

# Studying Black Catholics: Testing My Patience, Faith, and Community



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6:00 PM

Holy Angels Catholic Church

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Despite a history of conflict and racial marginalization in the Church, Black Catholics are among the most engaged and religious groups. Black Catholics have had to struggle to be recognized as authentic Catholics. Based on his book, *Perseverance in the Parish? Religious Attitudes From A Black Catholic Perspective*, Dr. Davis will highlight the important findings and examine the challenges involved in researching and writing about Black Catholics.

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