

2019 READING PROGRAM BOOK LIST

Scriptural Base for Reading Program: *Proverbs 8:11 – The Gifts of Wisdom*

“... for wisdom is better than jewels, and all that you may desire cannot compare with her.”

Policy Base: Ministries with Women and Ministries with Children and Youth: A Gift for the Whole Church.

A Policy Statement of United Methodist Women: Inform, educate and raise the consciousness of women to our social, economic and political realities, including the inter-connectedness of race, class and gender in women’s lives.

In the table below are the books available for the **2018 Reading Program**. For details on the Reading Program, please find us on the web at unitedmethodistwomen.org/readingprogram. Category legend can be found at the end of the book list.

CATEGORY	TITLE	AUTHOR	PUBLISHER	STOCK #	PRICE	BONUS
EFM	ESCAPE FROM THE GREEN MANSION – Ordinary Church Women and their Extraordinary Rescue of San Francisco’s Brothel Slaves	<i>Christine Taylor</i>	2014	Kindle-only		
		TITLE CHANGED TO: The Devil Came Down to Chinatown				
EFM	AN INSIDER’S GUIDE TO PRAYING FOR THE WORLD	<i>Brian C. Stiller</i>	Baker Publishing Group, 2016	Kindle-only		
EFM	THREADING MY PRAYER RUG – One Woman’s Journey from Pakistani Muslim to American Muslim	<i>Sabeeha Rehman</i>	Skyhorse Publishing, 2017	RP1922	\$17.99	
EFM	THE MISSION-MINDED GUIDE TO CHURCH AND SCHOOL PARTNERSHIPS	<i>Jake McGlothin</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017	RP1904	\$16.99	
EFM	ONE – Unity in a Divided World	<i>Deidra Riggs</i>	Baker Publishing Group, 2017	RP1908	\$14.99	



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LD	ELEANOR: A SPIRITUAL BIOGRAPHY – The Faith of the 20th Century’s Most Influential Woman	<i>Harold Ivan Smith</i>	Westminster John Knox Press, 2017	RP1923	\$20.00	
LD	FRESH EXPRESSIONS – A New Kind of Methodist Church for People Not in Church	<i>Kenneth H. Carter Jr. and Audrey Warren</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017	RP1901	\$14.99	
LD	SYNERGY – A Leadership Guide for Church Staff and Volunteers	<i>Ann A. Michel</i>	Abingdon Press, 2010	RP1903	\$14.99	
LD	WHO IS MY NEIGHBOR? <i>¿Quién es mi vecino?</i> – Learning Spanish as Church Hospitality	<i>Joyce Carrasco, MTS, et al.</i>	Teacher and Student manuals	Kindle-only		
LP SG	LESSONS TO NOURISH THE SOUL – Sermons to Encourage and Challenge You	<i>Rev. Marjorie E. Palmer</i>	Create Space, 2016	Kindle-only		
NFC	BETTER – Waking Up to Who We Could Be	<i>Melvin Bray</i>	Chalice Press, 2017	RP1911	\$21.99	
NFC	HOPE FOR THE FUTURE – Answering God’s Call to Justice for Our Children	<i>Shannon Daley-Harris</i>	Westminster John Knox Press, 2016	RP1924	\$17.00	
NFC	THE HIDDEN LIFE AWAKENED	<i>Kitty Crenshaw and Cathy Snapp, PhD.</i>	Cairns Resources, 2016	RP1918	\$14.95	
NFC	THE SAME SKY: A NOVEL	<i>Amanda Eyre Ward</i>	Penguin Random House, 2015	RP1920	\$15.00	
NFC	WHEN DID EVERYBODY ELSE GET SO OLD?	<i>Jennifer Grant</i>	Herald Press, 2017	RP1916	\$16.99	
SA	NOBODY CRIES WHEN WE DIE – God, Community, and Surviving to Adulthood	<i>Patrick B. Reyes</i>	Chalice Press, 2016	RP1912	\$19.99	✓
SA	WALKING ON LAVA – Selected Works for Uncivilized Times	<i>The Dark Mountain Project</i>	Chelsea Green, 2017	RP1913	\$20.00	✓

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SA	“WE ARE ALL FAST FOOD WORKERS NOW” – The Global Uprising Against Poverty Wages	<i>Annelise Orleck</i>	Beacon Press, 2018	RP1909	\$18.00	✓
SA	WHERE DO WE GO FROM HERE – Chaos or Community?	<i>Martin Luther King, Jr.</i>	Beacon Press, 2010	RP1910	\$16.00	
SG	BE STILL – Departure from Collective Madness	<i>Gordon C. Stewart and Eric Ringham</i>	Wipf & Stock, 2017	Kindle-only		
SG	SPOKEN INTO BEING – Divine Encounters through Story	<i>Michael W. Williams</i>	Upper Room Books, 2017	RP1902	\$12.99	
SG	THE SOULMAKING ROOM	<i>Dee Dee Risher</i>	Abingdon Press, 2016	RP1905	\$16.99	
SG	THE WESLEY CHALLENGE – 21 Days to a More Authentic Faith – Leader Guide	<i>Chris Folmsbee</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017	RP1907	\$12.99	
SG	THE WESLEY CHALLENGE – Participant Book	<i>Chris Folmsbee</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017	RP1906	\$14.99	
SG	WHAT WE NEED IS HERE – Practicing the Heart of Christian Spirituality	<i>L. Roger Owens</i>	Upper Room Books, 2017	Kindle-only		
CH NFC	ALL THE COLORS WE ARE – The Story of How We Get Our Skin Color	<i>Katie Kissinger</i>	RedLeaf Press, 2017	RP1921	\$16.95	
CH NFC	NO ONE ELSE LIKE YOU	<i>Siska Goeminne</i>	Westminster John Knox Press, 2016	RP1925	\$16.00	
CH NFC	NOBODY! – A Story About Overcoming Bullying in Schools	<i>Erin Frankel</i>	Free Spirit Publishing, 2015	Kindle		
LD	WEIRD! – A Story about Bullying in Schools	<i>Erin Frankel</i>	Free Spirit Publishing, 2012	Kindle		

