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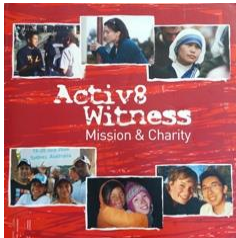
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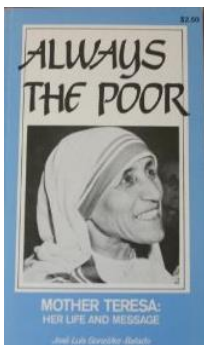
Section 1 | General resources for Youth Ministers



Active Witness: Mission & Charity

Summary of the teachings of World Youth Day 2008. Highlights the importance of being a witness of Christ in the world and put our love and faith into action.

World Youth Day 2008, 2008



Always the Poor: Mother Teresa: Her Life and Message

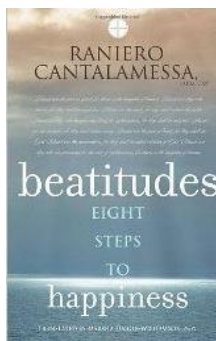
Author: José Luis Gonzalez-Balado

A biography of Mother Teresa, including photos.

Ligouri Publications, 1980

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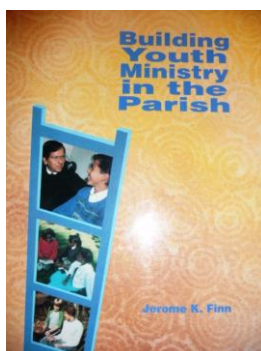


Beatitudes: Eight Steps to Happiness

Author: Raniero Cantalamessa OFM CAP

Anyone who has tried to live the beatitudes will confirm that the task can be daunting. What does it mean to be a peacemaker? Do you really want to be "reviled" by others? If you're not rich compared to your immediate neighbours and friends, but you're rich compared to most of the world, what are you supposed to do about that? Father Raniero Cantalamessa will lead you not only to a deeper appreciation of these famous words of Jesus, but also into the presence of Jesus himself who lived them perfectly and who will give you the ability and enthusiasm to do the same.

Servant Books, 2009

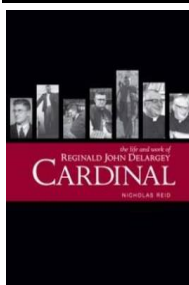


Building Youth Ministry in the Parish

Author: Jerome K Finn

Part A "Foundations for Parish Youth Ministry" presents the challenges that young people face in today's culture and tells about the church's efforts in youth ministry to help young people take on those challenges. Part B "The Setup for Parish Youth Ministry" offers an organisational model of youth ministry that fits with today's parish administrative structures and personnel. Part C "The Planning and Maintaining of Parish Youth Ministry" contains detailed directions and tools for long-range planning, for hiring youth ministry staff and for recruiting and maintaining a pool of youth ministry volunteers.

Saint Mary's Press, Winona, 1993

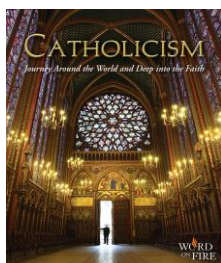


Cardinal: The life and work of Reginald John Delargey

Author: Nicholas Reid

Richly illustrated, this biography draws on numerous interviews and detailed archival research to present a rounded portrait of an articulate bishop who survived criticisms and grappled with the unique problems presented to the Church by a new age.

Catholic Diocese of Auckland, 2007

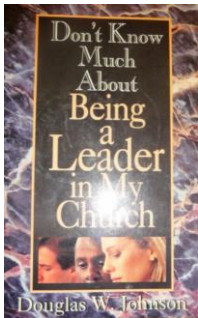


Catholicism DVD Series and Study Guide and Workbook

Author: Rev Robert Barron

A stimulating and compelling exploration of the spiritual, moral, and intellectual riches of the Catholic world. This is the Catholic story told from the inside, with knowledge, sympathy, and passion, rooted in friendship with Jesus Christ. Ten episodes on DVD and ten sections in the study guide and workbook to match. Workbook has information, definitions and reflection questions to help you get the most out of the DVD series.

Word on Fire, 2001

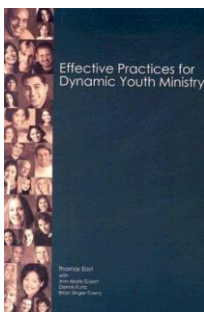


Don't Know Much About Being a Leader in My Church

Author: Douglas W Johnson

Have you volunteered to lead a committee in your church? Have you been asked to serve as a lay leader in your church? Do you feel equal to the task – or do you wonder what to do and how to begin? This book not only suggests how to begin but also how to recognise other leaders who can help you. You will notice the leadership characteristics you bring to your task and spot effective characteristics among your colleagues. You will understand the importance of taking risks etc.

