

# A FILM SERIES HEALING THE IMPOSITION OF RACE AND RACISM

- You are invited to a monthly film series for the purpose of healing the imposition of race and racism.
- The goal is to deepen self-awareness and build your capacity to recognize, rebuke and heal racism in yourself and the world.

**Where:** First Church of Christ, Scientist  
233 S 156<sup>th</sup> Street, Burien, WA 98148

**When:** 2<sup>nd</sup> Sundays, January - April 2018 - 3:00 – 5:30 pm

**RSVP by Friday, January 12, 2018 – 206-243-0650**  
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First Church of Christ, Scientist, Burien, invites you to a film series for the purpose of deepening our self-awareness and building the capacity to recognize, unmask, rebuke and heal the imposition of race and racism in ourselves and in the world.

The format of the film series will include 4 films which will be viewed at First Church, Burien, on separate occasions for a period of 4 months, January – April, on the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the month from 3:00-5:30 pm. Each meeting will open with readings from the Bible and Mrs. Eddy's works prior to viewing the film and include a short discussion period followed with a brief closing. We also ask that you metaphysically prepare for the meetings with prayer on the topic of spiritual identity, and listening to God for the truth needed to heal racism.

The 4 films to be viewed are:

- 1) The documentary, *Cracking the Codes*, a World Trust film produced and directed by Shakti Butler. 75 min. See <https://world-trust.org/product/cracking-codes-system-racial-inequity/>
- 2) *Skin* – A British-South African 2008 biographical film (distributed by BBC Films) directed by Anthony Fabian, based on the book, *When She Was White: The True Story of a Family Divided by Race* by Judith Stone. 1 hr. 47 min.
- 3) *13<sup>th</sup>* – a 2016 American *Netflix* documentary by director Ava DuVernay. 1 hr. 40 min.
- 4) *Wondrous Oblivion* – a 2003 film written and directed by Paul Morrison distributed by Palm Pictures. 1 hr. 45 min.