# Conferences on Catholic Social Thought

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## Contributors are encouraged to explore:

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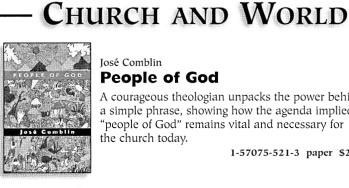
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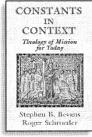
Analysis of existing documents in Catholic Social Thought that is particularly relevant to the issue.

Recommendations on how future documents might advance our understanding of the selected topic.

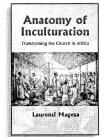
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