

2017 Clergy Reading List

Title	Author
12 Keys to an Effective Church	Kennon Callahan
90 Minutes in Heaven	Don Piper with cecil Murphy
A Crucified Christ in Holy week	
A Deep Breath of Life	
A Failure of Nerve	Edwin Friedman
A More Christlike God, A More Beautiful Gospel	Brad Jersak
A Struggle for Reformation	D. Duane Cumminis
ABRAHAM-A Journey to the Heart of Three Faiths	Bruce Feiler
Ageless Faith	
An Adult Christ at Christmas	
An Introduction to the New Testament	M. Eugene Boring;
An Introduction to the Old Testament	Walter Brueggemann
Anything and Everything	Marcus Borg
Approval Addition	Joyce Meyer
As One Without Authority	Fred Craddock
Autopsy of a Deceased Church	Thom S. Rainer
Beyond Church Walls	Rick Rouse
Boundaries	Townsend and McCloud
Brene Brown!!!!	Brene Brown
Building Blocks for Longer Life and Ministry	
Called to Witness	Darrell Guder
Capture	David A. Kessler, MD
Catching Fire, Becoming Flame	Fr. Albert Haas
Celebration of Discipline	Richard Foster
Change Your Words Change Your Life	Joyce Meyer
Cherry Log Sermons	Fred B. Craddock
Christian Foundations	
Church Administration	Robert Welch
Church Conflict	Norma Cook Everest
Clergy Associates	
Craddock Stories	Fred Craddock
Crazy for God	Schaeffer
Creating a Healthier Church	Ronald Richardson
Cultivating Wholeness	Margaret Kornfeld
Disarming Scripture	Derek Flood
Disciples Eldership	Peter M Morgan
Disciples Path	
Doctrine of Prayer	TW Hunt
Don't Give Up, Don't Give In	Zamperini
El Manto de mi Padre	Angel Nuñez
Esther	Swindoll
Everything Belongs	Richard Rohr
Faith & Freedom	Schubert M. Ogden

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Finding a Faith That Makes Sense	Steven Cloglazier
Finding Peace in Life's Storms	Charles Spurgeon
First Time Pastoral Needs	The Ecumenical World
Frequency: Tune In, Hear God	Hear God
Fresh Encounter	Henry Blackaby
Gifts of the Spirit	Howard Thurman
Gleanings in The Godhead	Pink
God Hates: Westboro Baptist Church, American Nationalism and the Religious Right	Rebecca Barrett-Fox
God's Story, Your Story	Lucado
Good Grief	
Good News - A Scriptural Path to Reconciliation	
Good to Great	Jim Collins
Grace	Lucado
Guide to the Bible: Old and New Testaments	Isaac Asimov
Healing the Gospel	Derek Flood
Helping	Edgar H. Schein
His Way	Kay Dishner
History of Christianity	
How's Your Soul	
I Declare	Joel Osteen
Illusions: The Adventures of a Reluctant Messiah	Richard Bach
In a Pit with a Lion on a Snowy Day	
Intentional Living	
Introduction to the New Testament	Dr. Eugene Boring
Introduction to the New Testament (a refresher for me)	Dr. Eugene Boring
It's All in Your Mind	Benjamin
Jesus	
Jesus and the Disinherited	
Jesus Did It Anyway (The Paradoxical Commandments for Christians)	Kent M. Keith
Jesus Through Middle Eastern Eyes	Kenneth Bailey
Jesus: A Pilgrimage	
Judaism and the Origins of Christianity	David Flusser
Knowing God	J. I. Packer
Leadership Principles of St. Benedict	
Leap Over A Wall	Eugene Peterson
Learning to Walk in the Dark	
Leaving Church: A Memoir of Faith	
Liberating Ministry for the Success Syndrome	
Liderar de Aquí a Allá	Bill Hybels
Life Prayers from Around the World	
Love at the Heart of Things: A Biography of Douglas V. Steere	by Glenn Hinson

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Love Beyond Reason	John Ortberg
Memories, Hopes and Conversations	Mark L. Branson
Mere Christianity	C.S. Lewis
Mind of Christ	TW Hunt
Moments Together	Dennis and Barbara Rainey
Names for the Messiah	Walter Brueggemann
Next Door Savior	Max Lucado.
No Man Is An Island	Thomas Merton
No Perfect People Allowed	
Not a Silent Night	Adam Hamilton
Not the Way It's Supposed to Be: A Breviary of Sin	Cornelius Plantinga
On Being	Krista Tippet podcasts
On Living	Kerry Egan
On Moderation	Harry Clor
On Theology	Schubert M. Ogden
Out of Solitude	Henry Nouwen
People of the Chalice	Cartwright
Powers that Be	Walter Wink
Preaching	Fred Craddock
Preaching the Gospel Again	Borg
Preaching through the Christian Year	
Present-Over-Perfect	Shauna Niequist
Preventing Ministry Failure	
Retreat in the Real World	Finding Intimacy with God Wherever You
Reviving Old Scratch	Richard Beck
Room At the Table	Sandhya Jha
Sapiens: A Brief History of Humankind	Yuval Harari
Seeing Gray in a World of Black and White (Thoughts on Religion, Morality and Politics)	Adam Hamilton
Shame-less Lives, Grace-full Congregations	Sharon McClintock
Sharing the Practice	
Simply Jesus	N. T. Wright
Speaking of Sin	Barbara Brown Taylor
Spiritual Classics	Foster
Stopping	
The 5 Levels of Leadership	
The 7 Habits of Highly Effective People	Stephen R. Covey
The Art of Spiritual Guidance	
The Beauty of Intolerance: Setting a Generation Free to Know Truth and Love	Josh McDowell
The Bible Unearthed	Finkelstein & Silberman
The Burglary	Betty Metzger
The Call of Service	Robert Coles
The Children are Free	Jeff Miner & John Tyler Connoley

