

# SAVANNAH FAITH IN ACTION RESIDENCY PROJECT

## SUGGESTED ADDITIONAL READING

### IN THE BEGINNING SECTION

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["Savannah in the Old South" by Walter J. Fraser Jr.](#)

*A broader look at Savannah's early history and its role in the colony's foundation.*

["Georgia: A Short History" by E. Merton Coulter](#)

*A readable introduction to Georgia's founding and early development.*

["John Wesley: A Biography" by Stephen Tomkins](#)

*A comprehensive and accessible biography of John Wesley, focusing on his life, work, and the development of Methodism.*

["Jewish Roots In Southern Soil: A New History" by Marcie Ferris and Mark I. Greenberg](#)

*A comprehensive anthology that explores the experiences of Jewish communities in the American South.*

["The Jewish Community of Savannah" by Valerie Frey and Kaye Kole](#)

*A photo and written word book that makes use of photographs from the Savannah Jewish Archives.*

["Salzburgers and Their Descendants" by P.A. Strobel](#)

*An overview of the exile of the Salzburgers from Germany, and their descendants in Georgia.*

["The Black Church: This Is Our Story, This Is Our Song" by Henry Louis Gates, Jr.](#)

*A history of the Black church in America as the Black community's abiding rock and its fortress.*

["Savannah's Historic Churches" by Nancy and Roy Heizer](#)

*A largely photographic survey of some of Savannah's most historically significant houses of worship.*

### Faith In Action Section

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["Mighty Like a River: The Black Church and Social Reform" by Andrew Billingsley](#)

*An examination of how Black churches have been instrumental in social reform efforts, particularly during the civil rights era.*

["A Kid's Guide to Social Action" by Barbara A. Lewis](#)

*Packed with practical advice and inspiring stories about helping communities.*

["No Fixed Address" by Susin Nielsen](#)

*A fictional story about family, friendship, and growing up when you're one step away from homelessness.*