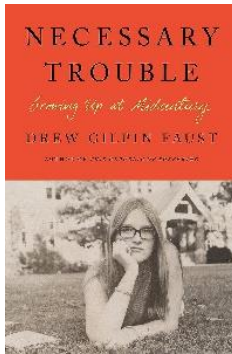


DFL Senior Caucus Book Club



Current Book

Necessary Trouble:

Growing Up at Midcentury

by

Drew Gilpin Faust

Retired Harvard president and professor of history Drew Gilpin recounts the rapid changes of the post-WWII years through the upheavals of 1968. She grew up in conservative, segregated Virginia, expected to adopt a willful blindness to the inequities of race and the constraints of gender, accepting both female subordination and racial hierarchy. These proved intolerable and galvanizing, and she found resistance was necessary for her survival. During the 1960s, her love of learning and active engagement in civil rights, student, and antiwar movements led her to become a historian of the very conflicts that shaped the world in which she grew up and with which we grapple today.

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The Scheme: How the Right Wing Used Dark Money to Capture the Supreme Court

by Sheldon Whitehouse and Jennifer Mueller



April 21: *On Freedom* by Timothy Snyder