

Welcome!

Storytelling for Social Change

This session will begin soon

If I am not for myself, who will be for me?

If I am for myself alone, what am I?

If not now, when?

– Rabbi Hillel, quoted by Marshall Ganz



"You have to claim authorship of your story and learn to tell it to others so they can understand the values that move you to act, because it might move them to act as well."

- Marshall Ganz

“Vulnerability sounds like truth
and feels like courage”

- Brene Brown

If you have come
to help me you are
wasting your time.
But if you have
come because your
liberation is bound
up with mine, then
let us work together.

ABORIGINAL
ACTIVIST'S
GROUP
QUEENSLAND, 1974

This quote is often attributed to Brisbane area activist leader Ella Watson who was a member of the group that created the statement.



Story of self

- **Challenge:** Why did you feel it was a challenge? What was so challenging about it? Why was it your challenge?
- **Choice:** Why did you make the choice you did? Where did you get the courage – or not? Where did you get the hope – or not? How did it feel?
- **Outcome:** How did the outcome feel? Why did it feel that way? What did it teach you? What do you want to teach us? How do you want us to feel?

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Story of Us

What experiences and values do we share as a community that call us to what we are called to?

What is it about our experience of faith, public life, the pain of the world, and the hopefulness of the world?



Upcoming 'Learning Thursdays' in November & December

Race, Power and Privilege



26th November – Topical Learning Session: Race and Organising in the UK:

Looking at different campaigns that have looked to attack race inequality in the UK.

Leadership

3rd December:

Learning For Leaders – What is a leader? What does it mean to be a leader?

Community Organising Masterclass – Building Core Teams

10th December:

Learning For Leaders – The 'Iron Rule of Organising', and investing in other people.

Community Organising Masterclass – Leadership Development (Analysing Leadership Development Tables & making a plan for developing your leadership).

17th December: Christmas Action! Stay tuned for more details...

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