

## PACA Library Recommended Reading List for Elementary Students (Christian Literature)

### CHAPTER BOOKS:

- [Imprisoned in the Golden City](#) by Dave Jackson
- [Cul-de-Sac Kids](#) by Beverly Lewis (Lexile Level 270) **GR: V**
- [The Imagination Station](#) by Paul McCusker
- [The Scripture Sleuth](#) by Concord Cunningham
- [Ruby Slippers School](#) by Stacey Towle Morgan
- [The Chronicles of Narnia by C.S. Lewis](#) (Lexile Level 970) **GR: T-W**
- [Tales of the Kingdom](#) – David and Karen Mains
- [Tales of Resistance](#) - David and Karen Mains
- [Tales of Restoration](#) - David and Karen Mains
- [Hero Tales \(Traiblazer books\)](#) – Dave and Neta Jackson
- [The Pilgrim's Progress](#) – John Bunyan
- [The Little House series](#) – Laura Ingalls Wilder
- [Anne of Green Gables](#) – L. M. Montgomery
- [The Little Pilgrim's Progress](#) – Helen L. Taylor
- [Wingfeather saga series](#) – Andrew Peterson
- [The Prince Warriors series](#) – Priscilla Shirer
- [Left Behind series](#) - Jerry B. Jenkins and Tim LaHaye
- [The Amazing Tales of Max & Liz](#) – Jenny L. Cote
- [Crown and Covenant series](#) – Douglas Bond and Matthew Bird
- [A Question of Yams](#) – Gloria Repp
- [The Wormling series](#) - Jerry B. Jenkins and Chris Fabry
- [Cooper Kids Adventure Series](#) – Frank E. Peretti
- [Concord Cunningham Mysteries](#) – Mat Hevelson
- [Viking Quest series](#) – Lois Walfrid Johnson
- [Faithgirlz](#)
- [The Good News Shoes](#) – Jill Osborne
- [A Lucy Novel series](#) – Nancy N. Rue
- [Secret Keeper Girl Fiction series](#) – Dannah Gresh
- [A Life of Faith series](#) – Tracy Leininger Craven
- [Girls Only \(Go\)!](#) – Beverly Lewis
- [Adventures in Odyssey](#) – Paul McCusker
- [Christian Heritage series](#) – Nancy N. Rue
- [Sophie series](#) – Nancy N. Rue
- [The Lily series](#) – Nancy N. Rue
- [Winnie the Horse Gentler](#) – Dandi Danley Mackall
- [The Young Underground](#) – Robert Elmer

### CHILDREN'S BIBLES:

- [The Jesus Story Bible](#) – Sally Lloyd-Jones
- [The Beginner's Bible: Timeless Children's Stories](#)
- [NIV, Adventure Bible](#) – Zondervan
- [One Year Children's Bible](#) – Rhona Davis
- [A Child's First Bible](#) – Kenneth N. Taylor
- [The Family Story Bible](#) – Ralph Milton
- [Little Boy's Bible Storybook: for Mothers and Sons](#) – Carolyn Larsen
- [My Very First Bible: Old and New Testaments](#) – Kris Hirschmann

### CHILDREN'S DEVOTIONALS:

- [The One Year Devotionals for Preschoolers](#) – Crystal Bowman
- [Grace for the Moment: 365 Devotions for Kids](#) – Max Lucado
- [Indescribable: 100 Devotions for Kids About God and Science](#) – Louie Giglio
- [Leading Little Ones to God](#) – Marian M. Schoolland
- [Learning about God](#) – Lois Rock
- [Blessings Every Day: 365 Simple Devotions for the Very Young](#) – Carla Barnhill
- [I Am: 40 Reasons to Trust God](#) – Diane Stortz
- [My Upmost from His Highest: Jesus Wants All of Me](#) - Phil A. Smouse and Oswald Chambers
- [Jesus Calling: 365 Devotions for Kids](#) – Sarah Young
- [Adventures in Odyssey: 90 Devotions for Kids](#) – Marshal Younger
- [The Power of a Praying Kid](#) – Stormie Omartian
- [My First Devotional Bible: Applying God's Word to my Life](#) – Andy Holmes
- [It's a Mystery to Me, Lord: Bible Devotions for Boys](#) – David Allen Sorenson
- [Bible Devotions for Bedtime](#) – Daniel Partner
- [Thank You for this Day: Action Prayers, Songs, Blessings for Every Day](#) – Debbie Trafton O'Neal
- [Wise Words for Little People](#) – Kenneth Nathaniel Taylor
- [The International Children's Devotional Bible](#) – Robert J. Morgan

