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The Presbyterian Inter-Racial Dialogue is a group of churches dedicated to fostering the development of institutional anti-racism culture as an active viable witness of Christian love.

It is the goal of PIRD to analyze and identify racist elements in its member churches and other organizations with which it is associated to bring about the dismantling of elements that perpetuate racism and restrict access to opportunities and resources to People of Color. To break down barriers that stand between us as People of Color and White People, PIRD is committed to cultivate opportunities and take actions that transform and refine our institutions.

We agree to share the knowledge and experiences that enable us to know, understand and love one another as we work together to meet this goal. The Presbyterian Inter-Racial Dialogue engages in this work out of our loyalty to the Lord Jesus Christ and in our common ecclesiastical tradition.