

# Faith Partners

## Suggested Book Resources

| Book  | Description   |
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| Mere Christianity, C.S. Lewis                 | Lewis, an Anglican, intended to describe the Christian common ground. In Mere Christianity, he aims at avoiding controversies to explain fundamental teachings of Christianity, for the sake of those basically educated as well as the intellectuals of his generation, for whom the jargon of formal Christian theology did not retain its original meaning.  |
| Rees Howells: The Intercessor, Norman Grubbs  | In this biography of Rees Howells, whose mastery of intercessory prayer had global consequences, we discover rich truths of the Spirit for all the church today. Norman Grubb tells the story with simplicity, humanity, and humor.   |
| Too Busy Not to Pray, Bill Hybels             | Most of us have trouble finding time to pray. There's church and school and neighborhood and job and friends and recreation. And then the crises hit! Time for prayer seems an impossible luxury. As a pastor, Bill Hybels knows hundreds of people with schedules like this. Yet in his own life he has made the hard discovery that prayer doesn't happen on the run. He decided he was too busy not to pray. |
| The Good and Beautiful God, James Bryan Smith | We all have ideas that we tell ourselves about God and how he works in our lives. Some are true--but many are false. James Bryan Smith believes those thoughts determine not only who we are, but how we live. In fact, Smith declares, the most important thing about a person is what they think about God. The path to spiritual transformation begins here.   |
| Deep Church, Jim Belcher                      | Feeling caught between the traditional church and the emerging church? Discover a third way: deep church.   |