

11:59:47 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Welcome to the Northern Illinois Conference Anti-racism Task Force's first session of our 2022 Speaker Series. We thank our sponsors and partners. Click here to learn more about our series, <https://www.umcnic.org/2022SpeakerSeries>

12:00:44 From Cecelia Long to Host and Panelists:

I am very glad to join in from Dayton Ohio.

12:09:31 From Rita L Smith to Host and Panelists:

Rev Dr Michelle, please write the names of the nations you named. Thanks.

12:10:11 From Rev. Dr. Michelle Lacock to Host and Panelists:

Crimean Tatars, Karaims, Krymchaks

12:11:03 From lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

Will there be a link to this session afterwards that I can download for my pastor?

12:15:15 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

The God Nobody Knows: Second Edition. Click here, <https://bit.ly/3ltOHBF>, to purchase.

12:22:41 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Dr. Betty Hart's book can be found here, Dr. Betty Hart, By the Light of the Moon, <https://www.amazon.com/Light-Moon-Betty-Hart/dp/1662817665/>

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12:25:12 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

We thank Rev. Pamela Pirtle for moderating today's session.

12:26:06 From Northern Illinois Conference to lisa Schultz Oregon UMC, the video will be posted at umcnic.org/antiracism

12:26:20 From lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

okay thank you

12:27:29 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Tim Alexander is a lay member of Our Saviour's UMC in Schaumburg, IL. He is also co-chair of this Speaker Series.

12:28:07 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Chapters by Michelle Oberwise Lacock in these two books

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12:29:59 From Northern Illinois Conference to Everyone:

You may put questions in the Q & A

12:31:24 From lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

how can we make our congregation aware that there is a racism problem and how can we handle racism and or stop racism at our church

12:31:40 From Lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:
and in our community

12:32:00 From Ronnie Bell to Host and Panelists:

When have the white people in your congregation put themselves in a position where they are not the numerical majority? How was that experience?

12:32:48 From Sue Johnston to Host and Panelists:

What are some of the topics that you have presented to your congregation, Tim?

12:33:45 From Dennis Roberts to Host and Panelists:

Aren't the claims that "racism is behind us in America" actually part of the continuing denial that Christians were instrumental in erasing the history of anyone who is non-white? The outcome is perpetuating the narrative that "it's not my fault" so why do you keep badgering me with this?

12:33:46 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Is your church interested in participating in our 2022 Rally Against Racism? Click here to learn more and register, <https://www.umcnic.org/rallyagainstracism>

12:37:18 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

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12:41:02 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

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12:43:02 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

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12:45:43 From Northern Illinois Conference to Everyone:

The links will be posted on umcnic.org/2022speakerseries

12:46:41 From Deborah Nelson to Host and Panelists:

I am so grateful for each of you! and your work!! I will need to leave early. Will you be archiving this so that I might see the end?

12:47:34 From Northern Illinois Conference to Everyone:

The video recording will be made available at umcnic.org/2022speakerseries and umcnic.org/antiracism

12:47:55 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Here is the event that Rev. Pirtle referenced that will be going on tomorrow.

<https://www.umc.org/en/umc-calendar/events/2022/03/24/lunch-and-learn-panel-discussion-on-the-era-and-voter-suppression>

12:50:19 From Dennis Roberts to Host and Panelists:

Have any of the panelists read Robert Jones' "White Too Long" and, if so, what are the implications of his research and book?

12:50:20 From Rev. Dr. Michelle Lacock to Everyone:

Another book that is very helpful for small group is called *Race Talk and the Conspiracy of Silence; Understanding and Facilitating Difficult Dialogues on Race* by Derald Wing Sue

12:50:41 From Molly Lundin to Host and Panelists:

What is the book Tim just talked about?

12:51:02 From Pamela Pirtle to Everyone:

The Cross and the Lynching Tree by James Cone

12:56:21 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

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12:56:49 From Beverly Dukes to Host and Panelists:

Will this anti racism work also include prison work and ministry because a large percentage of those in jails are people of color

12:58:56 From judy to Host and Panelists:

I'm a participant from r

12:59:18 From lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

where can we get anti racism pamphlets and posters

13:01:05 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

The Anti-racism Task Force and Champion Team are currently meeting weekly to do GCORR's Racial Justice Lenten Study over 6 weeks. If interested in joining for the remaining 3 weeks, email me at adrane@umcnic.org and you'll get a Zoom link to next Monday's Zoom session.

