

Great Reads from St. Brendan's Book Club

2026 Selections

[Be Ready When the Luck Happens](#) (Ina Garten)
[All About Me](#) (Mel Brooks)
[Separation of Church and Hate](#) (John Fugelsang)
[What I Ate in One Year](#) (Stanley Tucci)
[The Lost Bookshop](#) (Evie Woods)
[There are Rivers in the Sky](#) (Elif Shafak)
[Smoketown](#) (Mark Whitaker)
[My Beautiful Friend](#) (Elena Ferrante)
[Patriot](#) (Alexei Navalny)

2025 Selections

[The Women](#) (Kristin Hannah)
[James](#) (Percival Everett)
[The Great Stewardess Rebellion](#) (Nell McShane Wulfhart)
[The Ride of Her Life](#) (Elizabeth Letts)
[Hello Beautiful](#) (Ann Napolitano)
[Master, Slave, Husband, Wife](#) (Ilyon Woo)
[The God of the Woods](#) (Liz Moore)
[The Maid](#) (Nita Prose)
[On Call: A Doctor's Journey in Public Service](#) (Anthony Fauci, MD)
[Born a Crime](#) (Trevor Noah)

2024 Selections

[Four Seasons in Rome](#) (Anthony Doerr)
[Cloud Cuckoo Land](#) (Anthony Doerr)
[The Stationery Shop](#) (Marjan Kamali)
[Forty Autumns](#) (Nina Willner)
[Remarkably Bright Creatures](#) (Shelby van Pelt)
[My Life in France](#) (Julia Child)
[Did Ye Hear Mammy Died](#) (Seamus O'Reilly)
[An Invisible Thread](#) (Laura Schroff)
[The Wager](#) (David Grann)
[The Heaven and Earth Grocery Store](#) (James McBride)
[American Sirens: The Incredible Story of the Black Men Who Became America's First Paramedics](#) (Kevin Hazzard)
[The Island of Missing Trees](#) (Elif Shafak)



2019-23 Selections

[The Geography of Bliss](#) (Eric Weiner)
[The Noticer](#) (Andy Andrews)
[The Marriage Portrait](#) (Maggie O'Farrell)
[Hamnet](#) (Maggie O'Farrell)
[An Immense World](#) (Ed Yong)
[The Dutch House](#) (Ann Patchett)
[Dear Edward](#) (Ann Napolitano)
[The Splendid and the Vile](#) (Eric Larson)
[Next Year in Havana](#) (Chanel Cleeton)
[The Paris Library](#) (Janet Skeslien Charles)
[Still Life: A Three Pines Mystery](#) (Louise Penny)
[The Boys: A Memoir of Hollywood and Family](#) (Ron & Clint Howard)
[Interior Chinatown](#) (Charles Yu)
[The Vanishing Half](#) (Britt Bennett)
[We Were Never Here](#) (Andrea Bartz)
[The Evening and the Morning](#) (Ken Follett)
[Circling the Sun](#) (Paula McClain)
[All That She Carried: The Journey of Ashley's Sack, a Black Family's Keepsake](#) (Tiya Miles)
[The Personal Librarian](#) (Marie Benedict)
[The Lacuna](#) (Barbara Kingsolver)
[The Thursday Murder Club](#) (Richard Osman)
[Fifty Acres and a Poodle](#) (Jeanne Marie Laskas)
[Becoming](#) (Michelle Obama)
[Emily, Alone](#) (Steward O'Nan)
[Rocket Boys, A Memoir](#) (Homer Hickman)
[In the Time of Butterflies](#) (Julia Alvarez)
[Where the Crawdads Sing](#) (Delia Owens)
[Founding Mothers](#) (Cokie Roberts)
[Cutting for Stone](#) (Abraham Verghese)
[The Hiding Place](#) (Corrie Ten Boom)
[A Gentleman in Moscow](#) (Amor Towles)
[Educated](#) (Tara Westover)

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Riverstone Books (McCandless and Squirrel Hill) and The Little Green Bookstore (Zelienople)
are favorites too!

