



ST. DAVID'S  
EPISCOPAL CHURCH

**THE DAY OF PENTECOST: WHITSUNDAY**  
Holy Eucharist, Rite I  
May 24, 2026  
8:00 a.m.

**CELEBRANT & PREACHER** The Rev. Hope Tinsley Benko, Locum Tenens

☸ The flowers on the Altar are given to the glory of God and in thanksgiving for families. ☸

## SUNDAY WORSHIP SERVICES

All services in Historic Church

**8 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite I**  
*Spoken service without music*

**Sagrada Eucaristía, Rito I**  
*Misa rezada sin música*

**9 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II**  
*Incorporating materials from  
Enriching Our Worship*

**Sagrada Eucaristía, Rito II**  
*Incorporando materiales de  
Enriqueciendo Nuestra Adoración*

**11:15 a.m. Holy Eucharist, Rite II**  
*Traditional liturgy and music  
Livestreamed*

**Sagrada Eucaristía, Rito II**  
*Liturgia y música tradicionales  
Transmitida en vivo*



**Child care** available during worship services.  
8:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m. (2 months to 4 years), 1st Floor



**Assistive listening devices** Ask an usher to  
use in Historic Church.

## MUSIC NOTES



Learn about the music we hear in worship  
from Organist and Choirmaster  
Eric Mellenbruch. [stdave.org/music](http://stdave.org/music)

## SPECIAL DATES AND SERVICES

**Sunday, May 24 Day of Pentecost**  
*8 a.m., Historic Church*  
*10:30 a.m., Off site – Pease Park*  
*Parish potluck picnic to follow*

**Monday, May 25 Memorial Day**  
*Church offices and building closed*

## WEEKDAY PRAYER *Grace Chapel*

**Morning Prayer** Tuesdays, 9 a.m.

**Evening Prayer** Wednesdays, 5:15 p.m.

**Midday Prayer** Thursdays, 11:30 a.m.

## CHURCH HOURS AND PHONE

**Sunday:** 8 a.m.-1 p.m.

**Monday:** 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Tuesday:** 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Wednesday:** 8 a.m.-9 p.m.

**Thursday:** 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Friday:** 8 a.m.-6 p.m.

**Saturday:** Closed

**Phone:** 512.610.3500

## VISITORS

Contact the Rev. Hope Tinsley Benko: [hope.b@stdave.org](mailto:hope.b@stdave.org)

Welcome! We're so glad you've joined us for worship today. If you'd like information about getting connected at St. David's, please fill out the guest card in front of you, email the Rev. Hope Tinsley Benko, *locum tenens*, or call 512.610.3548. We look forward to hearing from you!

¡Bienvenidos! Nos alegra mucho que nos acompañen a la celebración de hoy. Si desea información sobre cómo integrarse a St. David's, por favor, llene una tarjeta de invitado disponible en el portabiblias, comuníquese con la Reverenda Hope Tinsley Benko, *locum tenens*, por correo electrónico, o llame al 512.610.3548.  
¡Nos gustaría saber mas de usted!



Scan for Online  
Guest Card  
[stdave.org/visitors](http://stdave.org/visitors)

## NEWCOMER CLASSES & BREAKFAST

**Breakfast: Sunday, June 14, 10 a.m., Sumners Hall**

Contact [hope.b@stdave.org](mailto:hope.b@stdave.org) for more info.

## NAME TAGS

Need a new or replacement name tag? Fill out sign-up sheet at the Front Desk. Pick up your new name tag the following Sunday. You are invited to select a pronoun sticker from the visitor's table in the lobby.

## RESTROOMS

Gendered bathrooms are outside Bethell Hall and Crail Hall. Non-gendered bathrooms can be found in the 2nd-floor hallway off the lobby.

## PARKING

Parking is free during church services and events. You do not need to scan anything to park in the garage or surface lot on Sunday mornings or Wednesday evenings. Validate (license plate #) at the Front Desk all other times.

