

## 2025 Institute for Black Catholic Studies Booklist

COURSE: IBTH 5081 Christology

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### **REQUIRED TEXTS: (Include Title and ISBN Number)**

1. **Catherine Mowry LaCugna** (Feminist theologian in the ethnically diverse global Roman Catholic Church but predominately white U.S. Catholic Church that does not ordain women as clergy).
  - a. *God for Us: The Trinity and Christian Life*. San Francisco: HarperSanFrancisco, 1993.
  - b. ISBN: 978-0060649135
2. **James H. Cone** (Black liberationist theologian in the historically Black African Methodist Episcopal Church that ordains women as clergy).
  - a. *The Cross and the Lynching Tree*. Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 2018.
  - b. ISBN: 978-1626980051.
3. **M. Shawn Copeland** (Womanist theologian in the ethnically diverse global Roman Catholic Church but predominately white U.S. Catholic Church that does not ordain women as clergy).
  - a. *Knowing Christ Crucified: The Witness of African American Religious Experience*. Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 2018.
  - b. ISBN: 978-1626982987
4. **Kelly Brown Douglass** (Womanist theologian in the predominately white Protestant Episcopal Church in the United States of America that ordains women as clergy).
  - a. *Resurrection Hope: A Future Where Black Lives Matter*. Maryknoll, NY: Orbis Books, 2018.
  - b. ISBN: 978-1626984455

### **RECOMMENDED TEXT:**

1. **Carl F. Ellis, Jr.** (Black Reformed/Presbyterian theologian in the predominately white Presbyterian Church of America that does not ordain women as clergy).
  - a. *Free at Last?: The Gospel in the African American Experience*. Lisle, IL: InterVarsity Press, 1995.
  - b. ISBN: 9780830848584.