

**Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)**  
**Resources on Antiracism Work, the Belhar Confession, and Building Intercultural Community**

**PC(USA) Antiracism/Racial Justice Policy**

Facing Racism: A Vision of the Intercultural Community, approved by the 222<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly (2016)  
<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/facing-racism-vision-intercultural-community-churchwide-antiracism-policy/>.

Report of the Task Force to Study Reparations, approved by the 216<sup>th</sup> General Assembly (2004)  
<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/report-task-force-reparations/>

**PC(USA) Study Guides**

Facing Racism: A Vision of the Intercultural Community Study Guides  
<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/facing-racism-vision-intercultural-community-antiracism-study-guides/>

*Living the Gospel of Peace: Tools for Building More Inclusive Community*, Eric Law (Presbyterian Peacemaking Program). PDS#: 7027004014. Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

*Called to Live as God's People—A Study Guide to the Report of the Task Force to Study Reparations*  
<https://www.presbyterianmission.org/resource/called-live-gods-people-study-guide-report-task-fo/>

*Practicing God's Radical Hospitality: Exploring Difference, Change and Leadership through the Spiritual Discipline of Hospitality*, Teresa Chávez Saucedo (Presbyterian Women). PDS#: PWR13060 Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

*Becoming the Beloved Community—Antiracism Resource Packet*, Antiracism Committee, Churchwide Coordinating Team, Presbyterian Women in the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.)  
[http://www.pcusa.org/site\\_media/media/uploads/pw/pdfs/becomingbeloved.short.pdf](http://www.pcusa.org/site_media/media/uploads/pw/pdfs/becomingbeloved.short.pdf)

*Facing Racism: In Search of the Beloved Community*, Lonna Lee (Presbyterian Peacemaking Program). PDS#: 7027098002. Designed for youth. Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

Faith Questions: Justice—a youth study to explore what it means to stand up for justice.  
<http://www.pcusastore.com/Products/690508/faith-questions-justice.aspx>

**The Belhar Confession**

Engaging Belhar - <http://oga.pcusa.org/section/mid-council-ministries/constitutional-services/belhar/>. This Web page provides translations of the Belhar Confession in English, Korean, and Spanish as well as video and print resources for understanding and using the confession.

*The Confession of Belhar* (Being Reformed – Faith Seeking Understanding), Cynthia Holder Rich (Congregational Ministries Publishing).

Leader's guide: <http://www.pcusastore.com/Products/680751/the-confession-of-belhar-leaders-guide.aspx?bCategory=PCDBR>

Participant's book: <http://www.pcusastore.com/Products/680752/the-confession-of-belhar-participants-book.aspx?bCategory=PCDBR>

*Race and Reconciliation: Workbook – Confessions of 1967 and Belhar* (Being Reformed – Faith Seeking Understanding), Clifton Kirkpatrick (Congregational Ministries Publishing). Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

*30 Days with the Belhar Confession* (Presbyterian Peacemaking Program). PDS#: 2435816004 Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

*Lenten Reflections on The Confession of Belhar*, Kerri N. Allen and Donald K. McKim (Westminster John Knox Press) Available at [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com)

### **Waking Up White**

The Co-moderators of the 222<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly (2016), the Rev. Denise Anderson and the Rev. Jan Edmiston encourage Presbyterians to engage in conversations around the book, *Waking Up White: Finding Myself in the Story of Race* by Debby Irving (available from Amazon.com). Find a study guide, video clips and related resources at <http://oga.pcusa.org/section/ecclesial-and-ecumenical-ministries/mod/one-church-one-book/>.

### **Always with Us?: What Jesus Really Said about the Poor**

At the 2017 Big Tent, the Co-moderators of the 222<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly (2016), the Rev. Denise Anderson and the Rev. Jan Edmiston encourage Presbyterians to engage in conversations around the book, *Always with Us?: What Jesus Really Said about the Poor* by the Rev. Dr. Liz Theoharis. The book is available on Amazon.com. More information will be forthcoming.

### **Recent Books from Westminster John Knox Press**

*Race in a Post-Obama America*, edited by David Maxwell (Westminster John Knox Press). Available from [thethoughtfulchristian.com](http://thethoughtfulchristian.com).

*Microaggressions in Ministry: Confronting the Hidden Violence of Everyday Church*, Cody J. Sanders and Angela Yarber (Westminster John Knox Press) Available from [pcusastore.com](http://pcusastore.com).

### **The Doctrine of Discovery**

The 222<sup>nd</sup> General Assembly (2016) of the Presbyterian Church (U.S.A.) called the church to confess its complicity and repudiate the Doctrine of Discovery. The action also called for a review of the history of the doctrine and the writing of a report on the doctrine to be submitted to the 223<sup>rd</sup> General Assembly (2018). <https://www.presbyterianmission.org/ministries/racial-ethnic-and-womens-ministries/gender-and-racial-justice-ministries/doctrine-of-discovery/>

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