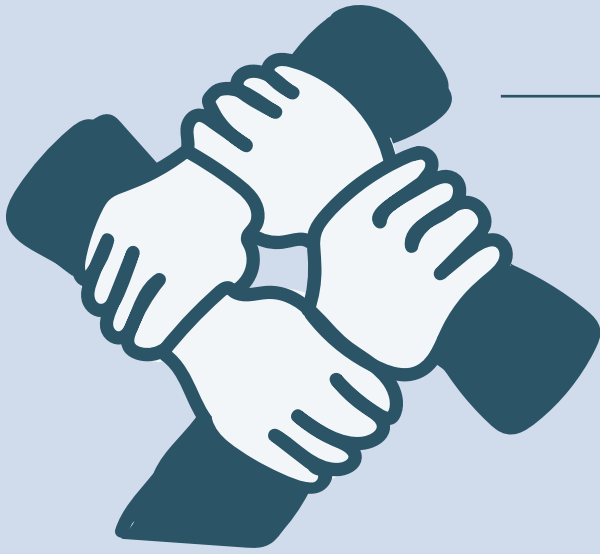


# FREEDOM & JUSTICE

The world's marginalized and oppressed call out to the global church of Christ.



Freedom and justice is an integral part of the 'whole' gospel

## The Whole Gospel for the Whole World



### Slavery and Human Trafficking

There are **40.3** million victims of human trafficking around the world.

### Sexual Violence

**35%** of women worldwide have experienced relational violence.



### Poverty

736 million people live in extreme poverty making less than **\$1.90** a day.



### Racial & Caste Discrimination

Caste discrimination affects about **260** million people worldwide.



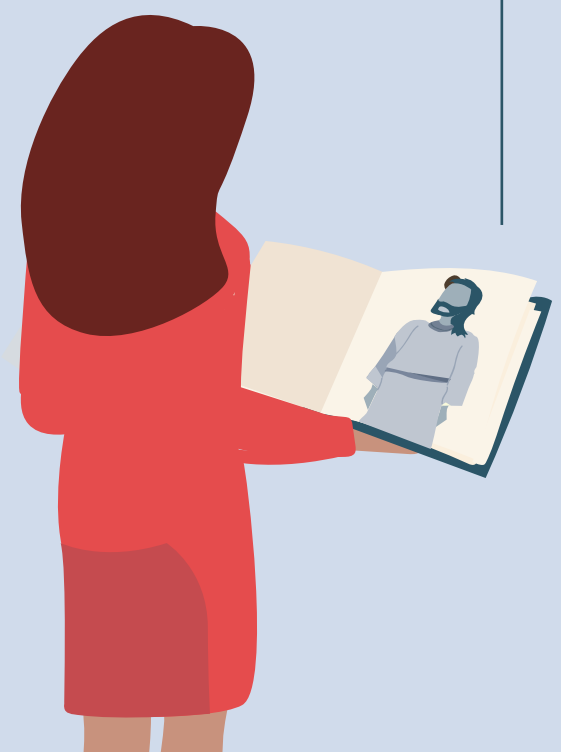
### Religious Persecution

**215** million Christians now experience high to extreme levels of persecution.



### Reflect Christ's Heart

Love for our neighbours demands that we respond to all people out of the heart of the whole gospel, in obedience to Christ's command and following Christ's example to uphold the cause of the oppressed.



## CALLS TO ACTION

### Fight Injustice

Advocate for the poor and vulnerable. Let us rise up as the church worldwide to fight the evil.

### Speak Out

We call on churches to speak and act prophetically to ultimately 'set the prisoners free'.

### Bring Hope

Amplify the voices of the oppressed. Show us the new society that Jesus promised.



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## Building the peace of Christ in our divided and broken world Part II B.

Let us rise up as the Church worldwide to fight the evil of human trafficking, and to speak and act prophetically to 'set the prisoners free'. This must include addressing the social, economic and political factors that feed the trade. The world's slaves call out to the global Church of Christ, 'Free our children. Free our women. Be our voice. Show us the new society that Jesus promised.' The Cape Town Commitment II-B-3, I-7-C