## WAYS TO GIVE

- Give online with the QR code
- Complete the giving card or envelope found in the worship spaces and place in the offering plate
- Visit [stdave.org/give](http://stdave.org/give)



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## SUBSCRIBE TO OUR NEWSLETTER



Sign up for email news sent every two weeks about special events, worship, and ways to connect with our community.  
[stdave.org/news](http://stdave.org/news)



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# DAY OF PENTECOST: WHITSUNDAY, YEAR A

## THE LITURGY OF THE WORD

### OPENING ACCLAMATION

BCP, P. 323

Alleluia. Christ is risen.

✠ **The Lord is risen indeed. Alleluia.**

*Celebrant*

Almighty God, unto whom all hearts are open, all desires known, and from whom no secrets are hid: Cleanse the thoughts of our hearts by the inspiration of thy Holy Spirit, that we may perfectly love thee, and worthily magnify thy holy Name; through Christ our Lord. ✠ **Amen.**

### GLORIA

BCP, P. 324

✠ **Glory be to God on high,  
and on earth peace, good will towards men.**

We praise thee, we bless thee,  
we worship thee,  
we glorify thee,  
we give thanks to thee for thy great glory,  
O Lord God, heavenly King, God the Father Almighty.

O Lord, the only-begotten Son, Jesus Christ;  
O Lord God, Lamb of God, Son of the Father,  
that takest away the sins of the world,  
have mercy upon us.

Thou that takest away the sins of the world,  
receive our prayer.

Thou that sittest at the right hand of God the Father,  
have mercy upon us.

For thou only art holy;  
thou only art the Lord;  
thou only, O Christ,  
with the Holy Ghost,  
art most high in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

### COLLECT FOR THE DAY OF PENTECOST: WHITSUNDAY

BCP, P. 175

The Lord be with you.

✠ **And with thy spirit.**

Let us pray.

O God, who on this day didst teach the hearts of thy faithful people by sending to them the light of thy Holy Spirit: Grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgment in all things, and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort; through the merits of Christ Jesus our Savior, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the same Spirit, one God, world without end. ✠ **Amen.**

*Please be seated.*

**LESSON:** Acts 2:1-21

A Reading from the Acts of the Apostles.

The Word of the Lord.

✠ **Thanks be to God.**

*Please read responsively by whole verse.*

**RESPONSE:** 104:25-35, 37

**BCP, P. 735**

25 O Lord, how manifold are your works! \*  
in wisdom you have made them all;  
the earth is full of your creatures.

✠ **26 Yonder is the great and wide sea  
with its living things too many to number, \*  
creatures both small and great.**

27 There move the ships,  
and there is that Leviathan, \*  
which you have made for the sport of it.

✠ **28 All of them look to you \*  
to give them their food in due season.**

29 You give it to them; they gather it; \*  
you open your hand, and they are filled with good things.

✠ **30 You hide your face, and they are terrified; \*  
you take away their breath,  
and they die and return to their dust.**

31 You send forth your Spirit, and they are created; \*  
and so you renew the face of the earth.

✠ **32 May the glory of the Lord endure for ever; \*  
may the Lord rejoice in all his works.**

33 He looks at the earth and it trembles; \*  
he touches the mountains and they smoke.

✠ **34 I will sing to the Lord as long as I live; \*  
I will praise my God while I have my being.**

35 May these words of mine please him; \*  
I will rejoice in the Lord.

✠ **37 Bless the Lord, O my soul. \*  
Hallelujah!**

The Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

✠ **Glory be to thee, O Lord.**

**GOSPEL:** John 20:19-23

The Gospel of the Lord.

✠ **Praise be to thee, O Christ.**

**SERMON:** The Rev. Hope Tinsley Benko

*Please stand.*

**RENEWAL OF BAPTISMAL VOWS**

**BCP, P. 292**

Through the Paschal mystery, dear friends, we are buried with Christ by Baptism into his death, and raised with him to newness of life. I call upon you, therefore, to renew the solemn promises and vows of Holy Baptism, by which we once renounced Satan and all his works, and promised to serve God faithfully in his holy Catholic Church.

Do you believe in God the Father?

✠ **I believe in God, the Father almighty, creator of heaven and earth.**

Do you believe in Jesus Christ, the Son of God?

✠ **I believe in Jesus Christ, his only Son, our Lord. He was conceived by the power of the Holy Spirit and born of the Virgin Mary. He suffered under Pontius Pilate, was crucified, died, and was buried. He descended to the dead. On the third day he rose again. He ascended into heaven and is seated at the right hand of the Father. He will come again to judge the living and the dead.**

Do you believe in God the Holy Spirit?