Abingdon Press, Nashville, 1996

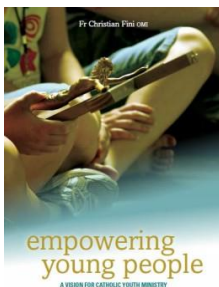


Effective Practices for Dynamic Youth Ministry

Authors: Thomas East, Ann Eckert, Dennis Kurtz, Brian Singer-Towns

The result of a research process in the US – looking at practices and activities that help young people grow spiritually and reinforce their Catholic Identity.

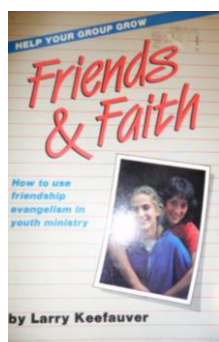
Saint Mary's Press, 2004



Empowering Young People: Implementing a Vision for Catholic Youth Ministry

Author: Fr. Christian Fini OMI

This book has three main aims: to present a clear definition and theological underpinning for a comprehensive approach to youth ministry, to provide material for the development of a youth strategy for a parish community and for formation material and practical ideas for those involved in youth ministry. This book was designed to train the leaders of youth ministry and outlines key steps in achieving a successful youth ministry.

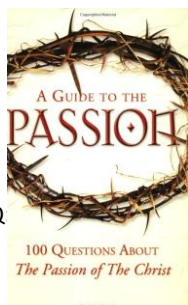


Friends and Faith – help your group grow

Author: Larry Keefauver

Build your own friend-based evangelism program in your youth group and church. Help your group flourish with practical programs. You'll find dynamic ideas for transforming your group into a growing friendship evangelism team.

Group Books, Colorado

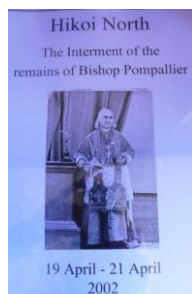


Guide to the Passion: 100 Questions about The Passion of the Christ

The epic film, The Passion of the Christ is being hailed as the most powerful portrayal of the suffering and death of Jesus ever presented. A Guide to the Passion: 100 Questions About the Passion of the Christ was written to help you understand the many theological and

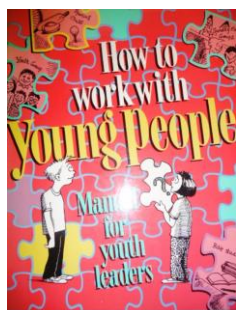
artistic elements of the movie. It presents a fascinating scene-by-scene analysis of this unforgettable film experience.

Catholic Exchange 2004



Hikoi North | The internment of the remains of Bishop Pompallier

19 April – 21 April 2002

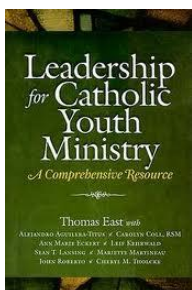


How to work with Young People. Manual for youth leaders.

Authors: Ken Anderson, Geraldine Anderson, Craig Mitchell

What is the purpose of the Church's work with young people? How can you plan and lead an effective youth program? How can you meet both important social and friendship needs of young people but still provide a solid basis for young people to live as Christians in today's world? Here is a comprehensive guide to the Church's ministry with young people.

Uniting Church Press, Melbourne, 1991



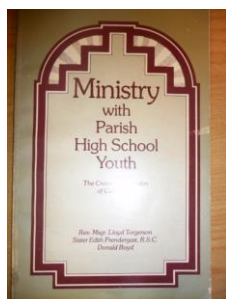
Leadership for Catholic Youth Ministry. A Comprehensive Response

Author: Thomas East with others

Based on the Vision of Youth Ministry of the US Bishops.

Tu Kahikatea is based on this Vision so if you are keen to dig deeper into our own NZ Framework for youth ministry then this is a good book for you!

Twenty-Third Publications, 2009

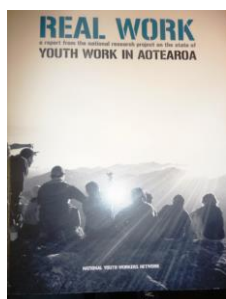


Ministry with Parish High School Youth – The Creative Dimension of Catechetics

Authors: Rev Msgr Lloyd Torgerson, Sr Edith Prendergast, RSC, Donald Boyd

This book offers background material for catechists, coordinators and youth ministers. It presents a concise description of youth ministry and helps those who minister with youth to understand their faith development.

