## A message from the Bishops of Southwark.

The Bishops of Southwark ask all young people to remember that Lord Jesus commanded us to '*love one another*.' (*Jn* 15:12) *and to* make a stand against racism.

"Dear young friends, we want you to use your passion for justice to make a difference to your schools and parishes, your neighbourhoods and communities. Make them places where the gifts and skills, the experience and heritage, of all people, of every background, are honoured, valued, cherished and celebrated. There is no place for racism. Let us work side by side to make it part of our history, not part of our present or of our future together."

Here is a prayer for you to say with your family.

Dear God,

We ask for your help that we might use our passion for justice to make a difference to our schools and parishes, neighbourhoods and communities.

Help us to make them places where the gifts and skills, the experience and heritage, of all people, of every background, are honoured, valued, cherished and celebrated.

Help us as we work side by side to make racism part of our history, not part of our present or of our future together.

Amen



