## April Book Report

## Book Reports

- Nancy S: The Survivors by Jane Harper
- Kathy G: No Exit by Taylor Adams, The Mystery of Mrs. Christie by Marie Benedict
- Sandy: The Code Breaker: Jennifer Doudna, Gene Editing, and the Future of the Human Race by Walter Isaacson, Saint X by Alexis Schaitkin
- Deb S: Maybe You Should Talk to Someone: A Therapist, Her Therapist, and Our Lives Revealed by Lori Gottlieb
- Lori: The Midnight Library by Matt Haig, Disoriental by Négar Djavadi, Caste: The Origins of Our Discontents by Isabel Wilkerson, Deacon King Kong by James McBride
- Judy: When We Believed in Mermaids by Barbara O'Neal, The Hand That First Held Mine by Maggie O'Farrell
- Sharon: Run by Ann Patchett
- Loretta: Detransition, Baby by Torrey Peters, The Code Breaker: Jennifer Doudna, Gene Editing, and the Future of the Human Race by Walter Isaacson, Why Fish Don't Exist: A Story of Loss, Love, and the Hidden Order of Life by Lulu Miller, Klara and the Sun by Kazuo Ishiguro
- Barbara: The Light We Lost by Jill Santopolo, The Midnight Library by Matt Haig, Hannibal's Elephant Girl by Ariion Kathleen Brindley
- Kathy P: The Authenticity Project by Clare Pooley, The Code Breaker: Jennifer Doudna, Gene Editing, and the Future of the Human Race by Walter Isaacson

National Library Week 2021

According to ALA, the theme for National Library Week (April 4-10, 2021) is "Welcome to Your Library," which promotes the idea that libraries extend far beyond the four walls of a building - and that everyone is welcome to use their services. Whether people visit in person or virtually, libraries offer opportunities for everyone to explore new worlds and become their best selves through access to technology, multimedia content, and educational programs.

Manatee County Libraries are no exception. The April Newsletter alone features a Book Sale, Employment Programs, Poetry Contests, Computer \& Tech Classes, Virtual Book Discussions and Craft Clubs/Workshops.

Take a little time to explore these wonderful opportunities and to thank our dedicated librarians.


