

# A Prayer for Partnerships

God of all Creation,  
You have constantly poured out your Spirit upon our Diocese  
and kindled here a light which has spread throughout the world.

Lord Jesus, you gathered disciples to yourself  
to learn from you  
and to model their lives on you.  
Your Holy Spirit empowered them to continue your work in the world.  
Come upon us, Holy Spirit,  
deepen the faith you invite us to share  
and inspire us to become faithful witnesses.

As we begin to develop our partnerships,  
help each one of us to use the gifts you give us  
to nurture one another,  
to serve the world  
and to live in harmony with the whole of creation.

All of this we ask in the name of Our Lord Jesus Christ.  
Amen.