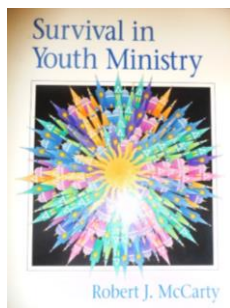
William H Sadler, New York, 1982



Real Work: a report from the national research project on the state of youth work in Aotearoa

Researcher: Lloyd Martin

This publication reports on a two year study on the state of the youth work sector in New Zealand

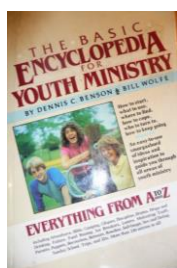


Survival in Youth Ministry

Author: Robert J McCarty

Survive? Thrive? Robert McCarty is convinced that in youth ministry, surviving and thriving are possible at the same time. Drawing from years of personal experience, many workshops with youth ministers and research, McCarty candidly exposes the sources of tension, conflict, and frustration that youth ministers encounter in their work. But he doesn't leave youth ministers hanging with these realisations. He offers insights and prayerful strategies for dealing with them in ways that spark mental and spiritual health and sharpening ministerial competence.

Saint Mary's Press, Winona, MN 2002

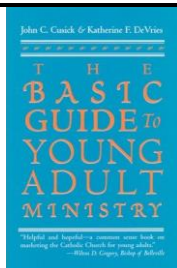


The Basic Encyclopaedia for Youth Ministry

Authors: Dennis C Benson and Bill Wolfe

How to start, what to use, where to find, how to cope, who to turn to and how to keep going. This book is an easy-to-use smorgasbord of ideas and inspiration to guide you through all areas of youth ministry.

Group Books, Colorado, 1981

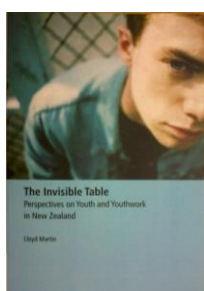


The Basic Guide to Young Adult Ministry

Authors: John C Cusick and Katherine F DeVries

A practical guide to young adult ministry. Focus is on hospitality and personal invitation. It's all about connecting young people to the richness of our Catholic heritage.

Orbis Books, 2001

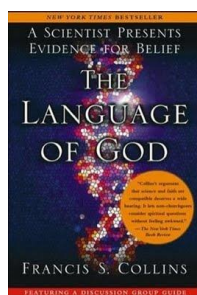


The Invisible Table: Perspectives on Youth and Youthwork in New Zealand

Author: Lloyd Martin

This book is a resource for those who work with youth who are 'at risk' in their neighbourhood, family, educational and cultural worlds in New Zealand.

Dunmore Press, 2002



The Language of God: A Scientist Presents Evidence for Belief

Author: Francis S. Collins

Dr Francis Collins, head of the Human Genome Project, is one of the world's leading scientists. He works at the cutting edge of the study of DNA, the code of life. Yet he is also a man of unshakable faith in God and scripture. Dr Collins believes that faith in God and faith in science can coexist within a person and be harmonious. In The Language of God he makes his case for God and for science.

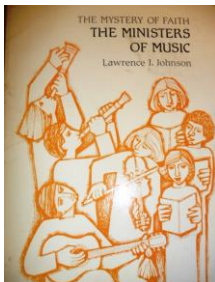


The Lord of the Rings – The Making of the Movie Trilogy

Author: Brian Sibley (foreword by Sir Ian McKellen)

A lavishly illustrated behind the scenes guide to the making of the three films, including interviews with cast and crew.

HarperCollins Publishers, 2002



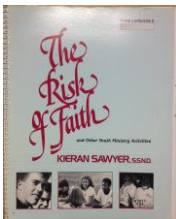
The Mystery of Faith

The Ministers of Music

Author: Lawrence J Johnson

A comprehensive presentation of the new ministries of music since the Second Vatican Council. Includes ministries of music – cantor, choir, instrumentalists and organist. Also the assembly, deacon and presider as well as the special ministries of composer and dancer.

