

# SECTION 6 † CONFLICT RESOLUTION

## *Opening Prayer*

*O God of diversity, ever-living mystery of unity and Trinity,  
send us your Holy Spirit as we talk about the conflicts  
that will arise in our relationships.*

*Help us to see that conflicts are normal  
and that through your guidance,  
we can work through our differences and come to a fuller  
understanding of how your love  
can resolve and redeem any conflict.*

*We make this prayer in the Holy Spirit  
and through Christ our Lord.*

*Amen.*



***But now you must get rid of all these things:  
anger, passion, and hateful feelings.  
No insults or obscene talk must ever come from your lips.***

Colossians 3:8

***Love is patient and kind; it is not jealous or conceited or proud; love is not ill-mannered or selfish or irritable; love does not keep a record of wrongs; love is not happy with evil, but is happy with the truth. Love never gives up; and its faith, hope, and patience never fail.***

1 Corinthians 13: 4-7