

Resources for Troubled Times: Anti-Racism Books, Films, Podcasts, Videos

NOAH (Nashville Organized for Action and Hope), acknowledges systemic racism exists in every aspect of our society, perpetuating injustices economically, socially, and within our criminal justice, education and political systems. NOAH's intends to help expose and dismantle racism by sharing educational resources addressing systemic racism. We invite you to use these resources to educate yourself and share with others. Let's start conversations in our homes, at church, at work, to help dismantle racism in our community.

The just get involved with the poor and know their issues,
but the wicked cannot comprehend such concerns. *Proverbs 29:7 The Voice (VOICE)*

If you know of other resources, please email them to
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(subject line: *Racism Resources*) and we'll add them to this list.
A Resource List compiled by NOAH's Affordable Housing Task Force

RACISM WRONG

1. OK, it's not "Monopoly", except it really is. A friendly game? Nope. A fixed game. *The Disturbing History of the Suburbs | Adam Ruins Everything* <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ETR9qrVS17g>
2. Here's a much more passionate version of our history, with another analogy based on the game Monopoly. Kimberly Jones is a young, articulate activist with a message that addresses the question, "Why?" Why, along with protesters do we see rioters and looters? Worth hearing! Strong language may be offensive to some people. *How Can We Win* https://docs.google.com/document/d/1mQwbTUqMLgIYJfwVmD_DWa3jNiMmFWSiD_q3idN7v4o/e/dit?usp=sharing
3. Wondering "Where do we start?" Here are some great ideas. Pick one. Do it!
75 Things White people Can Do for Racial Justice <https://medium.com/equality-includes-you/what-white-people-can-do-for-racial-justice-f2d18b0e0234>
4. Myers Park Presbyterian Church-*Better When We're Back Together: 21-Day Race Equity Challenge*. A great project for a Sunday School class during COVID-10 while we're isolated. Some ideas for this project are from the list, *75 Things White People Can Do...*(see above). <https://myersparkpres.org/project/better-when-were-back-together/>

For he himself is our peace, who has made the two groups one and has destroyed the barrier, the dividing wall of hostility. *Ephesians 2:14 NKJV*

5. The Basics: *Inside the Kandi Dish*, by Kandise LeBlanc. In case you're wondering what you as a white person need to do. There's also a link here about what to do to prepare if you're joining a protest. <https://insidethekandidish.wordpress.com/2020/05/30/dear-white-people-this-is-what-we-want-you-to-do/>
6. Austin Channing Brown: See <http://austinchanning.com/our-roots> for information about her. Check out *The Next Question* at <https://www.tnqshow.com/> for videos, interviews, and prompts for discussion.

⁸Speak out on behalf of those who have no voice, and defend all those who have been passed over.⁹
Open your mouth, judge fairly, and stand up for the rights of the afflicted and the poor.*Proverbs 31:8-9*
The Voice (VOICE)

7. *Anti-Racism Resources for White People*. This google doc, compiled by Sarah Sophie Flicker and Alyssa Klein in May 2020, includes articles, podcasts, videos, films, books. bit.ly/ANTIRACISMRESOURCES
8. *Justice in June: A Resource Guide* compiled by Autumn Gupta with Bryanna Wallace's oversight and shared by the Postmates food delivery service company. This guide outlines action plans for educating yourself based on the amount of time per day you have to commit to racial equity education. https://docs.google.com/document/d/1H-Vxs6jEUByXylMS2BjGH1kQ7mEuZnHpPSs1Bpaqmw0/preview?pru=AAABcpsaab0*5cF9ko8oDNSQB0qQzn0o7A#
9. *The Center for the Study of Southern Culture-This Moment in America: A Southern Studies Resource List*. Another extensive, excellent list of various resources. <https://mailchi.mp/c9b2f3ffb0f9/an-open-letter-to-current-former-and-incoming-southern-studies-students-1582401?e=e1d7bfbb5d>

There is neither Jew nor Gentile, neither slave nor free, nor is there male and female, for you are all one in Christ Jesus. *Galatians 3:28 NKJV*

10. This letter is excerpted from Kevin Powell's personal essays, *When We Free the World*. He writes to his unborn black child. <https://www.nytimes.com/2020/06/18/parenting/talk-to-kids-racism.html>
11. *Writing Crime into Race*. A profile of Harvard Kennedy School historian Khalil Gibran Muhammad, by [LydiaLyle Gibson](#). Muhammad, now professor of history, race, and public policy at the Harvard Kennedy School (HKS) and Murray professor at the Radcliffe Institute, was arrested during a student protest. A few years later he wrote a book (see below). But first, read this long, fascinating article. <https://www.harvardmagazine.com/2018/07/khalil-muhammad-condemnation-of-blackness>
12. Khalil Gibran Muhammad's book, published in 2010, is *The Condemnation of Blackness: Race, Crime, and the Making of Modern America*. Here's the crux of his book: " 'But Progressive era reformers,' Muhammad wrote, 'interpreted immigrants' dire statistics as consequences of industrialization and structural inequalities, rather than a fixed, congenital fault. In black neighborhoods, where residents were left to solve social ills largely on their own, violence beget more violence. But in immigrant neighborhoods, violence beget settlement houses, recreation centers, libraries, and playgrounds, as reformers strove to open pathways of rehabilitation and upward mobility.' " (Gibson)

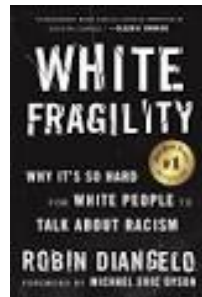
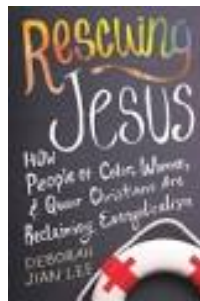
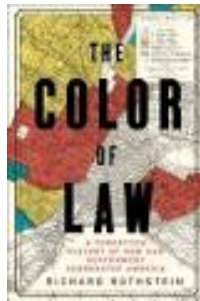
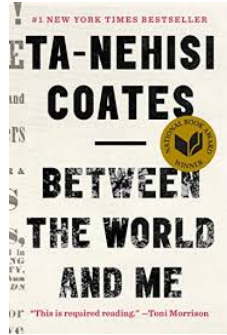
Seek the welfare of the city and pray on its behalf, for in its welfare you will find your welfare.
Jeremiah 9:7 NRSV

A Book List

Suggested by panel participants in a forum at Scarritt Bennett Center, Nashville, TN, July 12, 2020
White Co-Conspirators: The Conversation White People Need to Have with White People, Part 2

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=kvL_XRc9YWA

(Read on your own, or invite a group--friends, a Sunday School class, a study group-- to read the same book and then gather to discuss it.)



Teaching
While
White

Also, see DiAngelo's podcast at: <https://teachingwhilewhite.org/podcast/tag/Robin+DiAngelo>

And one more video...National Black Disability Coalition

Leroy F. Moore, Jr., a founding member

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ltX7ApmxWjA>

See their website: <https://www.blackdisability.org/>

"Statistics say that thirty to fifty percent of black people killed by police also have a disability."

For a related article, see: <https://time.com/5857438/police-violence-black-disabled/>