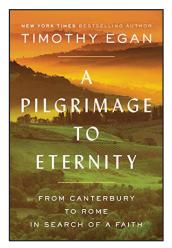
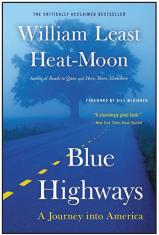
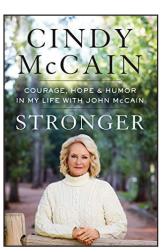
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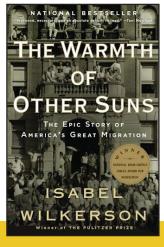
# JOURNEY ON St. Luke's Church BOOK CLUB

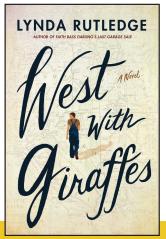
St. Luke's Book Club returns this fall with a slight twist. Members will meet at 12:30 in the Undercroft (unless otherwise noted) to enjoy a light lunch and engaging conversation. The theme of this cycle is "Journey On" and, as you review the titles below, you'll see that they focus on a range of journeys from the spiritual to the personal to the political. Multiple copies of each title will be provided by the Granville Public Library. All members as well as friends of St. Luke's are welcome to participate. If you would like to journey with us, please email your intent to participate to the church office at office@stlukesgranville.org

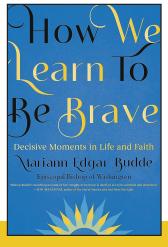


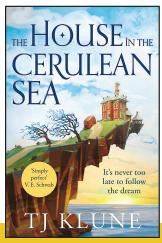












### 09.13.23

# A Pilgrimage to Eternity: From Canterbury to Rome in Search of a Faith Timothy Egan

Moved by his mother's death and his Irish Catholic family's complicated history with the church, Timothy Egan decided to follow in the footsteps of centuries of seekers to force a reckoning with his own beliefs. He embarked on a thousand–mile pilgrimage through the theological cradle of Christianity, exploring one of the biggest stories of our time: the collapse of religion in the world that it created.

### 10.25.23

# **Blue Highways: A Journey Into America** William Least Heat-Moon

Hailed as a masterpiece of American travel writing, *Blue Highways* is an unforgettable journey along our nation's back roads. William Least Heat–Moon set out with little more than the need to put home behind him and a sense of curiosity about "those little towns that get on the map — if they get on at all — only because some cartographer has a blank space to fill. His adventures, his discoveries, and his recollections of the extraordinary people he encountered along the way amount to a revelation of the true American experience.

# 12.06.23

# **Stronger** Cindy McCain

Cindy Hensley was just out of college when she met and fell in love with the celebrated Navy hero John McCain. They embarked on a thrilling life together that put her at the center of American politics for over four decades. In Stronger, she is honest in revealing her own successes and missteps. More than just a political story, Stronger is the unforgettable journey of one woman who believes in family, honor, and country—and is willing to stand up for all of them.

### 01.17.24

# The Warmth of Other Suns Isabel Wilkerson

From 1915 to 1970, this exodus of almost six million people changed the face of America. Wilkerson compares this epic migration to the migrations of other peoples in history. With stunning historical detail, Wilkerson tells this story through the lives of three unique individuals: Ida Mae Gladney, who in 1937 left sharecropping and prejudice in Mississippi for Chicago, and, in old age, voted for Barack Obama. George Starling, who in 1945 fled Florida for Harlem, and Robert Foster, who left Louisiana in 1953 to pursue a medical career.

### 02.28.24

# West With Giraffes Lynda Rutledge

Woodrow Wilson Nickel, age 105, feels his life ebbing away. But when he learns giraffes are going extinct, he finds himself recalling the unforgettable experience he cannot take to his grave. It's 1938. The Great Depression lingers. Hitler is threatening Europe, and world-weary Americans long for wonder. They find it in two giraffes who miraculously survive a hurricane while crossing the Atlantic. What follows is a twelve-day road trip in a custom truck to deliver Southern California's first giraffes to the San Diego Zoo.

### 04.10.24

### How We Learn To Be Brave Bishop Mariann Budde

An inspirational guide to the key junctures in life that, if navigated with faith and discernment, pave the way for us to become our most courageous selves, by the bishop of the famed Episcopal Diocese of Washington, D.C. The decisive moments in life are those pivot points when we're called on to push past our fears and act with strength. With *How We Learn to Be Brave*, Bishop Mariann Budde teaches us to respond with clarity and grace even in the toughest times.

### 04.22.24

# The House By The Cerulean Sea TJ Clune

A magical island. A dangerous task. A burning secret. Linus Baker leads a quiet, solitary life. At forty, he lives in a tiny house with a devious cat and his old records. As a Case Worker at the Department in Charge Of Magical Youth, he spends his days overseeing the well-being of children in government-sanctioned orphanages. When Linus is unexpectedly summoned by Extremely Upper Management he's given a curious and highly classified assignment.