✠ **I believe in the Holy Spirit, the holy catholic Church, the communion of saints, the forgiveness of sins, the resurrection of the body, and the life everlasting.**

Will you continue in the apostles' teaching and fellowship, in the breaking of bread, and in the prayers?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you persevere in resisting evil, and, whenever you fall into sin, repent and return to the Lord?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you proclaim by word and example the Good News of God in Christ?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you seek and serve Christ in all persons, loving your neighbor as yourself?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

Will you strive for justice and peace among all people, and respect the dignity of every human being?

✠ **I will, with God's help.**

*Celebrant*

May Almighty God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, who has given us a new birth by water and the Holy Spirit, and bestowed upon us the forgiveness of sins, keep us in eternal life by his grace, in Christ Jesus our Lord. ✠ **Amen.**

## PRAYERS OF THE PEOPLE

BCP, P. 329

Let us pray for the whole state of Christ's Church and the world.

Almighty and everliving God, who in thy holy Word hast taught us to make prayers, and supplications, and to give thanks for all men: Receive these our prayers which we offer unto thy divine Majesty, beseeching thee to inspire continually the Universal Church with the spirit of truth, unity, and concord; and grant that all those who do confess thy holy Name may agree in the truth of thy holy Word, and live in unity and godly love.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

Give grace, O heavenly Father, to all bishops and other ministers, especially Sean, our Presiding Bishop; Andy, Kai, Jeff, Brian, and Hector, our Bishops; and Alinafe, Bishop of Southern Malawi, that they may, both by their life and doctrine, set forth thy true and lively Word, and rightly and duly administer thy holy Sacraments.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

And to all thy people give thy heavenly grace, and especially to this congregation here present; that, with meek heart and due reverence, they may hear and receive thy holy Word, truly serving thee in holiness and righteousness all the days of their life.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

We beseech thee also so to rule the hearts of those who bear the authority of government in this and every land, especially Donald, our President; Greg, our Governor; and Kirk, our Mayor, that they may be led to wise decisions and right actions for the welfare and peace of the world.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

Open, O Lord, the eyes of all people to behold thy gracious hand in all thy works, that, rejoicing in thy whole creation, they may honor thee with their substance, and be faithful stewards of thy bounty.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

And we most humbly beseech thee, of thy goodness, O Lord, to comfort and succor those for whom prayers have been requested through St. David's and all those who, in this transitory life, are in trouble, sorrow, need, sickness, or any other adversity.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

And we also bless thy holy Name for all thy servants departed this life in thy faith and fear [especially \_\_\_\_\_], beseeching thee to grant them continual growth in thy love and service; and to grant us grace so to follow the good examples of the Blessed Virgin Mary, blessed David of Wales, and of all thy saints, that with them we may be partakers of thy heavenly kingdom.

Lord, in thy mercy.

✠ **Hear our prayers.**

Grant these our prayers, O Father, for Jesus Christ's sake, our only Mediator and Advocate.

✠ **Amen**

## THE PEACE

The peace of the Lord be always with you.

✠ **And with thy spirit.**

*The Ministers and People may greet one another in the name of the Lord.*

## ANNOUNCEMENTS

## OFFERTORY

## THE HOLY COMMUNION

### THE GREAT THANKSGIVING: EUCHARISTIC PRAYER II

BCP, P. 340

The Lord be with you.

✠ **And with thy spirit.**

Lift up your hearts.

✠ **We lift them up unto the Lord.**

Let us give thanks unto our Lord God.

✠ **It is meet and right so to do.**

It is very meet, right, and our bounden duty, that we should at all times, and in all places, give thanks unto thee, O Lord, holy Father, almighty, everlasting God, through Jesus Christ our Lord; according to whose true promise the Holy Ghost came down [on this day] from heaven, lighting upon the disciples, to teach them and to lead them into all truth; uniting peoples of many tongues in the confession of one faith, and giving to thy Church the power to serve thee as a royal priesthood, and to preach the Gospel to all nations.

