

SACRED CONVERSATIONS
TO **END** RACISM



Race is not Real. *Race does not exist biologically nor anthropologically, neither is there any reference to race in the 66 canonized books of the Bible. Race is neither scientific nor sacred. Race is an artificial social construct, and it serves a social function.*

Racism is Real. *"Racism originates from the unholy belief that there are human groups with particular social and physical characteristics that make them superior or inferior to another human group." – Rev. Traci Blackmon, Executive Minister Justice and Local Church Ministries, United Church of Christ*

You Are Invited to Begin a Restorative Justice Journey with Sacred Conversations to End Racism (SC2ER).

Come Join this Essential Eight Week Study Beginning May 5th @ Vista Grande, UCC 1pm-3pm. 5460 N. Union Blvd.

Phase one is an eight part series which uncovers the history that is foundational to the how race categories were constructed, who constructed and sanctioned race as a model for American society, and what role the Christian Church played in supporting the division of humanity by skin color categories as a means for instituting global colonialism and imperialism.

***Please note that this study is a much **more extensive and comprehensive program** than that of the "White Privilege Curriculum". You do not need to have participated in that study to participate in SC2ER.*

For additional information or to register please contact Rev. Clare Twomey @ revclare1@gmail.com. This is a free event. You are asked only to bring an open mind and a willingness to be in honest conversation.

"Racism is a philosophy based on contempt for life. It is the arrogant assertion that one race is the center of value and object of devotion, before which other races must kneel in submission." (MLK, Jr.) God is the Creator of humanity and does not place one group of people above another.