National Association of Pastoral Musicians 1983



The Risk of Faith and other Youth Ministry Activities

Author: Kieran Sawyer

Themed related capsules for youth ministry help. Covers themes such as: Risk of Faith, Spirit gifts, Turning points, Adventures in faith, Parable of the Sower and the Bible

Ave Maria Press, 1988

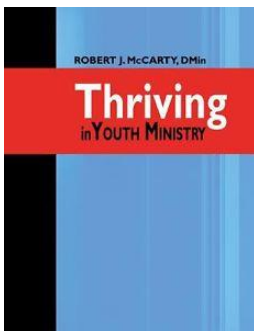


The Spirit of JMJ Rio – World Youth Day Testimonies from Catholic Around the World

Authors: Katharina & James

A collection of testimonies of young Catholics from around the world describing their experience at WYD Rio 2013. Also includes testimonies from Archbishops, a Bishop, and a Cardinal

Polskie Centrum Sw. Hildegardy, 2013

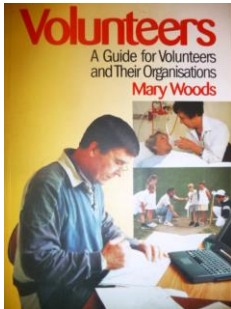


Thriving in Youth Ministry

Author: Robert J. McCarty

The sequel to *Survival in Youth Ministry*, containing the fundamentals of what it means to be a youth minister and how to be effective in your leadership as well as strengthen the field of youth ministry as a whole. This book outlines challenges that every youth leader faces and practical ways to avoid or work around them. A must-read for anyone involved in youth ministry.

Saint Mary's Press, 2005

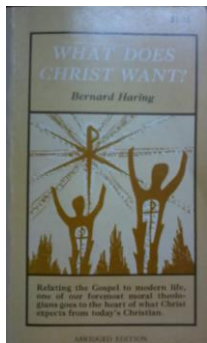


Volunteers – A guide for volunteers and their organisations

Author: Mary Woods

A handbook for coordinators, social welfare educators and volunteers themselves. It shows how to create a healthy organisation where everyone's needs are met and in the process greater efficiency is achieved.

Hazard Press, Christchurch, 1998

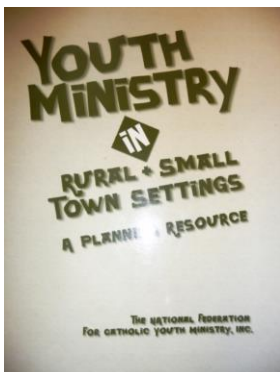


What does Christ want?

Author: Bernard Haring

Relating the Gospel to modern life, what Christ expects from today's Christian.

Ave Maria Press, 1968



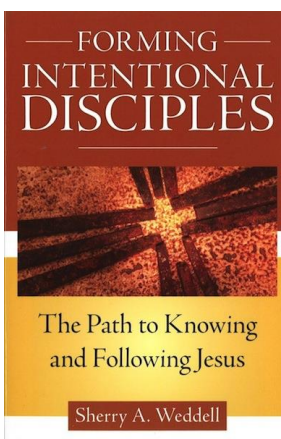
Youth Ministry in rural and small town settings – a planning resource

Author: The National Federation for Catholic Youth Ministry Inc (USA)

Written to assist pastoral ministers in rural and small town settings to minister more effectively with young people by:

- Identifying the opportunities, resources and obstacles inherent in their parish and community situations;
- Identifying strategies for working with these opportunities, resources, and obstacles for the benefit of young people;
- Addressing issues that threaten the physical, emotional and spiritual health of their young people before the issues become crises.

Saint Mary's Press, Winona, 1999



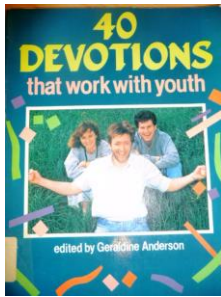
Forming Intentional Disciples

Author: Sherry A. Weddell

A book that talks about how we must know and follow Jesus before we can draw other's to him. This work of discipleship lies at the heart of Forming International Disciples, a book designed to help Church leaders, parish staff, and all Catholics Transform parish life from within.

Our Sunday Visitor Publishing Division, 2012

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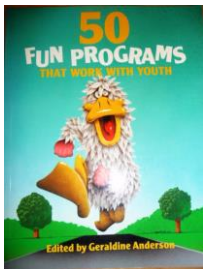


40 Devotions that work with youth

Edited by: Geraldine Anderson

40 practical, tried and tested, easy to present devotions for youth groups. Full of ideas using audio-visuals, balloons, candles, music, meditation, discussion, poetry, activities. Each devotion is biblically based and comes from an experienced youth leader.

Joint Board of Christian Education, Melbourne, 1987



50 Fun Programs that work with youth

Edited by Geraldine Anderson

New program ideas for youth groups. 50 fun, zany, way out, made up programs for youth groups. Plus some helpful hints on how to make up or adapt new programs.

Joint Board of Christian Education, Melbourne, 1987



A Chance to Serve – Peer Ministers' Handbook

Author: Brian Reynolds

When given the opportunity, young people are at their very best when they are ministering to each other. This youth to youth ministry is called peer ministry and it is a vital component to the church's total ministry "to, with, by and for" young people. This student handbook contains the worksheets needed for each of eighteen training modules, journal-keeping pages and the key concept introduction for each module.