Therefore with Angels and Archangels, and with all the company of heaven, we laud and magnify thy glorious Name; evermore praising thee, and saying,

✠ **Holy, holy, holy, Lord God of Hosts:**

**Heaven and earth are full of thy glory.**

**Glory be to thee, O Lord Most High.**

**Blessed is he that cometh in the name of the Lord.**

**Hosanna in the highest.**

All glory be to thee, O Lord our God, for that thou didst create heaven and earth, and didst make us in thine own image; and, of thy tender mercy, didst give thine only Son Jesus Christ to take our nature upon him, and to suffer death upon the cross for our redemption. He made there a full and perfect sacrifice for the whole world; and did institute, and in his holy Gospel command us to continue, a perpetual memory of that his precious death and sacrifice, until his coming again.”

For in the night in which he was betrayed, he took bread; and when he had given thanks to thee, he broke it, and gave it to his disciples, saying, “Take, eat, this is my Body, which is given for you. Do this in remembrance of me.”

Likewise, after supper, he took the cup; and when he had given thanks, he gave it to them, saying, “Drink this, all of you; for this is my Blood of the New Covenant, which is shed for you, and for many, for the remission of sins. Do this, as oft as ye shall drink it, in remembrance of me.”

Wherefore, O Lord and heavenly Father, we thy people do celebrate and make, with these thy holy gifts which we now offer unto thee, the memorial thy Son hath commanded us to make; having in remembrance his blessed passion and precious death, his mighty resurrection and glorious ascension; and looking for his coming again with power and great glory.

And we most humbly beseech thee, O merciful Father, to hear us, and, with thy Word and Holy Spirit, to bless and sanctify these gifts of bread and wine, that they may be unto us the Body and Blood of thy dearly-beloved Son Jesus Christ.

And we earnestly desire thy fatherly goodness to accept this our sacrifice of praise and thanksgiving, whereby we offer and present unto thee, O Lord, our selves, our souls and bodies. Grant, we beseech thee, that all who partake of this Holy Communion may worthily receive the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son Jesus Christ, and be filled with thy grace and heavenly benediction; and also that we and all thy whole Church may be made one body with him, that he may dwell in us, and we in him; through the same Jesus Christ our Lord;

By whom, and with whom, and in whom, in the unity of the Holy Ghost all honor and glory be unto thee, O Father Almighty, world without end. ✠ **AMEN.**

And now, as our Savior Christ hath taught us, we are bold to say,

### **THE LORD'S PRAYER**

✠ **Our Father, who art in heaven,  
hallowed be thy Name,  
thy kingdom come,  
thy will be done,  
on earth as it is in heaven.  
Give us this day our daily bread.  
And forgive us our trespasses,  
as we forgive those  
who trespass against us.  
And lead us not into temptation,  
but deliver us from evil.  
For thine is the kingdom,  
and the power, and the glory,  
for ever and ever. Amen.**

### **THE BREAKING OF THE BREAD**

#### **Fraction Anthem**

Alleluia. Christ our Passover is sacrificed for us;

✠ **Therefore let us keep the feast. Alleluia.**

#### **INVITATION**

The Gifts of God for the People of God. Take them in remembrance that Christ died for you, and feed on him in your hearts by faith, with thanksgiving.

*Please be seated.*

#### **MINISTRATION OF COMMUNION**

*Please form two lines in the center aisle and proceed to the Altar if you wish to receive Communion or a blessing.*

*If you desire a blessing, please cross your arms across your chest.*

*Please ask an usher if you need Communion brought to you.*

*Gluten-free wafers are available by request.*

## POSTCOMMUNION PRAYER

BCP, P. 339

Let us pray.

✠ Almighty and everliving God, we most heartily thank thee for that thou dost feed us, in these holy mysteries, with the spiritual food of the most precious Body and Blood of thy Son our Savior Jesus Christ; and dost assure us thereby of thy favor and goodness towards us; and that we are very members incorporate in the mystical body of thy Son, the blessed company of all faithful people; and are also heirs, through hope, of thy everlasting kingdom. And we humbly beseech thee, O heavenly Father, so to assist us with thy grace, that we may continue in that holy fellowship, and do all such good works as thou hast prepared for us to walk in; through Jesus Christ our Lord, to whom, with thee and the Holy Ghost, be all honor and glory, world without end. Amen.

