

## **Bibliography for Race, Science, and the Church**

**February 16:**

**1. The History of Scientific Racism**

[Harvard's eugenics era | Harvard Magazine](#) (article)

[Eugenics - HISTORY](#) (article)

'[Preaching Eugenics: Religious Leaders and the American Eugenics Movement](#)' | H-Indiana | H-Net ([h-net.org](#)) (book summary)

[Racism and the Public's Perception of Evolution | National Center for Science Education \(ncse.ngo\)](#) (article)

Dave Unander "[Race: A Brief History of its Origin, Failure and Alternative](#)" (article)

*New York Times*, "[Scientists Pause Science to Confront Racism](#)" (article)

Edwin Black's [War Against the Weak](#) (book)

A litany to repentance in light of the depth of racism from the [Evangelical Lutheran Church in America](#). (worship resource)

**2. The Biology of Race**

[Humans and Race - AAAS - DoSER \(scienceregiondialogue.org\)](#) (Video, 3 minutes – we watched together)

[Joseph Graves - Race & Biology on Vimeo](#) (Video, 8 minutes)

[The Biology of Skin Color \(biointeractive.org\)](#) (Video, 18 minutes)

[Race Is a Social Construct, Scientists Argue - Scientific American](#) (article)

<https://understandingrace.org/> (website with video and interactive content)

<https://www.psychologytoday.com/us/blog/busting-myths-about-human-nature/201204/race-is-real-not-in-the-way-many-people-think> (article)

[Racism, Not Race: Answers to Frequently Asked Questions](#) by Joseph Graves and Alan Goodman (book)

<https://www.sapiens.org/biology/is-race-real/> (article)

Joseph Graves on BioLogos Podcast ([Part 1](#) and [Part 2](#))

<https://www.nationalgeographic.co.uk/people-and-culture/2018/04/theres-no-scientific-basis-race-its-made-label> (article)

**February 23:**

**1. Health Disparities and race**

From Dr. Fuller:

[Four Hundred Souls edited by Ibram X. Kendi and Keisha N. Blain](#) (book)

[Lies My Teacher Told Me by James W. Loewen](#) (book)

[Race and Medicine: What Covid-19 Unveiled](#) (long video, 1:31:48)

[Race and Medicine: Generational Trauma](#) (long video, 1:19:58)

[COVID Conversations: Brown Chapel AME Church Ypsilanti](#) (long video, 1:17:04)

[The Impact of COVID-19 Vaccines for African Americans](#) (long video, 1:12:22)

Other Resources:

[Being Black in America Can be Hazardous to your Health](#) (article)

[George Floyd and Ahmaud Arbery deaths: Racism causes life-threatening conditions for black men every day \(theconversation.com\)](#) (article)

[David R. Williams: How racism makes us sick | TED Talk](#) (video, 17 minutes)

[Growing up in poverty weakens later health – even if you escape it \(theconversation.com\)](#) (article)

[Effects of poverty, hunger and homelessness on children and youth \(apa.org\)](#) (article)

[The legacy of trauma \(apa.org\)](#) (article)

**2. How Race impacts our Minds**

[Some Science Behind Sin - Science for the Church](#) (article)

[Jennifer L. Eberhardt: How racial bias works -- and how to disrupt it | TED Talk](#) (video, 14 minutes – we watched together)

[The Bias Inside: A Conversation With Psychologist Jennifer Eberhardt - Behavioral Scientist](#) (article)

[Biased by Jennifer L. Eberhardt, PhD: 9780735224957 | PenguinRandomHouse.com](#) (book)

[Making people aware of their implicit biases doesn't usually change minds. But here's what does work | PBS NewsHour](#) (article)

[Anti-Racist Resources from the Greater Good Science Center](#) (series of articles and other resources)

<https://implicit.harvard.edu/implicit/index.jsp> (website where you can try an implicit bias test)

**Need Additional Help? Here's what Science for the Church can offer:**

- Visit [www.ScienceForTheChurch.org](http://www.ScienceForTheChurch.org) for resources to help you understand different areas of science and how you can bring them to church. Our specific Race & Science resources can be found [here](#).
- Our *weekly newsletter* covers the what, why, and how of engaging science for the benefit of the church.
- Reach out to us to learn about our *consulting services*. Email [admin@scienceforthechurch.org](mailto:admin@scienceforthechurch.org).
- *Invite* a member of our team to *preach, teach, or lead* a workshop for your church.