

Listening Well, Leaning In Topic: Gun Violence

Skills, Gifts, and Goals of Listening Well, Leaning In (the Takeaways)

- Our experiences and assumptions shape our opinions
- “I wonder what that person has experienced that led them to their opinion or belief?”
- Notice who is and is not participating--whose voice is NOT being heard?
- What on “their side” resonates with you and makes sense to you?
- What on “your side” do you disagree with or frustrates you?
- What does love look like in this specific situation?

Additional Resources

- Living Room Conversations - <https://www.livingroomconversations.org/>
- Colorado Faith Communities United to End Gun Violence - <http://cfcu-co.org/>
- Civil Conversations Project - <https://onbeing.org/civil-conversations-project/>
- Podcasts
 - On Being with Krista Tippett
 - Claudia Rankine - How Can I Say This So We Can Stay in This Car Together? <https://onbeing.org/programs/claudia-rankine-how-can-i-say-this-so-we-can-stay-in-this-car-together-jan2019/>
 - Sally Kohn and Erick Erickson - Relationship Across Rupture - <https://onbeing.org/programs/sally-kohn-and-erick-erickson-relationship-across-rupture-oct18/>
 - Frances Kissling - What Is Good in the Position of the Other - <https://onbeing.org/programs/frances-kissling-what-is-good-in-the-position-of-the-other-sep2018/>
 - The Liturgist Podcast
 - Enemies - <http://www.theliturgists.com/podcast/2017/10/3/enemies-live-from-los-angeles>

How do we know what we know? - <http://www.theliturgists.com/podcast/2017/2/21/how-do-we-know-what-we-know-epistemology>