

## We can make a Display! Or Bulletin Board! Or (fill in the blank!)

The best place to begin when creating a Special Offering display/bulletin board/etc. is to go to <http://specialofferings.pcusa.org/> and click on the Offering you are working with. Browse the Resources section by scrolling down.

Great idea-starters from the Resources section could be:

- Poster
- Bulletin Inserts
- Minutes for Mission
- Promotional Images

### Peace & Global Witness Offering Display (2018 – Come to the Table)



#### Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) display case

Once you choose a theme:

1. Measure the display area (case, bulletin board, window, etc.).
2. Make a list of materials you will need.
3. Purchase/Gather needed materials. (see "Shopping/Gathering list" below)

For the 2018 Peace & Global Witness Offering display, we used:

- Cardstock in assorted skin-toned colors
- Materials for making a communion table

To make the people outlines:

- Find an outline on [Google Images](#)
  - Copy into a Word document
  - Expand the image to fit the whole 8.5x11 page
  - Print & cut out
  - Place image over a piece of cardstock or construction paper
    - Trace with pen or pencil
    - Cut out
  - Repeat this process with a variety of skin-tone papers until you have enough for your display. (for our display, we used about 50)



To make the Peace & Global Witness Offering sign:

- To find images you can use at the top of your display, go to <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/2018-pgw-offering-promotional-images/>
  - You can use the Peace & Global Witness logo banner, the Bible passage from the poster, the poster itself, or any other relevant image/wording
- Copy your chosen image into Word document. Enlarge so that banner prints on 11x17 paper, if available. Print. Adhere banner to colored paper.
  - We printed wording on white paper, and glued colored paper to the back.

### **Basic Steps of the Process:**

1. Create background for display. You may have a neutral background already, or you may need to use large sheets of a dark paper (we used black disposable tablecloth) or other medium to cover the display area.
2. Adhere image/poster/quote at top center of display.
3. Adhere people outlines in staggered colors and positions to imitate a group of people around the communion table. (We used staples)
4. If you have a display case, complete bottom of display by:
  - a. Adding a coordinating fabric for the bottom

- b. Inserting your communion table
- c. Covering your communion table
- d. Adding communion pieces



- 5. If you do not have a display case, this can be done on a wall or bulletin board, with a communion table added in front

### **Shopping/Gathering List:**

- For bottom of display case:
  - Small table or box(es) to use as table
    - We used two large envelope boxes and taped them together – worked great!
  - Cloth to cover table
    - We used an orange cloth, then added burlap
  - Fake wheat
  - Fake grape bunches
  - Fake loaf of bread
    - You can shellac a loaf of real bread if you can't find fake!
  - Chalice
  - Length of material (such as cloth) for bottom of display case
- For display wall:
  - Material to use as background (if needed)
  - Assorted skin-toned paper
  - Poster/Bible verse/quote to adhere
  - Glue/Tape/Staples

### Not using a display case?

- This project will translate well onto a basic bulletin board. You will need to mount any additional materials that would be in the bottom of a display case.
- Using a window? Paint all parts of the display onto the window. Place a small table beneath the window with additional materials.

\*\*\*If you find another way to create a Peace & Global Witness Offering display for your congregation, please share images with us so we can share on our social media! Email pictures to [special.offerings@pcusa.org](mailto:special.offerings@pcusa.org).