Strategic Initiative #6: Live aloha. Strengthen our relationships as members of local churches, Associations and the Conference.

Ephesians 4:32
“…be kind to one another, tender hearted, forgiving one another as God in Christ has forgiven you.”

Queen Liliʻuokalani
All things in this world are two: in heaven there is but One.

Guiding Image: Ahupuaʻa
Ahupuaʻa is the Hawaiian term for a large subdivision of land that extends in a pyramid shape from the top of a mountain, often following the boundary of a stream, including all of the area bounded by the ridgelines on each side that delineate the sides of the watershed, and extending out into the ocean (including the fisheries). An ahupuaʻa encompasses all of human activity—physical, mental and spiritual—as well as all forms of life—animate and inanimate. Everything is in right relationship, balanced and interconnected. The ahupuaʻa contains all the resources Hawaiians require for their existence.

Context
Sharing breath, experiencing the true spirit of aloha, inspired this initiative. There is a longing for connection and healthy relationship throughout the Conference. People want to get to know others to learn, to nurture trust and promote healing and mutual understanding. Binding the Conference together across the water, across ethnicity and language, across our understandings of Christian theology is at the core of this initiative. Living aloha will move us toward our vision of one ʻohana.

Initial Responsibility
Formation Missional Team