# The LACE Model

The LACE model, developed by Elizabeth Dresher, is a good starting point for nurturing meaningful relationships in the digitally integrated world: Listen, Attend, Connect, and Engage.

Listening: Taking time to get to know people in social networks based on what they share in profiles, posts, tweets, and so on, rather than making communicating your message the priority

Attending: Noticing and being present to the experi­ences and interests of others as they share themselves in digital spaces

Connecting: Reaching out to others in diverse com­munities in order to deepen and extend the networks that influence your digital spiritual practice

Engaging: Building relationships by sharing content, collaborating, and connecting people to others.