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LD	RED	<i>Jan De Kinder</i>	Eerdmans Books for Young Readers, 2015	RP1915	\$16.00	
SG	ALL AROUND US	<i>Xelena González</i>	Cinco Puntos Press, 2017	RP1914	\$17.95	
YT EFM	AHIMSA	<i>Supriya Kelkar</i>	Lee & Low/Tu Books, 2017	Kindle-only		
YT NFC	DEAR IJEWELE, OR A FEMINIST MANIFESTO IN FIFTEEN SUGGESTIONS	<i>Chimamanda Ngozi Adichie</i>	Penguin Random House, 2017	Kindle-only		
YT LD	STEP UP TO THE PLATE MARIA SINGH	<i>Uma Krishnaswami</i>	Lee & Low/Tu Books, 2017	RP1917	\$16.95	
YT SG	WHAT'S YOUR STORY – Seeing Your Life Through God's Eyes	<i>Sarah Heath</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017	Kindle-only		
Korean and Spanish Titles						
KOR LD	리더가 리더에게 – 탁월한 지도력을 위한 4가지 핵심 원리 Problems of Christian Leadership: 4 Core principles for Excellence in leadership	<i>John R. W. Stott</i> (존 스토틀)	IVP, 2016 (Korean Translation)			
KOR EFM	믿음의 땅 순례의 길 – Land of Faith	<i>유성종 이소윤</i> (Sungjong Yoo and Soyeon Lee)	두란노, Duranno, 2016			
KOR NFC	언어의 온도 – Temperature of Language	<i>이기주</i> (Kijoo Lee)	말글터, Malgultur, 2016			
KOR SG	왜 일하는가? – Why work?	<i>조정민</i> (Jungmin Cho)	두란노, Duranno, 2017			
SP LD	EL ARTE DE COMUNICARNOS – Conceptos y Técnicas para una Comunicación Interpersonal Efectiva	<i>Oscar Anzorena</i>	Ediciones Lea			

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SP SG	EL BOSQUE ENCANTADO – Arte-Terapia para Colorear	<i>María Rosa Legarde</i>	Ediciones Lea			
SP SG	LA HISTORIA QUE HEREDAMOS – Novela Familiar y Trayectoria Social	<i>Vincent de Gaulejac</i>	Del Nuevo Extremo, 2016			
SP SA	MARTÍ Y SUS VERSOS POR LA LIBERTAD	<i>Emma Otheguy</i>	Lee & Low Books, 2017			
SP CH YT	POEMAS FAMILIARES PARA CADA DÍA DE LA SEMANA	<i>Francisco X. Alarcón</i>	Children’s Book Press 2015			

RECOMMENDED READING LIST

EFM	MAKE A DIFFERENCE – Following Your Passion and Finding Your Place to Serve	<i>James A. Harnish</i>	Abingdon Press, 2017
EFM	UNIFIED WE ARE A FORCE – How Faith and Labor Can Overcome America’s Inequalities	<i>Joerg Rieger and Rosemarie Henkel-Rieger</i>	Chalice Press, 2016
LD	COURAGE IS ABUNDANT IN THE ABSTRACT – Take Your Dreams from Abstract to Reality	<i>Selena Einwechter</i> <small>Click author’s name above to purchase from the publisher!</small>	Deeds Publishing, 2016
LD	HANDS ON THE FREEDOM PLOW – Personal Accounts by Women of SNCC	<i>Edited by Faith S. Hosaert</i>	University of Illinois Press, 2010
NFC	DEEP DENIAL – The Persistence of White Supremacy in United States History and Life	<i>David Billings</i>	Crandall, Dostie & Douglas Books, 2016
SA	DO ALL LIVES MATTER? – The Issues We Can No Longer Ignore and the Solutions We All Long For	<i>Wayne Gordon and John M. Perkins</i>	Baker Publishing Group, 2017
SA	THE FEATHERED BONE: A NOVEL	<i>Julie Cantrell</i>	Thomas Nelson Publishers, 2016
SA	LOVE IN A TIME OF CLIMATE CHANGE – Honoring Creation, Establishing Justice	<i>Sharon Delgado</i>	Fortress Press, 2017

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LEGEND:

EFM Education for Mission
LD Leadership Development
LP Large Print
NFC Nurturing for Community
SA Social Action
SG Spiritual Growth
CH Books for Children
YT Books for Youth

KOR Korean language titles
SP Spanish language titles
Bonus Bonus Book
Price Please note that prices are subject to change without notice