

A LIST OF RESOURCES FOR CHRISTIANS WANTING TO UNDERSTAND RACISM

with thanks to Rev Elizabeth Barnard, St George's Anglican Church, Cadboro Bay

+ If you're wondering what possibly could have led to this:

["A Timeline of Events that Led to the 2020 'Fed-Up'-rising by Michael Harriot](#) (this involves some expletives but provides extremely important context)

["Public Address on Revolution" by Rachel Cargle](#)

+ Images of collaboration, clean-up and connection:

[what you're not reading in mainstream media about the protests](#)

+ Understanding the Amy Cooper incident:

[From Trevor Noah](#)

[from Baratunde Thurston](#)

+ Why to not say "All Lives Matter"?

[Rachel Cargle](#)

[Victoria City Councillor Sharmarke Dubow](#)

+ If you want to understand what white privilege is:

["My white friend asked me to explain white privilege, so I decided to be honest" by Lori Lakin Hutcherson](#)

["White privilege and the exploration of uncomfortable truths" by Jennifer Yang](#)

+ If you think racism is not a Canadian problem:

["Anti-black racism: It's everyone's fight" from the Public Service Alliance of Canada](#)

["Carding and anti-black racism in Canada" from Amnesty International](#)

["Understanding Racism"](#) from the National Collaborating Centre for Indigenous Health:

["Indigenous Experiences of Racism and Its Impacts"](#) from the National Collaborating Centre for Indigenous Health:

If you want to understand more the negative health impacts of racism on Indigenous people in Canada – [“First Peoples, Second Class Citizens: The role of racism in the health and well-being of Indigenous Peoples in Canada:](#)

+ If you want to read a beautiful essay on the daily experience of racialized people:

[*Some Thoughts On Mercy* by Ross Gay](#)

+ If you are asking, what can I do?

[Post from Oluwatomisin Oredein:](#)

[What White People Can Do for Racial Justice](#) (from Medium by Corrine Shutack):

[Shareable Anti-Racism Resource Guide](#)

+If you want to read books (there are also lots of other great books listed on the above resource guide):

White Fragility: Why It's So Hard for White People to Talk About Racism by Robin Diangelo

Dear Church: A Love Letter from a Black Preacher to the Whitest Denomination in the U.S. by Lenny Duncan

How To Be An Antiracist by Ibram X. Kendi

Between the World and Me by Ta-Nehisi Coates

Me and White Supremacy: Combat Racism, Change the World and Become a Good Ancestor by Layla F. Saad.

I've Been Meaning to Tell You by David Chariandy