

With great gratitude to Green Street Friends Meeting (GSFM) and heart-felt appreciation for a smart and persevering Reparations Committee (copied here), I share great news!

Yesterday, GSFM approved redistributing \$500,000 toward reparations over the next 10 years (approved proposal attached). Further, the meeting is committed to undertake all aspects of reparations, as described in the second [attached handout](#).

Might PhYM's Antiracism Collaborative advance a campaign that would result in something like this one undertaken by Episcopal Diocese of Maryland? "The church's action comes in response to the approval in September by the Episcopal Diocese of Maryland of a \$1 million 'seed fund for reparations.'

"The resolution, which passed at the diocese's convention with 82.5 percent approval, also encouraged churches and schools in the diocese to 'prayerfully consider committing a percentage of their endowments or other resources to this fund.'"

[Church commits \\$500,000 to reparations, justice fund](#)

As this song, brought by Joan to me and a group gathered for racial justice accountability over several months, says, ["It is time now!"](#)

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