

Anti-Racism Resources

Sisters and Brothers we are all on a journey and need guidance in our study of Race, Ethnicity and Culture. We pray these resources will be helpful along the way.

--1 John 3:16-19

ELCA Statements and Resources:

[ELCA Social Statement on: Freed in Christ: Race, Ethnicity, and Culture](#)

[*Español*](#)

[ELCA Webpage on Racial Justice Ministries](#)

[The Church in Society: A Lutheran Perspective](#)

[A Social Message on Human Rights](#)

[Talking Together as Christians Cross-Culturally: A Field Guide \(Revised Edition\)](#)

[Talking Together as Christians About Tough Social Issues](#)

[How Strategic and Authentic is Our Diversity; A Call for Confession, Reflection, and Healing Action](#)

[Racial Justice Resources](#)

- [Resources: ELCA Racial Justice/Anti-Racism \(as of December 2008\)](#)
- [Explanation of the Declaration of the ELCA to People of African Descent](#)
- [God's Faithfulness on the Journey: Reflections by Rostered Women of Color](#)
- One Body, Many Members (Parts 1-3)
[Part 1](#) [Part 2](#) [Part 3](#)
- [Working Definitions: ELCA Racial Justice/Anti-Racism](#)
- [Race, Ethnicity, and Culture Study Guide](#)

more Racial Justice Resources and group conversation guides are also available to order

[Condemnation of White Supremacy and Racist Rhetoric](#)

[ELCA Reaffirms Commitment to Combat Racism and White Supremacy](#)

[ELCA Advocacy Blog](#)

[ELCA Racial Justice Blog](#)

[Seeing Ourselves As Parts of One Body: An Exercise in Exploring Racism From a Place of Privilege](#)

[Journal of Lutheran Ethics October 2015: Black Lives Matter](#)

[ELCA Civic Engagement Guide](#)

[#ELCAVotes: Fact and Activity Sheet on Race and Voting](#)

“**The Hate You Give**” by Angie Thomas

“**How to Be an Anti-Racist**” by Ibram X. Kendi

Local Resources:

[Unofficial Facebook Statement From Marcus J. Belin, Huntley High School Principal](#)

Books/Reading:

[White Privilege: Unpacking the Invisible Knapsack - by Peggy McIntosh](#)

“**The Color of Compromise**” - by Jemar Tisby

“**The New Jim Crow: Mass Incarceration in the Age of Colorblindness**” - by Michelle Alexander

Podcasts:

[NPR's Code Switch podcast— this link has a list of 8 of their best podcasts regarding race, culture, and identity.](#)

1619 by The New York Times - available on Spotify and Podcast app

Videos:

[Systemic Racism Explained](#)

[Emmanuel Acho's *Dear White People* video on the topics we need to be fully educated on in order to stand with and support Black people](#)

Movies/TV Shows:

The 13th on Netflix

Just Mercy on Amazon or Youtube

Specifically for Kids and Families:

[Beyond Golden Rule book PDF](#)— A parent's guide to teaching and responding to prejudice

[Talking to Kids About Racism, Early and Often](#)— NY Times

[Sesame Street Explains Black Lives Matter:](#)

[Multicultural Equality \(Walk in Another's Shoes\)](#)

[Discussing Race with Young Children Virtual Library](#)