



Jesus prays that :

1. Father would glorify him (John 17:1-5)

2. That the Father would sanctify his Apostles in the Truth (John 17:6-19)

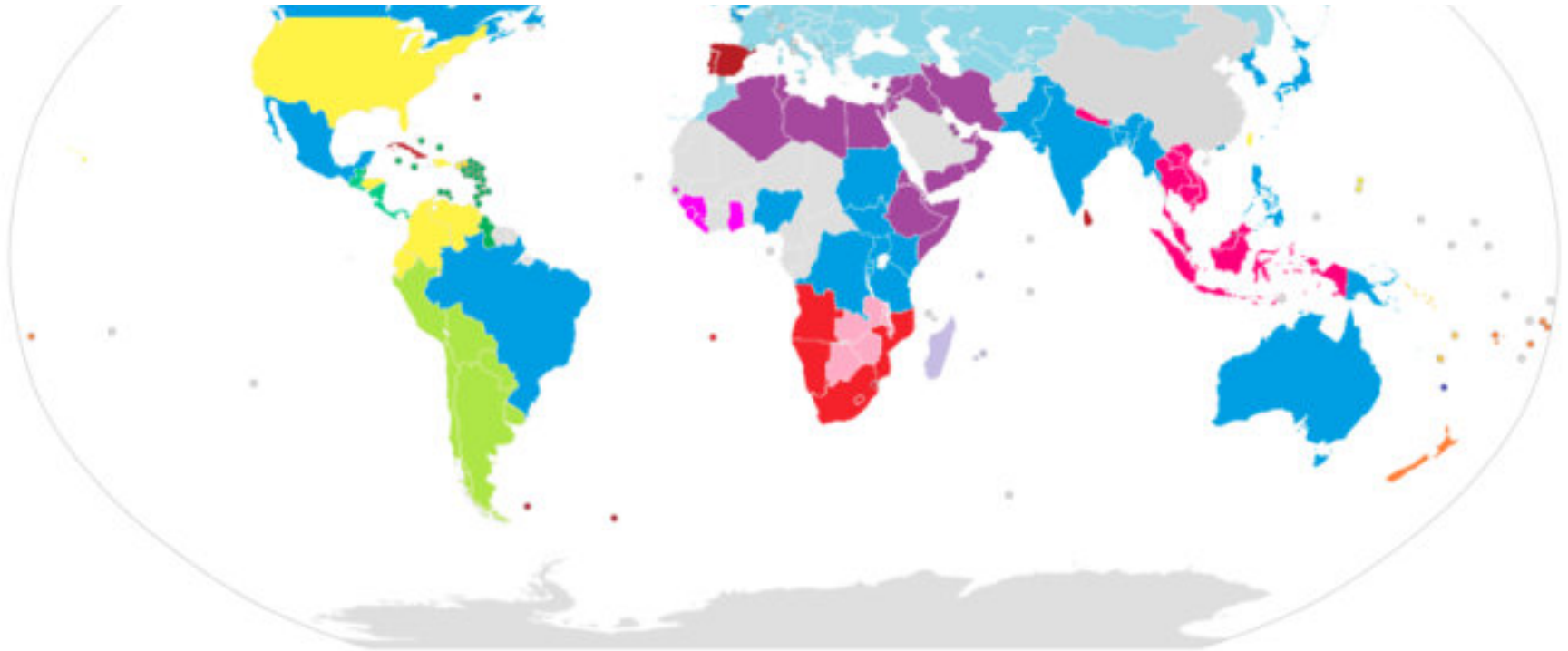
3. That his Church may be one, so that the world may believe (John 17:20-26).

