



## **Prayer for Restored Relationships**

Creator, Maker, Sustainer,

We come and give thanks for this day!

Thank you that we can see your faithfulness to us in the rising of the sun each day.

Father, we praise you and honour you for the gift of Jesus and the Great Spirit.

Let our response be to love one another, walk alongside another and help one another.

Help us to see the rich beauty of different cultures.

Confront us with your Spirit when our thoughts and behaviours do not bring honour and peace.

Creator we give thanks for the many people who work tirelessly to restore relationships between non-Indigenous and Indigenous people. Specifically, we want to lift up the Canadian Indigenous Ministry Committee of the Christian Reformed Church. Bless their efforts with joy and peace.

We celebrate the faithful years of ministry through the Indigenous Family Centre in Winnipeg, the Indigenous Christian Fellowship in Regina and the Native Healing Centre in Edmonton. We shout with joy for the prayers and monies that have allowed these communities to walk more closely with your Son.

Please continue to gift us with peace, joy and love as we continue to journey together until Jesus returns and we can all fall on our knees at your throne, praying, dancing and singing "Hallelujah to our Creator Redeemer and Sustainer." Hiy, Hiy\*, Amen!

\*Cree for "thank you very much"