**Approved Reading List**

**Counseling**

* Jay Adams, *Competent to Counsel*
* Jay Adams, *The Christian Counselor’s Manual*
* Jay Adams, *A Theology of Christian Counseling*
* Amy Baker, ed., *Caring for the Souls of Children*
* Brad Bigney, *Gospel Treason: Betraying the Gospel with Hidden Idols*
* Jerry Bridges, *Trusting God*
* Rosaria Butterfield, *Five Lies of Our Anti-Christian Age*
* D. A. Carson, *How Long, O Lord? Reflections on Suffering and Evil*
* Kevin DeYoung, *What Does the Bible Really Teaching about Homosexuality?*
* Ligon Duncan, *When Pain is Real and God Seems Silent: Finding Hope in the Psalms*
* David and Krista Dunham, *Table for Two: Biblical Counsel for Eating Disorders*
* Michael R. Emlet, *Descriptions and Prescriptions*
* Michael R. Emlet, *Saints, Sinners, and Sufferers*
* Elyse Fitzpatrick and Jim Newheiser, *When Good Kids Make Bad Choices*
* J. Alasdair Groves and Winston T. Smith, *Untangling Emotions*
* Dave Harvey, *I Still Do: Growing Closer and Stronger through Life’s Defining Moments*
* Dave Harvey, *When Sinners Say “I Do”*
* Charles Hodges, *Good Mood Bad Mood: Help and Hope for Depression and Bipolar Disorder*
* Jonathan D. Holmes, *Counsel for Couples: A Biblical and Practical Guide for Marriage Counseling*
* Joseph Hussung, *Learning to Listen: Essential Skills for Every Counselor*
* Robert Jones, *Pursuing Peace: A Christian Guide to Handling Our Conflicts*
* Robert Jones, *Uprooting Anger: Biblical Help for a Common Problem*
* Kelly Kapic, *You’re Only Human: How Your Limits Reflect God’s Design and Why That’s Good News*
* Garrett Kell, *Pure in Heart: Sexual Sin and the Promises of God*
* Bob Kellemen, *Consider Your Counsel: Addressing Ten Mistakes in our Biblical Counseling*
* Matthew McCullough, *Remember Death: The Surprising Path to Living Hope*
* Jim Newheiser, *Marriage, Divorce, and Remarriage*
* Jim Newheiser, *Money, Debt, and Finances*
* John Owen, *Overcoming Sin and Temptation*
* Nancy Pearcey, *Love Thy Body: Answering Hard Questions about Life and Sexuality*
* Jeremy Pierre, *The Dynamic Heart in Daily Life: Connecting Christ to Human Experience*
* David Powlison, *God’s Grace in your Suffering*
* David Powlison, *Good and Angry*
* David Powlison, *Journal of Biblical Counseling*/*Journal of Pastoral Practice* (Articles)
* David Powlison, *Making All Things New*
* David Powlison, *Seeing with New Eyes*
* David Powlison, *Speaking the Truth in Love*
* Lou Priolo, *Picking Up the Pieces: Recovering Broken Relationships*
* Deepak Reju and Jonathan D. Holmes, *Rescue Plan: Charting a Course to Restore Prisoners of Pornography*
* Deepak Reju and Jonathan D. Holmes, *Rescue Skills: Essential Skills for Restoring the Sexually Broken*
* William P. Smith, *Parenting with Words of Grace: Building Relationships with Your Children One Conversation at a Time*
* Curtis Solomon, *Redeem Your Marriage: Hope for Husband Who Have Hurt through Pornography*
* Jenny Solomon, *Reclaim Your Marriage: Grace for Wives Who Have Been Hurt by Pornography*
* Paul Tautges, *Comfort the Grieving*
* Paul Tautges, *When Disability Hits Home*
* Helen Thorne, *Purity is Possible: How to Live Free of the Fantasy Trap*
* Paul David Tripp, *Age of Opportunity: A Biblical Guide to Parenting Teens*
* Paul David Tripp, *Instruments in the Redeemer’s Hands*
* Paul David Tripp, *Marriage: 6 Gospel Commitments Every Couple Needs to Make*
* Paul David Tripp, *Parenting: 14 Gospel Principles that can Radically Change Your Family*
* Paul David Tripp, *Suffering: Gospel Hope When Life Doesn’t Make Sense*
* Paul David Tripp and Timothy S. Lane, *Relationships: A Mess Worth Making*
* Ted Tripp, *Shepherding a Child’s Heart*
* Mark Vroegop, *Dark Clouds, Deep Mercy: Discovering the Grace of Lament*
* Edward Welch, *Addictions: A Banquet in the Grave*
* Edward Welch, *Depression: Looking Up from the Stubborn Darkness*
* Edward Welch, *Running Scared: Fear, Worry, and the God of Rest*
* Edward Welch, *When People are Big and God Is Small*
* Lauren Whitman, *A Biblical Counseling Process: Guidance for the Beginning, Middle, and End*

**Theology**

* Michael Allen and Scott Swain, *Reformed Catholicity: The Promise of Retrieval for Theology and Biblical Interpretation*
* Herman Bavinck, *Reformed Dogmatics*, vol. 1–4
* Herman Bavinck, *The Wonderful Works of God*
* Joel Beeke, *Reformed Systematic Theology*, vol. 1–4
* Louis Berkhof, *Summary of Christian Doctrine*
* Louis Berkhof, *Systematic Theology*
* R. Scott Clark, *Recovering the Reformed Confession: Our Theology, Piety*, *and Practice*
* Richard Muller, *Post-Reformation Reformed Dogmatics*, vol. 1–4
* Harrison Perkins, *Reformed Covenant Theology: A Systematic Introduction*
* Gordon Spykman, *Reformational Theology*
* Paul Tripp, *Do You Believe?*
* Francis Turretin, *Institutes of Eclectic Theology*, vol. 1–3
* Cornelius Van Til, *An Introduction to Systematic Theology*
* Cornelius Van Til, *A Christian Theory of Knowledge*
* Geerhardus Vos, *Reformed Dogmatics*
* B. B. Warfield, *The Inspiration and Authority of Scripture*
* Albert Wolters, *Creation Regained: Biblical Basics for a Reformational Worldview*