

**Information sheet: Looking at the Bible with others from across the Anglican Communion**

Writing about BILC Archbishop Justin Welby posed a number of questions about how we read the Bible, “Do we understand how others in the Communion, often because their context is different from our own, do this? Can their context and perspectives be a gift to mine? In exploring some of these questions – together – I am convinced that our appreciation of the Bible may be transformed and enriched.”

Within this BILC tool-box are a number of resources to help us actually look at the Bible alongside those from other parts of the Communion and also resources that will enable us to draw on the insights and experience of others across the Communion.

**Engaging with Scripture together across the Communion** – a paper outlining why such engagement is important and how we might approach this way of looking at Scripture.

From the group that wrote this paper have come a series of Bible Study outlines specifically designed for groups from different parts of the Anglican Communion:

Studies on the Book of [Ruth](#)

Studies on the Book of [Jonah](#)

A study of Luke’s account of the [Sending of the 70](#)

The Lent Course that BILC wrote – [And it was good](#)

**What challenges do we face as we encourage a deeper engagement with Scripture**

identifies challenges from different parts of the Anglican Communion and points to resources in this tool-box that might help us to meet these challenges. This paper also underlines the fact that we all face similar challenges in our ministries no matter where in the Communion we live.

**Light for our Path** is a series of three books offering insights and reflections from an African perspective on all the lectionary readings over the three-year period it runs. These books offer another way of seeing Scripture ‘through the eyes of the other’.