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The Color Purple	Alice Walker
The Discerning Heart	
The Divine Dance	Richard Rohr
The Emotionally Healthy Leader	
The Enlightened Heart	Ed. By Stephen Mitchell
The Enlightened Mind	Ed. By Stephen Mitchell
The Esther Effect	Dianna A Booher
The God Chaser	by Tommy Tunney
The Good and Beautiful God	
The Gospel of Jesus	MacArthur
The Healing Word: Gospel Medicine for the Soul	
The Heart of Christianity	Marcus Borg
The Hillbilly Elegy	J.D. Vance
The Holy Bible	
The Lost Art of Listening	Michael P. Nichols, PhD
The Miracles of Jesus	
The New Genesis	Ron Cole-Turner
The Once and Future Church	
The Once and Future Pastor	
The One and Only	Beth Moore
The Original Jesus	Tom Wright
The Parables of Jesus	
The Parables: Understanding What Jesus Meant	Gary Inrig
The Powers That Be	Walter Wink.
The Promises of God	Sproul
The Prophetic Imagination	Brueggeman
The Purpose Driven Church	Rick Warren
The Road Less Traveled	M. Scott Peck
The Road to Character	by David Brooks
The Sacred Meal	Nora Gallagher
The Shack	William P. Young
The Sign of Jonas	Thomas Merton
The Slavery of Death	Richard Beck
The Strategically Small Church: Intimate, Nimble, Authentic, and Effective	Brandon J. O'Brien
The Third Reconstruction	William Barber
The Uncontrolling Love of God	Thomas Oord
Theology for the 21st Century	Perry
Think and Grow Rich	
Transforming Christian Theology	Philip Clayton
Twelve Ordinary Men	
Twelve Steps to a Compassionate Life	Karen Armstrong
Unbinding the Gospel	Martha Grace Reese
Voices of the Faithful	Beth Moore

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Walking in the Dust of Rabbi Jesus	
We Make the Road by Walking	Brian McLaren
Welcoming but not Affirming	
What Christians Can Learn from Other Religions	J. Philip Wogaman.
What Happens when Women say Yes to God	Lisa TerKeurst
What the Bible Says About Homosexuality	Helminiak
When God is Silent	Barbara Brown Taylor
White Trash The 400 Year Old Untold Story of Class in America (Eye opening!!)	Nancy Isenberg
Who Moved My Pulpit? (audio book)	Thom S. Rainer
Why It Is Good to be Good	John Riker
Works of CS Lewis	CS Lewis
Wounded by God's People	Anne Graham Lotz
You Lost Me	
Zealot	Reza Aslan
A Study of several different translations of the Scripture	
anything by N. T. Wright	NT Wright
Articles on Drug Addiction	
Fellowship of Prayer	
Commentaries: NICOT/NICNT, NAC, TOTC/TNTC, IVP	
Life Application	
Commentary on I & II Peter	Fred Craddock
Commentary on John (I have been amazed at Bruner's insight)	Frederick Dale Bruner
Commentary on Matthew	John McArthur
Holman's Bible Commentaries	
Interpretation Bible Commentary	
Interpreters Bible Commentary	
Matthew Henry Commentary	
NIV Application Commentary	
The NIB commentaries (old and new) & Study Bible	
The People's Commentary	
The People's New Testament Commentary	Boring & Craddock
The People's New Testament Commentary	Fred B. Craddock and M. Eugene Boring
Various NT commentaries.	
Daily Lectionary	
Feasting on the Word lectionary and worship companion	
Keeping Holy Time (Years A, B & C)	
Worship Resources (Years A, B & C)	
An Expository Dictionary of New Testament Words	W.E. Vine
ATLA (American Theological Library Association) online	
Book of Common Prayer	
Chalice Worship	
Christian Century magazine	

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Review of The Congregational Code of Ethics	
Review of The Design of the Christian Church	disciples.org/Portals/0/PDF/TheDesign.pdf
Review of The Ministerial Code of Ethics	
Reviewed Theological Foundations of the Order of Ministry	
Fruit of the Spirit study	Beth Moore
Living the Questions Curriculum	
John Pavlovitz on-line resource	
Podcast - Homebrewed Christianity	
Simply Being – app for meditation & anxiety management;	
Vanderbilt online Lectionary	
Word app with over 3000 books accessible	
breakpoint.org	
Crosswalk.com	
Disciples.org lectionary	
Sermons4Kids	
textweek.com	
Textweek.com	
Celebrate Recovery Daily Devotional	
Daily Guideposts	
Daily Reflections on the Names of God	A Pennington
Guidepost Magazines (monthly)	
Tozer on Christian Leadership (devotional)	
Journal of the Association of Professional Chaplains	
Various articles from "INTERPRETATION"	
Inspirational Fiction	Amy Lillard (4)
Inspirational Fiction	Cindy Woodsmall (3)
Inspirational Fiction	Jan Karon (3)
Inspirational Fiction	Karen Kingsbury (6)
Inspirational Fiction	Leah Atwood (4)
Inspirational Fiction	Wanda Brunstetter (15)
safeTalk on suicide prevention	
Several books on Tai Chi and meditation. I practice Yoga and Tai Chi each week	