## PICTURE BOOKS:

- [Jonathan James series](#) – Crystal Bowman (Lexile Levels 275) **GR: N/A**
- [Let's Celebrate God's Blessings on Thanksgiving](#) – Lise Caldwell (Lexile AD390) **GR:N/A**
- [Christopher Churchmouse Classics](#) – Barbara Davoll
- [The Story of Easter](#) – Aileen Lucia Fisher
- [Children of the King series](#) – Mary Hollingsworth
- [The Boy and the Ocean](#) – Max Lucado
- [You are Special](#) – Max Lucado
- [You are Mine](#) – Max Lucado
- [The Tallest of Smalls](#) – Max Lucado
- [The Children of the King](#) – Max Lucado
- [My Child, My Princess, a Parable about the King](#) – Beth Moore
- [The Prayer that Makes God Smile](#) – Stormie Omartian
- [What Happens When I Talk to God? The Power of Prayer](#) - Stormie Omartian
- [All is Well](#) – Frank E. Peretti
- [The Barber Who Wanted to Pray](#) – R. C. Sproul
- [The Princess and the Kiss](#) – Jennie Bishop
- [The Squire and the Scroll](#) – Jennie Bishop
- [The Tale of Three Trees: a Traditional Folktale](#) - Angela Elwell Hunt and Tim Jonke
- [The Oak Inside the Acorn](#) – Max Lucado
- [The Garden, the Curtain, and the Cross](#) - Carl Laferton
- [The Biggest Story](#) – Kevin DeYoung
- [The Storm that Stopped](#) – Alison Mitchell
- [God's Very Good Idea](#) – Trillia J Newbell
- [The Mandie Collection](#) – Lois Gladys Leppard
- [The Squire and the Scroll](#) – Jennie Bishop
- [The Lightlings](#) – R.C. Sproul
- [The Barber Who Wanted to Pray](#) – R. C. Sproul
- [The Prayer that Makes God Smile](#) – Stormie Omartian
- [The Friend Who Forgives: a True Story About How Peter Failed and Jesus Forgave](#) – Daniel Dewitt
- [Maybe God is Like that Too](#) – Jennifer Grant
- [The Priest with Dirty Clothes](#) – R. C. Sproul
- [Bright Christmas: an Angel Remembers](#) – Andrew Clements
- [This is the Star](#) – Joyce Dunbar
- [Little Colt's Palm Sunday](#) – Michelle Medlock Adams

## PICTURE BOOKS:

- [Heroes of Promise series](#) – Christopher Miller
- [Princess and the Kiss: A Story of God's Gift of Purity](#) - Jennie Bishop
- [God Gave us Christmas](#) – Lisa Tawn
- [Helping Kids Heal series](#) – Maribeth Boelts
- [I Love You this Much: a Song of God's Love](#) – Lynn Hodges
- [Best of All](#) – Max Lucado
- [The Crippled Lamb](#) – Max Lucado
- [If Only I Had a Green Nose](#) – Max Lucado
- [Jacob's Gift](#) – Max Lucado
- [Zonderkidz I can read \(Beginning Reading\)](#) – several authors
- [My First Story of Easter](#) – Tim Dowley
- [My First Story of Christmas](#) – Tim Dowley
- [The Parable of the Lily](#) – Liz Curtis Higgs
- [I Believe in Jesus: Leading Your Child to Christ](#) – John MacArthur
- [The Christmas Donkey](#) – Gillian McClure
- [The Legend of the Candy Cane](#) – Lori Walburg
- [The Legend of the Easter Egg](#) – Lori Walburg

## INFORMATIONAL BOOKS:

- [Lightkeepers Boys](#) by Irene Howat
- [Little Lights](#) - Dr Catherine MacKenzie And McNulty, Faith (Lexile Level AD 690) **GR: N**
- [Helen Keller: Courage in the Dark](#) - Johanna Hurwitz (Lexile Level 620) **GR: N**
- [Zondervan Biography Kids](#) – several authors
- [Secret Keeper Girl](#) – Dannah Gresh
- [Young Women of Faith series](#) – Nancy R. Rue
- [Case for a Creator for Kids](#) – Lee Strobel
- [The Church History ABC: Augustine and 25 Other Heroes of the Faith](#) – Stephen J. Nichols
- [Heroes for Young Readers](#) – Renee Taft Meloche
- [Get to Know Series](#) – Nancy I. Sanders
- [Heaven for Kids](#) – Randy Alcorn
- [Tell me the Secrets](#) – Max Lucado
- [Tell me the Story](#) – Max Lucado
- [God's Creation series](#) – Michael Carroll
- [Light Keepers](#) – Irene Howat
- [A Child's Story of Easter](#) – Fulton Oursler
- [Christian Courageous](#) – Anne E. Schraf
- [Heroes of the Faith](#) – Susan Martins Miller
- [The Jaffray collection of missionary](#) portraits – several authors