

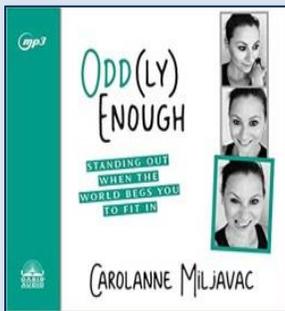


New Audio Books for Your Travels

Want something to challenge your brain? Want to be inspired? Maybe you prefer to be entertained. See (and hear) what's new in our audio book collection.



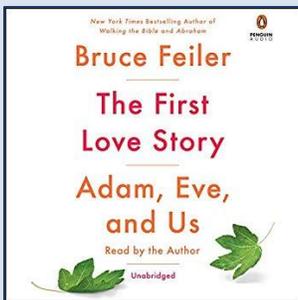
It's that time of year again when we are all traveling around the countryside in our cars. Wait! For us Presbyterians, "that time of year" is always. While it is true that many of our meetings are now happening through Zoom & Skype, our ministry done through Presbyterian committees still keeps us traveling up, down and across West Virginia as well as venturing into nearby states to meet face-to-face with brothers and sisters doing God's work through meetings and conferences. For many of us, that means time spent listening to books - books that inspire us to be better people, books to teach us Christian disciplines, books that lead us deeper into our relationship with God and with other children of God, and books to entertain us as we travel. Below are a few of the Resource Center's newest additions to our audio book shelf.



ODDLY ENOUGH: STANDING OUT WHEN THE WORLD BEGS YOU TO FIT IN by Carolanne Miljavac. (Oasis Audio) 2018

Author Carolanne Miljavac is a popular blogger who writes with self-deprecating humor. She has learned to no longer see herself as a victim and wants us to see ourselves not as victims but as God sees us. Each of us is a beloved child of God. She does not mean that we are to accept abuse or bad situations but to resist being defined by these experiences, using our life's experiences to act more kindly and justly to others. She urges us to realize that

we are each called by God to our own stories so that we may be our most Godly selves. (1 CD)



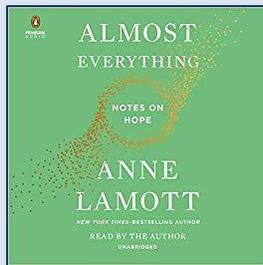
THE FIRST LOVE STORY: ADAM, EVE AND US by Bruce Feiler (Penguin Audio) 2017

Author Bruce Feiler considers the question, "Did Adam and Eve love each other?" He answers yes and claims theirs is an example of love for all of us to learn from. He examines what we know of this first couple through scripture. He considers them theologically as factual, living, particular people and also as representatives of theological beliefs. Among other ideas Feiler gleans from the story of Adam and Eve is his belief that their Genesis story describes a duality in the first human and therefore (at least) a duality in God's being. (7 CDs)



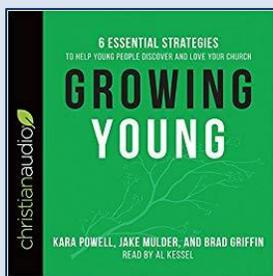
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ALMOST EVERYTHING: NOTES ON HOPE by Anne Lamott (Penguin Audio) 2018

Profound and moving, Anne Lamott uses her very dry humor to call us to remember that there is hope and wisdom buried within each of us. We each are faced with plenty of reasons to despair for our lives and our society, but each of us also face reasons to smile, laugh, and hope. (3 CDs)



GROWING YOUNG: 6 ESSENTIAL STRATEGIES TO HELP YOUNG PEOPLE DISCOVER AND LOVE YOUR CHURCH by Kara Powel, Jake Mulder, and Brad Griffin (Christian Audio) 2016

This is one of the books recommended by Andy James, our keynote speaker and workshop leader for the 2018 Small Church Conference. Using research of more than 250 congregations, *Growing Young* provides a strategy to involve, engage, and retain young people in our churches. (8 CDs)

Besides these new additions, please remember that we have plenty of other CDs - both audio books and music CDs. Our music CDs include music for children and for adults. If you need any help finding something to listen to, please send an email at resourcecenter@wvpresbytery.org or give me a call. I am in the Resource Center usually on Mondays and Tuesdays but check my email throughout the week.