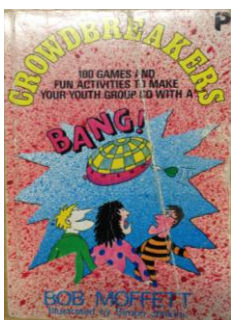
Saint Mary's Press, Winona, 1983



Brain Games in a Jar

101 Brain teasers for kids. Use the brain teasers, word-play puzzles, and brain boosters to challenge kids to think creatively.

Free Sprit Publishin, 2010

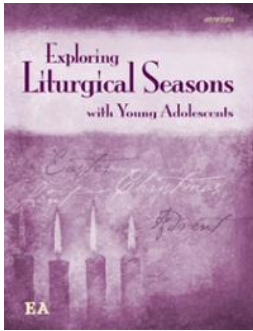


Crowdbreakers 100 games and fun activities to make your youth group go with a bang!

Author: Bob Moffett

Bob Moffett shows youth leaders how planned events can go with a bang – and yet still communicate the Christian gospel to young people in an exciting, fun way.

Pickering an Inglis Ltd, 1983

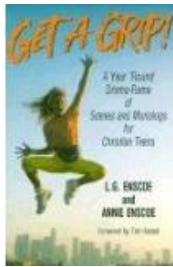


Exploring Liturgical Seasons with Young Adolescents

Authors: Roxane Kadrlik Chlachula, Mary Shrader, Jenni Vankat, Therese Brown, & Tony Tamberino

This book is comprised of a programme to encourage young adolescents to actively participate and celebrate the liturgical seasons of the year. The programmes are split up into separate sessions and activities for Advent, Christmas, Lent, and Easter and follow the Pray it! Study it! Live it! Format, incorporating prayer, scripture, activities and discussion to help youth understand the meaning of the seasons and celebrations that we celebrate as Catholics.

Saint Mary's Press, 2008

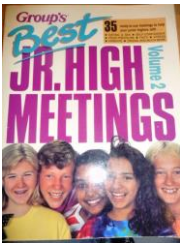


Get a Grip: A Year 'Round Drama-Rama of Scenes and Monologs for Christian Teens

Author: L.G. Enscoe and Annie Enscoe

16 skits on surviving the teenage years, relationships, God's love, and other awesome stuff.

Merriwether Publishing Lt, Colorado Springs, 1991

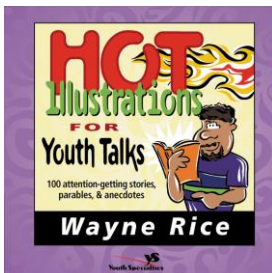


Group's Best JR High Meetings – Volume 2

Edited by: Michael D Warden

35 ready to use meetings to help your junior higher with dating and sex, self-confidence, peer pressure, faith, stress, parents, drugs and much more.

Thom Schultz Publications Inc, 1992

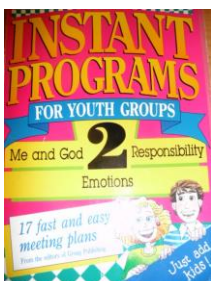


Hot Illustrations for Youth Talks

Author: Wayne Rice

100 attention-grabbing stories, parables, and anecdotes to help you convey your message to youths in a creative and engaging way

Youth Specialties, 1993

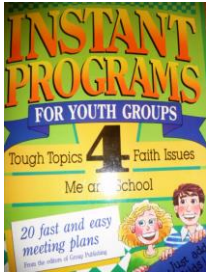


Instant Programs for Youth Groups 2 | Me and God – Responsibility, Emotions

Ready to use meeting ideas for your youth group. Includes 17 dynamic programs on tried and tested topics such as:

- how does God fit into my life?
- 31 days to better decision making
- Dealing with embarrassment
- Ideas to challenge your group to grow as Christians.

Group Books, USA, 1993



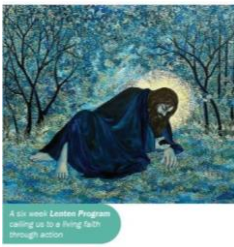
Instant Programs for Youth Groups 4 | Tough Topics, Faith Issues, Me and School

20 fast and easy meeting plans on topics such as

- Going to church
- Surviving school stress
- Homelessness
- Alcohol and Christians
- Spiritual growth

Group Books, USA, 1990

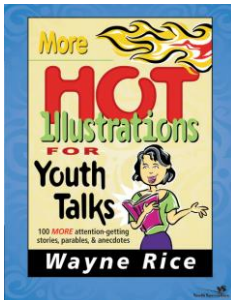
LIVING FAITH



Living Faith

Author: Michelle Connolly, Marie Milne, Ann Long, Gabrielle Fogarty, Mark Raue, & Josie McGuinness

Living Faith is a Lenten programme consisting of six 90-minute sessions focused around the Sunday Lenten Gospels. This book provides the gospels, commentary, reflections, challenges, prayers and songs that the programme includes as well as tips and suggestions on leading the programme. Perfect learning tool for teaching youth the importance of Lent to our faith.



