## Just beginning your journey? Start HERE!

## For LGBTQIA+ People

- Not sure where to start as you explore your identity and sexuality? Needing to be reminded how loved you? **Start with** Leigh Finke's <u>Queerfully and</u> <u>Wonderfully Made</u>.
- Looking for **daily affirmations** of your holiness and worth? Check out <u>Our</u> Bible App for devotions, podcasts and online community.
- Looking for a website with **articles, community and podcasts**? Check out Emmy Kegler's <u>Queer Grace</u> OR Brian and Fr. Shay's <u>Queer Theology</u>
- Queer people are deacons and pastors, too! Check out Pastor Scott Jones'
  memoir Open OR Emmy Kegler's One Coin Found

## For Allies

- Are you striving to be more affirming but **confused by what many churches** have said the Bible claims about the queer community? Check out Colby Martin's Unclobber.
- Are you looking for some **training around language and concepts**? Head over to <u>Reconciling Works</u> for videos, articles, trainings and listings of already affirming congregations near you.
- **Has a youth in your life recently come out**? Pick up a copy of Leigh Finke's Welcoming and Affirming for answers to your biggest questions and ways to remind the youth in your life that they are fully known and loved.

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