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Free community presentation

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# Bridging the Gap

**Conversations of hope and healing toward racial reconciliation**



## Saturday, OCTOBER 23, 2021
## 10:00 am - 12:30 pm

In-person event and live-streamed via www.firstpressarasota.org

## *Featuring* Rev. Paul Roberts, Sr.

*President of Johnson C. Smith Seminary, Atlanta, GA*

**10:00-10:15 am: Opening**
Fellowship Hall

**10:15 - 11:15 am**

***"Black/White Church Partnerships: A Bridge across the Racial Divide"***

Panel discussion presented by **Manasota Interracial Book Club**
Led by **Janet Olshewsky** and **Vicki Wacksman,** MIBC founders
with other MIBC leaders

**11:15 am - 12:30 pm**

***"Now What?! Reflections on Christian Activism"***

We can articulate the problem of structural racism. Now, many of us feel ready to enact real societal change. We will explore avenues everyday people can take to help build a more just and equitable society.

Presented by **Rev. Paul Roberts,** guest speaker

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