More Hot Illustrations for Youth Talks

Author: Wayne Rice

100 MORE attention-grabbing stories, parables, and anecdotes to help you convey your message to youths in a creative and engaging way

Youth Specialties, 1995



Optimism Boosters Cards

This elegant set of mini cards is perfect for opening up fresh ways of thinking. The cards create powerful windows into change by asking questions about goals, possibilities and strategies for optimistic action. Each card has a short question to get you thinking

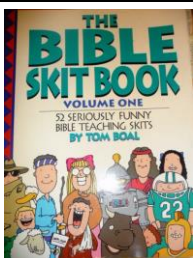
St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2004



Strengths in Teams Cards

Strengths in Teams is a set of 30 lavishly illustrated, full-colour cards depicting a zany and delightfully whacky circus troupe. Except this troupe looks very familiar. In fact, it shares all the idiosyncrasies and foibles of just about any team. But like any effective team, these characters also demonstrate that they have strengths, and they depend upon the strengths of all members.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2010

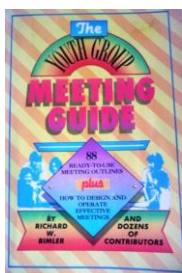


The Bible Skit Book – Volume One

Author: Tom Boal

52 lively bible-theme skits. Use these skits as a creative way to introduce, present or review a bible story or to reinforce your message.

Gospel Light, 1993

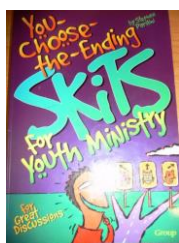


The Youth Group Meeting Guide

Author: Richard W Bimler

88 read to use meeting outlines plus how to design and operate effective meetings

Group Books, 1990

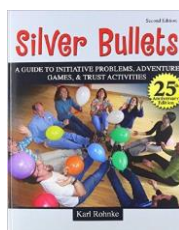


You Choose the Ending Skits for Youth Ministry

Author: Stephen Parolini

This book contains 19 skits that keep your kids on the edge of their seats – because each skit has three possible endings. You can choose the ending, flip a coin or let your teens vote. There are discussion questions for each skit. You only need a few actors and little or no rehearsal.

Group, Publishing, Colorado, 1997

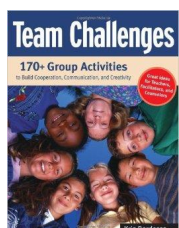


Silver Bullets

Author: Karl Rohnke

A guide to initiative problems, adventure games, and trust activities

Project Adventure, 2010



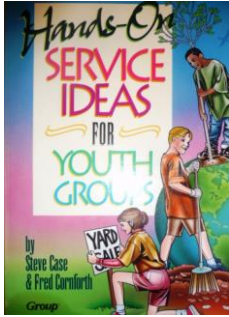
Team Challenges

Author: Kris Bordessa

170+ Group Activities to build cooperation, communicatino and creativity.

Zephyr Press, 2006

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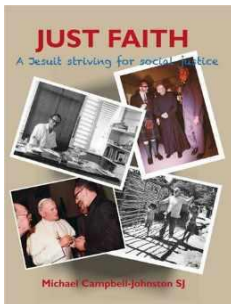


Hands on Service Ideas for Youth Groups

Authors: Steve Case and Fred Cornforth

Why do some youth groups pull together for service projects and others fall apart? It's not coincidence – some groups have been taught how to serve and now you can teach your group too. This is a practical step by step plan for developing your group's service lifestyle.

Group, Colorado, 1995



Just Faith – A Jesuit Striving for Social Justice

Author: Michael Campbell-Johnston SJ

An autobiography based on the annual letters of Michael Campbell-Johnston SJ, known to all as CJ. Depicts the life of a Jesuit priest who committed his life to putting the social teaching of the Catholic faith into practice.

