

Thought for the Term

Spring Term 2024

Racial Justice: Should people be treated differently due to their skin colour?

We are all brothers and sisters in Christ.

Revelation 7:9

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands,

This is a reminder *that* all people are precious to God, and no race, ethnicity, or background is exempt from His love.

Galatians 3:28

"There is no longer Jew or Greek, there is no longer slave or free, there is no longer male and female; for all of you are one in Christ Jesus."

Galatians 3:28. In Christ we are all the same — we are equal with one another.

Below are some of the main points from discussions in classes.

Penguin Y4/5

What is the point. Why would we discriminate.

Treat equally even though their language is different.

Everyone is together. There is no this or that, we are all one whole community.

We can find harmony by working together.

It doesn't matter what skin colour you have, we treat others equally.

If you share justice, you can create peace.

Treat people how we want to be treated.

Talk to people with views that are unjust and ask them to treat people how they want to be treated.

Swan Y3/4

Being different is a good thing.

It doesn't matter if someone is different, we treat them equal.

Being respectful of people's skin colour.

How do we respect someone's race?

Treat people how you want to be treated.

If someone has different colour, it doesn't matter. If they have the same colour as you, that doesn't matter either.

God said to everyone that we should treat people fairly.

How can we show racial justice?

It was like Rosa Parks, she wouldn't give up her seat because it wasn't fair.