Anglican Instruments of Unity

- Archbishop of Canterbury
- Primates Meeting
- Anglican Consultative Council (ACC)
- Lambeth Conference



Anglican Communion

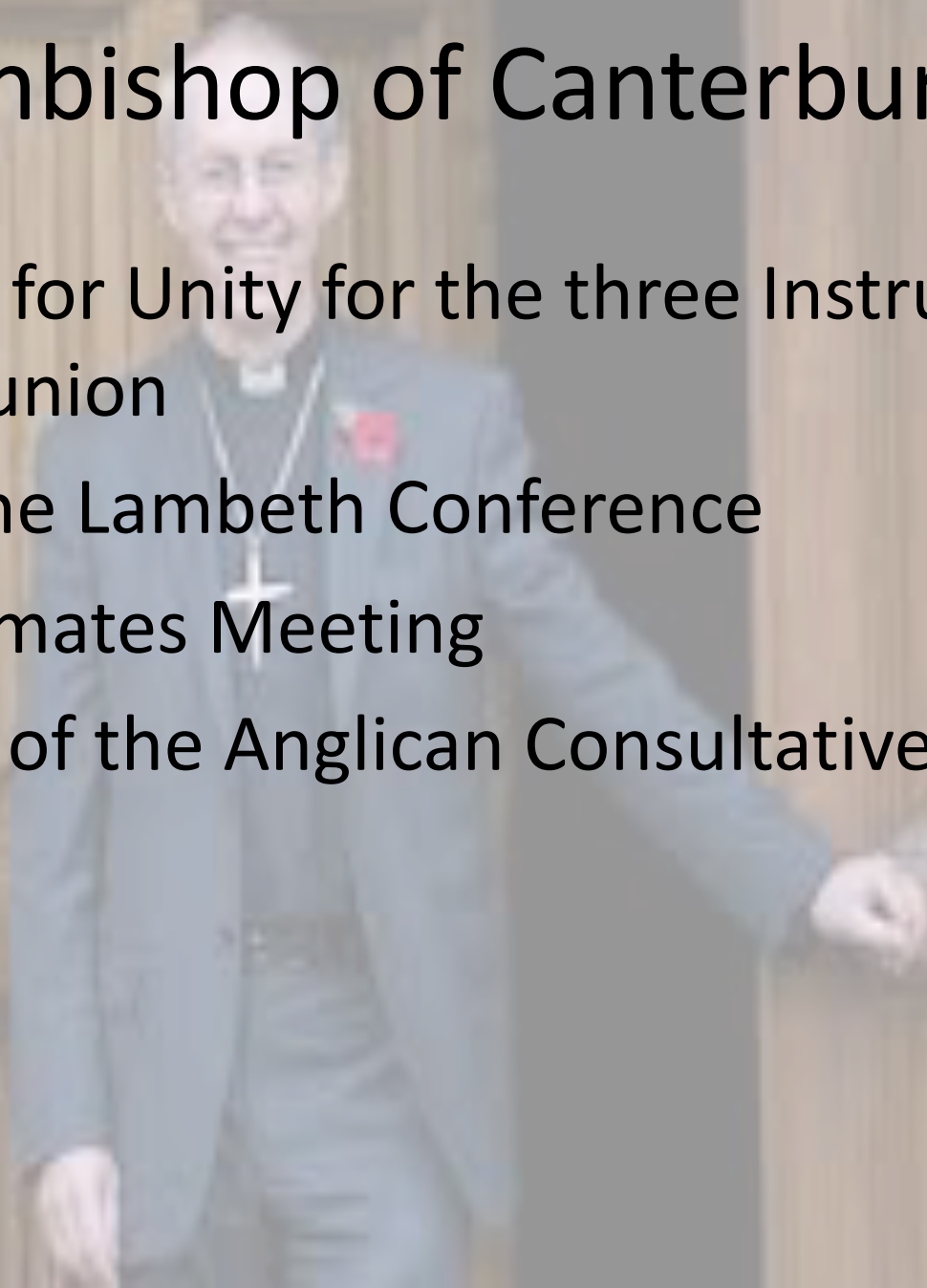


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| ■ Autonomous churches | ■ Episcopal Church in Jerusalem and the Middle East |
| ■ Episcopal Church of the United States | ■ Church of the Province of the Indian Ocean |
| ■ Church in the Province of the West Indies | ■ Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia |
| ■ Anglican Church in Central America | ■ Church of the Province of Melanesia |
| ■ Anglican Church of the Southern Cone of America | ■ Diocese in Europe of the Church of England |
| ■ Anglican Church of Southern Africa | ■ Extra-provincial to the Archbishop of Canterbury |
| ■ Church of the Province of Central Africa | ■ Church of the Province of South East Asia |
| ■ Church of the Province of West Africa | ■ No organized Anglican presence |