The Way, 2010



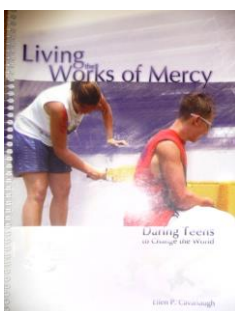
Justice and Service Ideas for ministry with young teens

HELP | Heads Up | Easy | Low Cost | Purposeful

Author: Joseph Grant

A collection of twenty-one strategies for short and long term service projects, outreach activities, learning exercises, and discussion-starters aimed at helping young teens understand the social impact of our culture and make a difference in their world

Saint Mary's Press, Winona, 2000



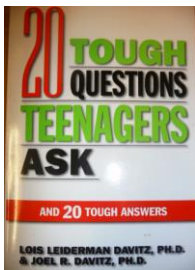
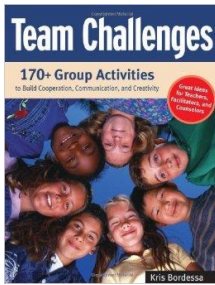
Living the Works of Mercy – Daring teens to change the world

Author: Ellen P Cavanaugh

This book contains 14 sessions, each of which engages teens thoughtfully, actively and prayerfully in one of the works of mercy in a variety of ways eg explorations of the scriptural basis for works of mercy, guides for discussion, suggestions for group projects etc.

Saint Mary's Press, Winona, 2003

Section 4 | Resources for ministering to teens, young adults and families

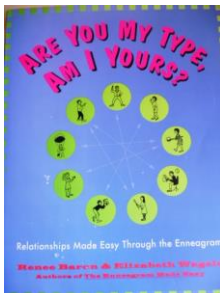


20 Tough Questions Teenagers Ask and 20 tough answers

Authors: Lois Leiderman Davitz and Joel R Davitz

Includes very to the point questions about topics such as sex, drugs, faith and contraception. Includes tough, down to earth non-nonsense meaningful responses that are aimed at making a difference to the way a teen feels about him/her self.

Paulist Press, New York, 1998



Are you my type, am I yours?.

Author: Renee Baron and Elizabeth Wagele

Understanding the 9 types of people through the study of the Enneagram personality typing system. Explores how the types interact in love, work, family and friendships.

Harper Collins Publishers, 1995

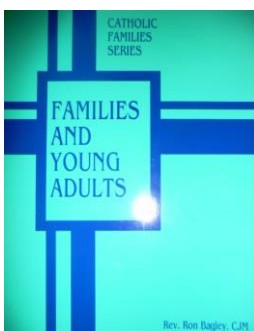


A teen's guide to ministry. You can make it happen.

Author: Joseph Moore

Encouraging teens to minister to peers. This book uses group activities, interesting personality quizzes, biblical examples and explanations for how and why people act the way they do. This book shows how you, as a Christian teen can minister to others.

Liguori Publications, Missouri, 1988

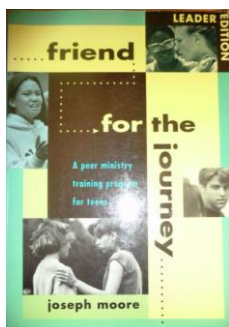


Families and Young Adults

Author: Rev Ron Bagley C.J.M

Young adults are the oft-overlooked age group in the Church, yet more people drop out of church or re-discover their faith than any other. This book includes essays upon which the program was developed, lesson plans with participant handouts and background resource essays for the presenter. It also includes "guidelines for cultural sensitivity, providing information that can be used to adapt or focus the learning sessions to address ethnic background of specific communities. Note the ethnic groups are based on those commonly found in the USA.

Don Bosco, New York, 1992

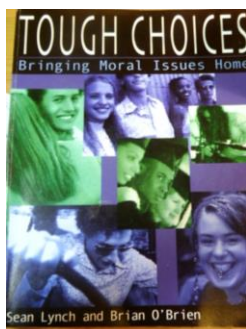


Friend for the Journey – A peer ministry training program for teens (leader edition)

Author: Joseph Moore

Peer ministry is one young person helping another. This book covers fundamental skills of living, good listening, communication and helping in difficult situations, most often by referring peers to agencies that can intervene effectively. Through this program teens develop confidence and self-esteem in working with their peers and will learn to recognise their limitations as peer ministers.

St Anthony Messenger Press, Cincinnati, 1994

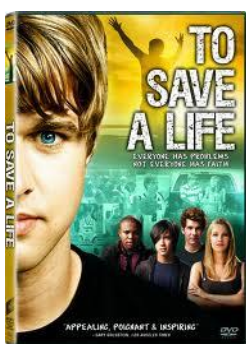


Tough Choices. Bringing Moral Issues Home

Authors: Sean Lynch and Brian O'Brien

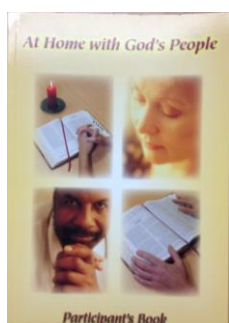
A resource that provides ways for teenagers to learn about, apply and make choices involving a number of current and practical moral issues. Includes ways for dilemmas to be shared and discussed between the teens and their parents. Includes issues such as abortion, capital punishment, child abuse, domestic violence, divorce, drugs/alcohol, eating disorders, euthanasia, homosexuality, honesty, sexuality, suicide.