13:01:27 From lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

thank you

13:02:46 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

United Methodist Communications provides resources you can use. Click here for signs and t-shirts that we use during the Rally Against Racism. <https://www.jimcolemanstore.com/umc/products/umc-stand-against-racism.html?SID=1a0c5e11b2b70710a858669d03efe18e>

13:04:07 From Molly Lundin to Host and Panelists:

The country is so polarized right now it is difficult to speak to the "other side"

13:04:35 From Molly Lundin to Host and Panelists:

It becomes a battle of the talking points

13:04:44 From Kimberly to Host and Panelists:

well said Tim!

13:05:23 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Earl, thanks for your question about Sunday School curriculum. The Anti-racism Task Force and the Discipleship Task Force are working together on youth initiatives. Please email me at adrane@umcnic.org and I can connect you to a church that is incorporating anti-racism curriculum into their confirmation class.

13:06:42 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Here is a recording from the IN Conference about the history of racism in the UMC, Covenant for Anti-Racism: Where Do We Go from Here...Chaos or Community? An Exploration of John Wesley, Methodism and Racism.

<https://www.inumc.org/ministries/mission-justice-ministry-blog/where-do-we-go-from-here-chaos-or-community/>

13:07:34 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

This is the session that Dr. Hart is talking about: <https://www.inumc.org/ministries/mission-justice-ministry-blog/where-do-we-go-from-here-chaos-or-community/>

13:10:35 From Aimee Hong (GBCS) to Host and Panelists:

<https://www.umcjustice.org/articles/connecting-faith-and-justice-youth-lectionary-a-curriculum-967>

13:10:50 From Hattie Koher to Host and Panelists:

Ibram Kendi & Jason Reynolds YA book is a great start for younger audience group work!

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<https://www.umcjustice.org/articles/connecting-faith-and-justice-youth-lectionary-b-curriculum-1208>

13:11:35 From Aimee Hong (GBCS) to Host and Panelists:

Sure thing it's for all three lectionary years - curriculum for youth that combines scripture/social principles.

13:14:55 From Rev. Dr. Michelle Lacock to Everyone:

An Indigenous Peoples history of the United States by Roxanne Dunbar-Ortiz is an excellent book. Also this month new movies on PBS regarding the missing and murdered Native American women.

13:15:09 From Northern Illinois Conference to Host and Panelists:

Pamela can you acknowledge Richard's role...we didn't introduce him

13:16:43 From Rev. Dr. Michelle Lacock to Everyone:

Red Nation is an organization that promotes Native American movies that are made, produced and actors/actress's are all Native American

13:18:30 From Keri to Host and Panelists:

Thank you to all of you. This was both a helpful and encouraging session. I am looking forward to sharing conversation with our congregation's team based on some of the conversation today.

13:19:58 From Cecelia Long to Host and Panelists:

I have the following books to recommend for beginning the discussion with young people Books for young people — The Day You Begin by Jacqueline Woodson; Ron's Big Mission by Corinne J. Naden and Blue Rose and New Shoes by Susan Lynn Meyer.

13:20:00 From Eugene to Host and Panelists:

Thanks to Rev. Pirtle and all of the panelists for sharing.

13:20:51 From Lisa Schultz Oregon UMC to Host and Panelists:

thank you all so very much

13:21:07 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Please click here to complete our evaluation <https://forms.gle/o7ktvbuvUgjmwonJ9>

13:24:11 From Northern Illinois Conference to Everyone:

Yes all the links will be on umcnic.org/2022speakerseries

13:24:36 From Amania Drane to Everyone:

Thank you all for joining us!

13:24:37 From Amos Oladipo to Host and Panelists:

Thank you

13:24:45 From Rev. Dr. Michelle Lacock to Everyone:

thank you everyone

13:24:55 From Young Sun Lee to Host and Panelists:

Thank you!

