Table Grace creates space for life-givingtransformational conversations, story-sharing,and resourcing. Participants in Table GracePartner Conversations will clarify where theyhave been, where they are now, where theywant to go, and who they want to be. Theresult is greater clarity of next steps with apurposeful commitment to abundant life for all.



Sessions facilitated by Carol Wilson as Conversation Partner and Guide.

## Skill Development in Story-Sharing and Difficult Conversations: Talking

Well Together. These conversations provide resources for congregations and organizations to practice processes that help when talking about hard topics. They are held with the commitment that our relationships give the opportunity to live well in our shared space as well as in our families and communities. They move toward practices which foster abundant life marked by connection, meaning, agency, blessing, and hope.

These conversations are for those willing to try new skills and practice conversations in a safe environment. They are designed to help participants become more comfortable in difficult moments. They provide ways to bring participants together, to gain clarity, and to assure voices are heard so that shared relationships foster thriving and encouraging of one another.

## Conversations may consist of the following:

- Cultivating safe space and calling each other into relationship
- Identifying shared values and practices
- Systems analysis of relationships
- Experiencing multiple approaches to discussing hard topics

## Skill Development for Story-Sharing and Hard Discussion Partner

**Conversations** create space to listen well, to encourage, and to help prevent and overcome divides. They provide an opportunity to prepare for the unexpected so that relationships and commitments are more secure during times of stress. As skill sets are developed, participants have opportunities to know each other better, to experiment with new and simple skills, and to learn about themselves in a relaxed environment.

- Formats for these opportunities will meet the particular needs of the organization or congregation. Fees are based on the setting and number of participants. All Table Grace Partner Conversations are designed with your group's particular needs, interests, and budget in mind. Fee inquiries are welcomed to accommodate the budget needs of your group.
- To determine if **Skill Development for Story-Sharing and Hard Discussions Partner Conversations** are a good fit for your organizational or congregational group, email <u>CarolWilsonTableGrace@gmail.com</u> or submit a request through <u>TableGracePartnerConversations.com</u> to schedule a complimentary 30-minute introductory call.





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