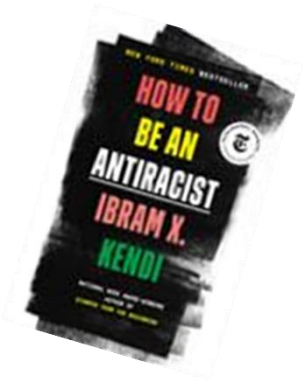


Please Join Us for a PCC Clergy Book Study



How to be an Antiracist By Ibram X. Kendi

**Completion of all 4 components will earn
4 hours of Antiracism Training and
2 hours of Boundary Training.**

1. **Register** for the discussion group that meets at a time that works for your calendar.

Two 90-minute zooms at 10am on September 15 and 29 (Nora)
([Register Tues AM](#))

Two 90 minute zooms at 6:30pm on September 15 and 29 (Nora)
([Register Tues PM](#))

Two 90 minute zooms at 10am on September 16 and 30 (Marisa)
([Register Wed AM](#))

Two 90 minute zooms at 6:30pm on September 16 and 30 (Marisa)
([Register Wed PM](#))

2. **Read** Ibram X. Kendi's book How to be an Antiracist in July/August.

3. **Respond** to the questions (on the back) in writing by August 31st.

When your reflection is received, you will be sent the zoom information for your discussion group times.

4. **Attend** both of your discussion groups.



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"The opposite of racist isn't 'not racist'. It is 'anti-racist'."

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Reflection Questions



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- What was your first experience of racism? How did you feel?
- What struck you most about Kendi's definitions of racist and anti-racist? Did one category stand out more than others? Explain. (think chapter titles)
- Many argue this book reframes and revitalizes the national conversation on racism. Do you agree? Explain.
- In what ways does your theology inform your understanding of antiracism work?
- Explain your understanding of dueling consciousness. In what ways do you see it manifest in you? How do you work to overcome it?
- Does your understanding of *imago dei* influence the ways that you think about race and culture? How so?
- How do you understand your role in shifting the cultural narrative around racism? What about that of the Church?
- Kendi writes how "there is nothing in our world today, in our history, giving (him) hope that one day antiracists will win the fight." He goes on to explain his hope. What is yours? (238)

"The only way to undo racism is to consistently identify and describe it — and then dismantle it."