



**We are dedicated to the renewal of our country.**

*Together for the Common Good* helps people rediscover their civic vocation through the building of local relationships.

We offer common good training, generate original resources, build strategic partnerships, and hold public and private conversations to promote common good thought leadership and build awareness of a pathway to spiritual and civic renewal.

We work with many partners, in particular leaders across the churches, and with schools and charities.

Drawing on the wisdom of the Jewish and Christian traditions and especially from Catholic Social Thought, we help people understand the common good in accessible terms, working this out in the local in real time, with people and place.

Find out more at [www.togetherforthecommongood.co.uk](http://www.togetherforthecommongood.co.uk)



Seek the welfare of the city, and pray to the LORD on its behalf, for in its welfare, you will find your welfare.

*Jeremiah 29.7*

## Resourcing churches, leaders and organisations

T4CG delivers bespoke sessions, talks, keynotes and creates resources to help leaders make sense of these times of seismic change, enabling them to discern how God is calling them to build common good in the places where they live and work.



## Promoting common good thinking

T4CG holds public and private conversations to promote common good thought leadership, influence public debate and enhance political literacy in the churches.



## Preparing young people

Our *Common Good Schools* programme helps young people prepare for an uncertain future, positioning the school as a force for the common good in the neighbourhood. Through classroom lessons and community engagement, young people discover the importance of relationships, responsibility and mutual respect.



## Our history

Our founder director is Jenny Sinclair. The first idea for *Together for the Common Good* came to Jenny in 2011, when she experienced a movement of the Holy Spirit, prompting her to explore a ground-breaking partnership between church leaders in Liverpool a generation ago in which her father had been a leading figure. Together, hearing God's call, building relationship and joining forces with local communities, they seeded renewal in a place ravaged by division and decline.

Jenny brought people together to discern how their story could inspire the vocation of the church in a new time, and *Together for the Common Good* (T4CG) was born.

## One project with many strands

Since then, T4CG has evolved into a single, organic project with several integrated strands, each resourcing the other. Our work involves influencing the churches, charities, schools, youth organisations, church networks, as well as non-religious civic partners, with the gift of Catholic Social Thought, through the language of the common good.

## Sense-making and story-telling

Our podcast, *Leaving Egypt*, explores what it means to be God's people in a time of cultural unravelling. With fascinating guests, we read the signs of the times and share stories of how God's people are contributing to the reweaving of our common life.



“ Together for the Common Good is exploring some of the most important themes in our society today:

How do we build a more resilient sense of shared endeavour?

What will bring about a common effort across our society?

These challenges are so important as we face deep-seated changes in our way of life. ”

*Cardinal Vincent Nichols*

## Our future plans

We recognise that the socio-economic model in the West has failed and our culture is in a deep malaise. We believe the common good approach is the antidote and that we can help to make it more widely known and understood.

Between 2023-2025, we aim to grow our influence by inspiring and resourcing more leaders and by supporting more exemplars in churches and schools in grounded contexts. We plan to create new resources, convene more public conversations, expand our reach through our podcast, and extend our schools programme to primary children and to young adults.

## Your support

We are a small charity looking for partners who share our vision to help us inspire and enable more leaders, churches and schools to work for the common good. Please join us.

Scan the QR code to learn more about our work or donate, and help more people build the common good where they live and work.