## BLESSING

The peace of God, which passeth all understanding, keep your hearts and minds in the knowledge and love of God, and of his Son Jesus Christ our Lord; and the blessing of God Almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Ghost, be amongst you, and remain with you always. ✠ Amen.

## DISMISSAL

Let us go forth into the world rejoicing in the power of the Spirit.

✠ Thanks be to God.

## St. David's Prayer List

### Prayers for healing or guidance:

Christian Anthony	Dusty and Ruth McDonald
Stephen Bachofen	Diamond Milligan
Jim Bethell	Br. Bede Mudge
Kay Bonner	Jackie Mulford
Judy and Bob Botsford	Jane Nelson
Diane Broberg	Carol Petty
Paul Brownell	Ace and Dianna Pickens
Aileen Carter	Linda Prentice
Carolyn Cornell	Jackie Reutz
Chayla Fisher	Bob Riendeau
Dan Green	David Schumaker
Barbara Grove	Henrietta Sorrells
Kevin Harley	Elizabeth Spear
Betty Harris	Gayle Tharp
Dagi Henry	Caroline Tierney
Malone Hill	Tricia Townsend
Jimmy Hill	Monica Valdez
Marsha Jensen	Jo Wicker
Emil Joan-Anthony	George Zwicker
Melissa Keane	Austin
PJ Liles	

### Prayers for the newly born:

Etta Cooper  
Gemma Rae Hagood  
Baby girl Hubbard-Dupree

### Prayers for those who are expecting:

Lauren and Trevor Harris	Jenna and Joel Burleson-Davis
Esther Loukota and Quinn Christy	

### Prayers for those who have died:

Estefani Lorena Guzman

## PRAYER REQUESTS



Request a prayer with the QR code, complete a prayer card, email [prayers@stdave.org](mailto:prayers@stdave.org), or call the church to let clergy know if someone is in the hospital or has a special need.

# UPCOMING MINISTRY AND EVENT HIGHLIGHTS

MORE INFO AND RSVP AT [STDAVE.ORG/CALENDAR](http://stdave.org/calendar)

## ADULT CLASSES

Contact Anna Beaudry: [adultformation@stdave.org](mailto:adultformation@stdave.org)

### SUNDAY MORNINGS

- 8:30-9 a.m. Sunday Morning Meditation, Library
  - 10-11 a.m., Bethell Hall
    - June 7 Books & Authors Series: God of the Whirlwind
    - June 14 Books & Authors Series: Forgiving God
    - June 28 Books & Authors Series: Too Precious to Lose
- Men's Bible Study, Library  
Reading the Bible ToGather, Guild Parlor

### WEEKDAY OFFERINGS

- Thursdays 10:30 a.m.-Noon  
Medieval Book Club, Zoom



Learn about adult classes and speakers on the Adult Formation webpage and register at [stdave.org/classes](http://stdave.org/classes)

## YOUNG ADULTS (20s-30s)

Contact: [youngadults@stdave.org](mailto:youngadults@stdave.org)

Learn more: [stdave.org/youngadults](http://stdave.org/youngadults)

### TAPESTRY AUSTIN BIBLE STUDY

1st and 3rd Sundays, 5-7 p.m.  
The Brewtorium, 6015 Dillard Cir. A  
May 17: Micah

### EPISCO" PALS"

Thursday, May 21, North Hills Area  
7 p.m. Dinner from Honest Mary's, RSVP by May 20

## FELLOWSHIP

### MONTHLY MEN'S FELLOWSHIP DINNER

Last Thursdays, June 25, 6-8 p.m.  
\$20 per person, RSVP by Sunday before  
Contact: [mensgroup@stdave.org](mailto:mensgroup@stdave.org)

### PRIME TIMERS (50+) BARBECUE POTLUCK

Saturday, June 6, 11 a.m., Private home in the Hill Country  
Contact: [primetimers@stdave.org](mailto:primetimers@stdave.org)

## COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT

Contact Dianne Hardy-Garcia: [communityengagement@stdave.org](mailto:communityengagement@stdave.org)

