# RESTORATION Life in the Spirit Amidst Racism

# Response Opportunities

# All Bethany MRJR Discussion Groups

# Subversive Witness Book Discussion Groups

We will use Dominique Gilliard's book as a guide for conversation about engaging racial justice through the lens of faith.

Wednesdays, October 19–November 30  $\mid$  7-8:15pm  $\mid$  At Bethany Green Lake

churchbcc.org/registration/subversivewednesday

Sundays, October 23-December 4 | 1-2:30pm | Zoom churchbcc.org/registration/subversivesunday

# Lamenting Racism Video Discussion Group

We will learn about and practice biblical lament as a powerful way to confront racism.

Sundays, October 30–December 4  $\mid$  5–7pm  $\mid$  At a home near Bethany Green Lake

churchbcc.org/registration/lamentsunday

Saturdays, November 5-Dec 19 | 9-11am | Zoom churchbcc.org/registration/lamentsaturday

## **Events**

## **BIPOC** prayer

October 23 | 12:30-1:30pm

A quarterly online BIPOC-hosted space to welcome people and families of color and to provide opportunities for us to get to know one another across Bethany's locations. The Zoom link will be provided upon registration. churchbcc.org/bipocprayer

### MRJR Speaker Event with Dominique Gilliard November 14 | 6:30-8:30pm | Bethany Green Lake Sanctuary

Dominique Gilliard, author of Subversive Witness: Scripture's Call to Leverage Privilege, will lead us in a community listening and dialogue event engaging racial justice in the context of faith.

churchbcc.org/mrjrspeaker

#### MRJR Children's Event

November 14  $\mid$  6:15-7:30pm  $\mid$  BCC Green Lake Community Life Center

An age-appropriate special program for 1st-5th graders to learn and engage in Jesus' heart for racial reconciliation; plus child care for nursery to Kindergarten.

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### **BIPOC Meet & Greet**

### December 11 | 1-3pm | Jawando-Rivera home

The BIPOC Meet and Greet is a quarterly BIPOC-hosted space to welcome people and families of color and to provide opportunities for us to get to know one another across Bethany's locations. We'll connect over food and conversation, and kids are welcome to join! churchbcc.org/registration/meetandgreet

# Restorative Conversations: Servanthood Communication Skills for Divisive Times December 11 | 6-8pm | Zoom

A restorative justice session led by Ted Lewis of Restorative Church.

churchbcc.org/registration/restorativejustice

# **Location-Led Opportunities**

#### **BALLARD**

Sunday, October 30, 6:30-8pm at the Blue House Restoration Series Debrief and Group Discussion *churchbcc.org/registration/ballardrestoration* 

### **EASTSIDE**

Sunday In-Service Restoration Series small group discussion

### **EASTSIDE OCTOBER BIPOC SPACES**

Sundays in Woodinville I 7pm megank@churchbcc.org

### **GREEN LAKE & NORTH YOUTH CONVERSATIONS**

Wednesday & Sunday nights | 6-9pm chrisl@churchbcc.org & nathans@churchbcc.org to join.

### **NORTH SMALL GROUPS**

Join a connect group and follow the Restoration study guide this month.

### **NORTHEAST**

Sunday, October 30 Post Service Restoration Series Debrief and Group Discussion.

### **WEST SEATTLE**

Sunday October 16 & 23 Post Service Restoration Series Group Discussion.

### **WEST SEATTLE SMALL GROUPS**

Join a connect group and follow the Restoration study guide this month.

