

## How can I show the hope and joy of Jesus Christ in the world?

This is my commandment, that you love one another. John 15.12

Again and again, Jesus shows his disciples how he loves them. This love is where we find hope and joy, in challenging times and at times of celebration. It is also deeply practical, as he washes their feet at the Last Supper. Jesus commands us to love one another in exactly the same way; this is how we bear fruit as Christians. You might want to ask yourself where and when you experience the hope and joy of Jesus Christ now, and how best you can show that hope and joy to others ...



in the ordinary tasks you do at work and at home.



through particular acts of service, welcome or hospitality.



by speaking about your faith and praying for those who are searching for God. Almighty God, whose son Jesus Christ is the True Vine, we give thanks for the love you have for us. Strengthen us to love one another, that through our words and our actions, our proclamation of the Gospel and our acts of service, we might bear fruit and show the hope and joy of Jesus Christ in the world. Amen.

