Resources for Racial Reconciliation and Justice

Members of the Presiding Bishop’s staff have curated this list of resources for racial justice and reconciliation. This is by no means exhaustive; however, we are aware that many leaders are hoping to deepen their learning, and these resources should help you to move in the right direction.

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Websites, Videos, Bibliographies and Study Resources

- Resolution A183, Recommended Study Book of the Triennium: newjimcrow.com/
- Lenten series on racial justice from ChurchNext: www.churchnext.tv/library/categories/social-justice
  Especially recommended: “Spirituality and Racial Justice” with Presiding Bishop Michael Curry
  Especially recommended: the Rev. Dr. Kelly Brown Douglas’ video presentation
- Fifty Years Later: The State of Racism in America, by The Episcopal Church and the Diocese of Mississippi: www.episcopalchurch.org/page/state-racism
- Racial Justice Bibliography, compiled by theological educators: rib.religioused.org/
- Province I Resources: www.province1.org/exploring-diversity-and-nurturing-cultural-competency

Formation and Training Organizations

- Crossroads Antiracism Organizing and Training: www.crossroadsantiracism.org
- Duke Center for Reconciliation: divinity.duke.edu/initiatives/cfr
- Kaleidoscope Institute: www.kscopeinstitute.org/index.html
- People’s Institute for Survival and Beyond (especially the Undoing Racism Program): www.pisab.org
- Traces of the Trade (based on the film of the same name): www.tracesofthetrade.org
- VISIONS Inc.: www.visions-inc.org
- The Winter Institute for Racial Reconciliation: winterinstitute.org
Books and Articles

- Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie, *Americanah*
- Michelle Alexander, *The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness*
- Derrick Bell, *Faces at the Bottom of the Well: The Permanence of Racism*
- Eduardo Bonilla-Silva, *Racism without Racists: Color-Blind Racism and the Persistence of Racial Inequality in America*
- J. Kameron Carter, *Race: A Theological Account*
- Tammerie Day, *Constructing Solidarity for a Liberative Ethic: Anti-Racism, Action and Justice*
- Kelly Brown Douglas, *What’s Faith Got to Do with It?: Black Bodies/Christian Souls* and *Stand Your Ground: Black Bodies and the Justice of God*
- Jennifer Harvey, *Dear White Christians: For Those Still Longing for Racial Reconciliation*
- Nancy Isenberg, *White Trash: The 400-Year Untold History of Class in America*
- Frances E. Kendall, *Understanding White Privilege: Creating Pathways to Authentic Relationships Across Race*
- John a. powell, *Racing to Justice: Transforming Our Conceptions of Self and Other to Build an Inclusive Society*
- Victor Rios, *Punished: Policing the Lives of Black and Latino Boys*
- Howard J. Ross, *Everyday Bias: Identifying and Navigating Unconscious Judgments in Our Daily Lives*
- Claude M. Steele, *Whistling Vivaldi: How Stereotypes Affect Us and What We Can Do*
- Bryan Stevenson, *Just Mercy: A Story of Justice and Redemption*
- Shelly Tochluk, *Witnessing Whiteness: The Need to Talk About Race and How to Do It*
- Jim Wallis, *America’s Original Sin: Racism, White Privilege and the Bridge to a New America*
- Cornel West, *Race Matters*