

We asked church leaders and staff to give us titles of some of the books they have read that helped them grow in their faith. Here is a list of their responses. These books are currently displayed in the library. Maybe they can help you in your faith walk, too.

**Rev. Charles Yoost, Senior Pastor:**

SIMPLY CHRISTIAN: Why Christianity Makes Sense by N.T. Wright  
THE HEART OF CHRISTIANITY: Rediscovering a Life of Faith by Marcus Borg  
THE WILL OF GOD by Leslie Weatherhead

**Rev. Mark Steiger, Associate Pastor:**

MEETING JESUS AGAIN FOR THE FIRST TIME by Marcus Borg  
DYNAMICS OF FAITH by Paul Tillich  
STRENGTH TO LOVE by Martin Luther King  
THE SEVEN STORY MOUNTAIN by Thomas Merton

**Rev. Dan Bogre, Associate Pastor:**

MOMENTUM FOR LIFE by Michael Slaughter

**Dr. William Kimball, Director of Foundation Advancement:**

MERE CHRISTIANITY by C.S. Lewis  
THE CHRONICLES OF NARNIA by C.S. Lewis  
PRAYER by Richard Foster  
THE SHACK by William P. Young

**Renee Leonard, Director of Children's Ministries:**

BLUE LIKE JAZZ: Nonreligious Thoughts on Christian Spirituality by Donald Miller  
THE JESUS I NEVER KNEW and WHAT'S SO AMAZING ABOUT GRACE? by Philip Yancey  
PEACE LIKE A RIVER by Leif Enger

**Curt Campbell, Youth Ministries Director:**

VELVET ELVIS: Repainting the Christian Faith by Rob Bell  
MERE CHRISTIANITY by C.S. Lewis

**Loretta Dahlstrom, Administrative Assistant**

THE CLOISTER WALK by Kathleen Norris

**Kevin Schaner, Chair of Global Ministries Council:**

GOD'S GOLDEN ACRE by Dale le Vack  
FIRST CENTURY DIARIES by Gene Edwards

**Elizabeth Conlon, Chair of Children's Council:**

GRACE BASED PARENTING by Tim Kimmel  
VELVET ELVIS: Repainting the Christian Faith by Rob Bell  
ONE WINTRY NIGHT by Ruth Bell Graham (For parents to read to their children)

**Barbara Messner, Church Librarian:**

CHRONICLES OF THE KINGS SERIES by Lynn Austin

**Kathleen Szabo, Chairperson of Library Committee:**

MEETING JESUS AGAIN FOR THE FIRST TIME by Marcus Borg  
THE HEART OF CHRISTIANITY: Rediscovering a Life of Faith by Marcus Borg  
READING THE BIBLE AGAIN FOR THE FIRST TIME by Marcus Borg  
THE FIRST PAUL by Marcus Borg and John Dominic Crossan  
THE CLOISTER WALK by Kathleen Norris  
THE HARMONY SERIES by Philip Gulley

**Marge Turk, Library Volunteer:**

FINDING GOD IN THE QUESTIONS: A Personal Journey by Dr. Timothy Johnson

**Marilyn Meadows, Library Volunteer:**

THE CLOISTER WALK by Kathleen Norris

**Lis Ruiz-Flint, Library Volunteer:**

A GRIEF OBSERVED by C.S. Lewis