Note that the Church of Ireland serves both Northern Ireland and the Republic of Ireland, the Episcopal Church of the Sudan serves both Sudan and South Sudan and the Anglican Church of Korea serves South Korea and, theoretically, North Korea. Indian Anglicanism

Archbishop of Canterbury

- The focus for Unity for the three Instruments of Communion
- He calls the Lambeth Conference
- Chairs Primates Meeting
- President of the Anglican Consultative Council



Primates Meeting

- Established in 1978 as an opportunity for “leisurely thought, prayer and deep consultation” and has met regularly since.
- The importance of these meetings has increase markedly since 2003.
- In their January 2016 meeting the primates agreed to sanction the Episcopal Church USA

Lambeth Conference

- All bishops in Anglican Communion meet every 10 years
- Serves a collaborative and consultative function and not a governing body because the Anglican Communion is an international association of autonomous national and regional churches.
- Expresses "the mind of the communion" on issues of the day.
- First met in 1867 because of Canadian request.

Anglican Consultative Council

Consists of Lay People, Clergy and Bishops from each of the 37 provinces.

- Facilitates the co-operative work of the churches of the Anglican communion
- Exchanges information between the Provinces and churches.
- Advises on the organisation of the Communion
- Develops common policies with respect to the world mission of the Church

GAFCON 2008 Jerusalem

A movement for unity begins



Jerusalem Declaration

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The image shows the interior of a church during a service. The view is from the back of the sanctuary, looking down a central aisle covered with a red carpet. On either side of the aisle are rows of dark wood pews filled with people of various ages, all facing towards the front of the church. The church has a high, vaulted ceiling with a series of wooden ribs. Several large, modern chandeliers with multiple lights hang from the ceiling. At the far end of the church, a large, bright, arched window illuminates the altar area. The overall atmosphere is bright and formal.

2009

St. John's joins ANiC



2009

GAFCON and Fellowship of Confessing Anglicans representing **35 million** active Anglicans around the world, give formal recognition to ACNA and its orders, welcoming it as a full partner province.

GAFCON 2013 Nairobi

Deepening commitment to God's mission





Nairobi Communique

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The sheer grace of God in setting us free from sin through the cross of Christ leads us into the enjoyment of our forgiveness and the desire to lead a holy life.

We therefore commit ourselves and call on our brothers and sisters throughout the Communion to join in rediscovering the power of the gospel and seeking boldness from the Holy Spirit to proclaim it with renewed vigour.

First Priority: Make Disciples

... our movement must be committed to —

- **Evangelising** areas of our world where clear gospel witness has become obscured or lost and bringing the gospel to unreached peoples.

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- **Supporting** genuine gospel initiatives, recognising that there are times when the maintenance of structures can constrain the proclamation of the gospel.

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Guarding the gospel. We shall continue publicly to expose any false gospel that is not consistent with apostolic teaching and clearly to articulate the gospel in the church and in the world.

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Second Priority: Deepen Discipleship

- . There are many pressures on Christians today which require a degree of maturity in order to withstand them. These include **aggressive secularism... militant Islamism...** and **seductive syncretism** which introduces supposedly alternative approaches to God and thereby denies the uniqueness of Christ.
- Suffering for the Gospel-standing with those who do

