

Suggested Questions/Imagine statements for COD

Do we claim to worship God while humiliating or excluding those who are other abled?

How will increasing the accessibility of our church's building and activities show love and concern?

How do we model Christ's call to include all persons in our worship and study experiences? We must not merely help. We must enable.

Does our church have a reputation for being committed to accessibility and welcome to a diverse population?

What changes can we make to serve all persons with dignity?

Imagine being denied access to worship because you require a service dog. (*therapy dogs don't count*)

Imagine coming to this worship space and being unable to manipulate the front doorknob.

Imagine wanting to participate in a Sunday School class or study but your wheelchair/walker/scooter can not navigate the steps to another floor.

Imagine extra speakers being added to help with audibility, but no consideration being made to the distorted sound they create.

Imagine a desire to participate in worship not being possible because the fonts of the printed material/on screens is not large enough.