have aimed to love and serve all peoples equally. While we have a rich history of love and desire for equality, we recognize that more work is yet to be done. We repent from where we acted with prejudice, hypocrisy, and injustice when we failed to build an inclusive, multi-racial movement in the US.

We implore the Holy Spirit to empower all of us to work diligently and passionately in drawing people to the transformational love of Jesus Christ, in whom is the true hope for healing for all peoples.

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