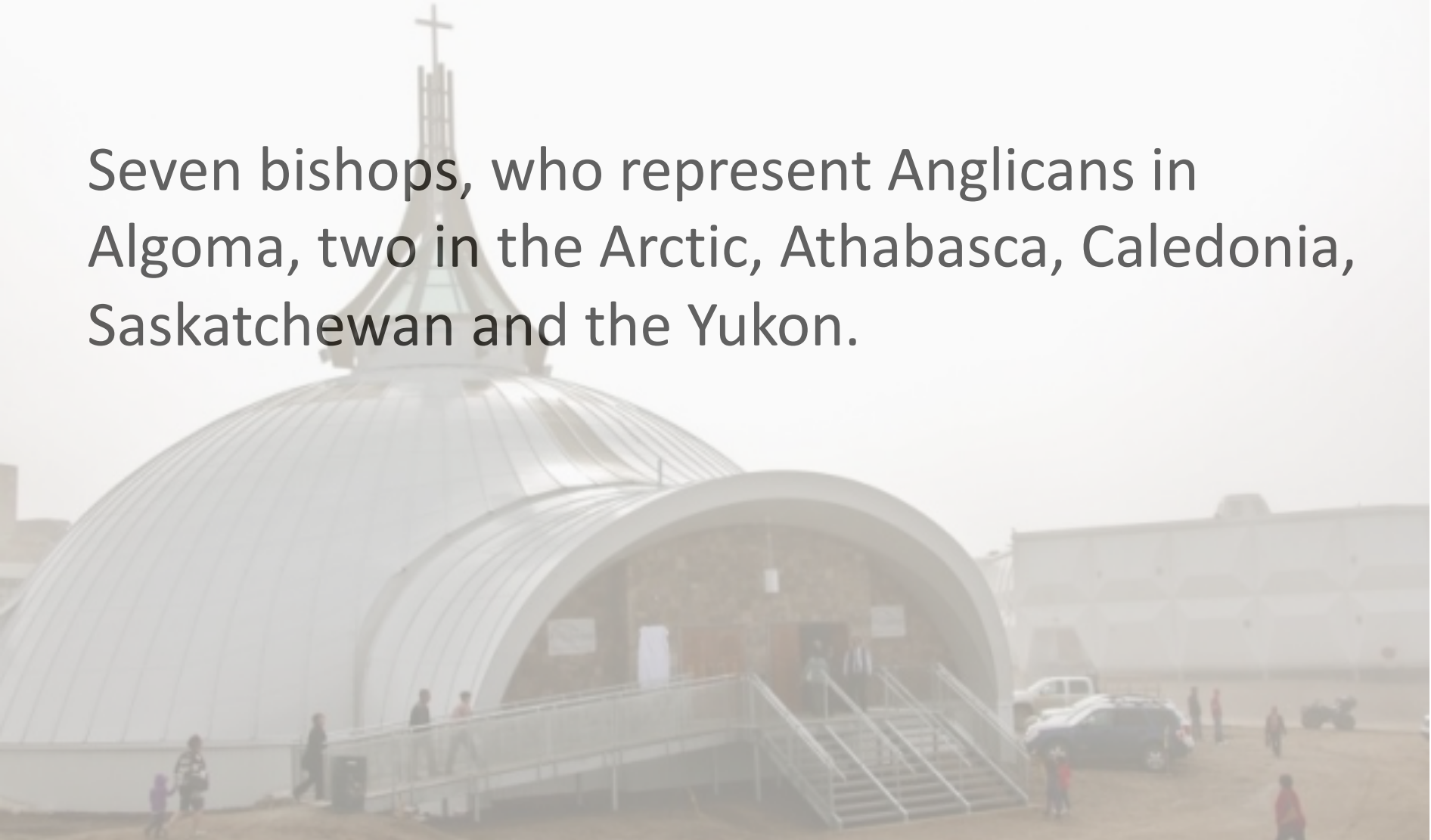
Third Priority: Gospel Transformation

- We must witness to the transforming effect of the gospel in working for the transformation of society, so that the values of the eternal Kingdom can be seen here and now. We therefore believe that it is right to engage in the public arena with gentleness and respect

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Canadian Orthodox Anglican Bishops Oppose ACoC Same-Sex Marriage

Seven bishops, who represent Anglicans in Algoma, two in the Arctic, Athabasca, Caledonia, Saskatchewan and the Yukon.



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GAFCON 2018 Jerusalem

