

ANTI-RACISM RESOURCES

The following resources have been collected, compiled, and recommended by CMF members and friends.

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WEBSITES & ORGANIZATIONS

Mennonites & Racism: [An Anabaptist Anti-Racist Reading List](#)

[Anti-Racism Resources](#) (*click link*) compiled by Sarah Sophie Flicker, Alyssa Klein in May 2020. This document is intended to serve as a resource to white people and parents to deepen our anti-racism work. If you haven't engaged in anti-racism work in the past, start now. Feel free to circulate this document on social media and with your friends, family, and colleagues.

IJPC's [Race and Racism in Cincinnati Toolkit](#) (*click link*) includes 3 chapters of resources with articles, books and videos, post reading quizzes, exercises for reflection, action steps, and more ~ available online or downloadable.

[Justice in June](#) (*extensive ~ click link*)