July Staff Picks

**Eileen** recommends *Recursion* by Blake Crouch.

Recursion: a thing is defined in terms of itself; the process a procedure goes through when one of the steps of the procedure involves invoking the procedure itself. What if time itself is an endless loop and anyone can restart it?

**Sarah** recommends *Lady Clementine* by Marie Benedict.

Benedict digs into her research and gives voice to Clementine Churchill (Winston's wife). Her struggles with motherhood and her own desires for political and social influence are aptly and gracefully depicted.

**Kelly** recommends *The Nourishing Homestead* by Ben and Penny Hewitt.

Written in 2015, after nearly two decades of living on a homestead he and his wife created from raw land in the Vermont north country, Hewitt shares their story of building something from nothing and raising two boys along the way. They began with just a simple tent and a lot of ambition and this was all before homesteading became the new kind of cool that it is today. It is full of great tips, insights, recipes and photos of their journey which continues to this very day. It is a great resource and inspiration for those of us who find having a small kitchen garden a big success.