### ADVOCACY MEETINGS

1st Sundays, 12:15-1:30 p.m., Vestry Room

### WEDNESDAY EVENING VOLUNTEER DROP-IN

Wednesdays, 4:30-6 p.m., Sumners Hall



See all events and donation links on the Community Engagement webpage.  
[stdave.org/communityengagement](http://stdave.org/communityengagement)

## HOSPITALITY *Sumners Hall (3rd Floor)*

Contact Ray Trono: [hospitality@stdave.org](mailto:hospitality@stdave.org)

### SUNDAY BREAKFAST 8:30-11 a.m.

Large \$9, Small \$7, A la carte \$3

*Let the cashier know if it is your first visit and your meal is on us!*

### WEDNESDAY DINNER 5:30-6:30 p.m.

12 years and under \$8, 13 years and up \$11

### THURSDAY LUNCH 11:30 a.m.-1 p.m.

Open to the public, parking validated



Sign up for menu updates  
[stdave.org/hospitality](http://stdave.org/hospitality)

## CHILDREN AND YOUTH

Contact the Rev. Kristin Braun: [children@stdave.org](mailto:children@stdave.org)

Contact: [youth@stdave.org](mailto:youth@stdave.org)

### SUNDAY MORNINGS

- 8:30 a.m.-12:45 p.m., 1st Floor
  - Child care (Ages 2 months-4 years)
- 9:45 a.m. Children's breakfast and check-in
- 10-11 a.m.
  - Children's Formation
    - Catechesis of the Good Shepherd
    - Junior Journey & Joyful Journeys
  - Youth Formation, Youth Room, Rm. 170

### WEDNESDAY EVENINGS

- 5:30-7:30 p.m. Episcopal Youth Community (EYC)
- 6-7 p.m. Children's Choir (Kindergarten-5th grade)
  - Contact [childrens.choir@stdave.org](mailto:childrens.choir@stdave.org)

### VACATION BIBLE SCHOOL

June 1-5, 9 a.m.-Noon

Snowball Mountain Challenge for kids ages 3 and up.  
Babycare available for volunteers. Register online.

### YOUTH SERVICE WEEKEND

Friday, June 12, 5 p.m.-Sunday, June 14, 10:30 a.m.

For 6-12<sup>th</sup> graders; Stay overnight in the church for a service project, bonding activities, and silly times. Register online.



More info, registration, and summer offerings on the Children & Youth webpage.  
[stdave.org/childrenandyouth](http://stdave.org/childrenandyouth)

## VESTRY UPDATES



### RECTOR TRANSITION

Visit the Vestry Blog to learn about the rector transition process. [stdave.org/vestry](http://stdave.org/vestry)



St. David's Episcopal Church

# 2026 Books and Authors Series

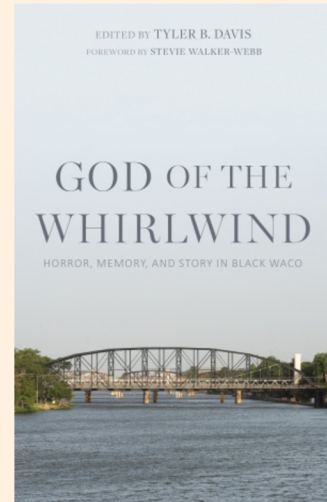
Sundays, June 7, 14, and 28  
10 a.m., Bethell Hall

*\*\* all books will be available for purchase during these events \*\**

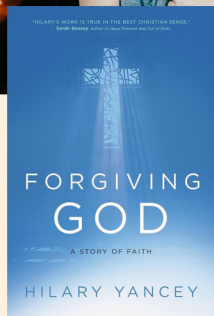


## JUNE 7

Taylor Davis and  
Linda Jann Lewis



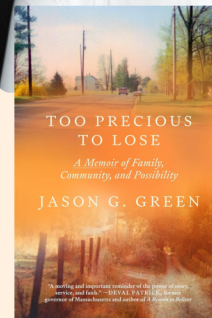
*God of the Whirlwind:  
Horror, Memory, and Story  
in Black Waco*



**JUNE 14**

Hilary  
Yancey

*Forgiving God:  
A Story of Faith*



**JUNE 28**

Jason G.  
Green

*Too Precious  
to Lose: A Memoir  
of Family,  
Community,  
& Possibility*

Visit the Adult Formation blog  
to learn more about the authors.