Ave Maria Press, Washington DC, 2003



To Save a Life – DVD

Jake is the most popular kid in school and has a promising future, but his world is rocked when tragedy strikes his childhood best friend. Now Jake is forced to ask, "Could I have saved him?" With help from a few new friends he embarks on a journey to live a life of purpose, knocking down the sacred social barriers of high school life and befriending a loner, Jonny Garcia. But when Jonny's life spirals out of control, will Jake have what it takes to stop him from the same tragic end? Can one person really make a difference?



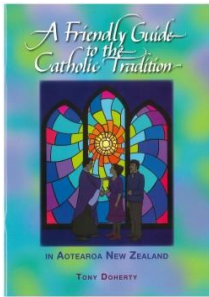
At Home with God's People – Participants Book

Authors: Fr Bill O'Shea & Peter Gagen

An excellent resource for anyone seeking to learn about the teachings of the Catholic Church

Catholic Adult Education, Brisbane 2004

Section 5 | Liturgy and Prayer



A Friendly Guide to the Catholic Tradition in Aotearoa New Zealand

Author: Tony Doherty

This book was published especially for the Catholic church in New Zealand by arrangement with Bishop Patrick Dunn, Bishop of Auckland. This invaluable resource can be used to introduce or to reintroduce anyone in your community to the traditions of the Catholic church. Drawing on rich illustrations, it introduces the reader to what Catholics believe, from a description of Jesus, to the Mass, Gospels, symbols, reconciliation, prayer, and a helpful explanation of the words that are used in ritual and sacramental programs, as well as historical facts about the Catholic church in New Zealand.

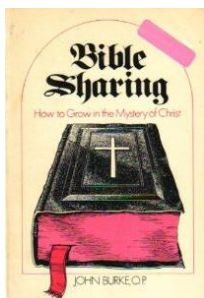
John Garratt Publishing, 2010



Be Good At What You Are: St Catherine of Siena's Theology of the Laity

Author: Bishop Anthony Fisher, O. P.

A booklet that describes the life and times of St Catherine of Siena. Upon reviewing the life of the Saint known as both "The Crusader" and "The Anti-Heroine", we see not only from her acts of service to the poor and the sick, but also from her strong passion and belief in her faith, countless lessons that we can apply to our own life. The teachings of St Catherine show us that we don't need to change who we are to please God, but to be who He made us to be, by being "good at what you are".

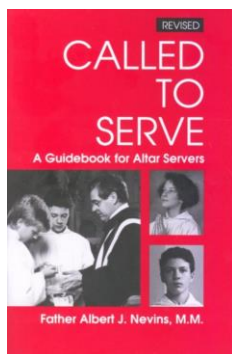


Bible Sharing: How to Grow in the Mystery of Christ

Author: John Burke, O.P.

A practical book that provides insight in understanding what the Bible is and how it is to be read. It presents proven methods for arriving at the total meaning of the Holy Bible for everyday life

Alba House New York, 1979

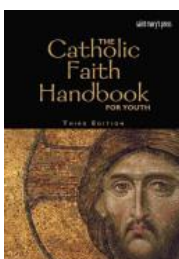


Called to Serve – A Guidebook for Altar Servers

Author: Fr Albert J. Nevins

The importance of being an altar server, and all the things that every altar server should know about their role in the church.

Our Sunday Visitor, 1993

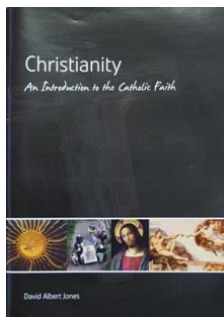


The Catholic Faith Handbook for Youth

Authors: Brian Singer-Towns, Janet Claussen, Clare vanBrandwijk and others

Understandable and down-to-earth guide to all things Catholic. Because this handbook is organised to parallel the Catechesis of the Catholic Church you learn about the Creed, Sacraments, morality and prayer.

Saint Mary's Press, 2008

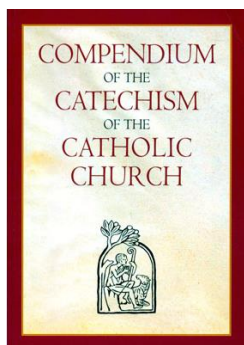


Christianity: An Introduction to the Catholic Faith

Author: David Albert Jones

A general introduction to the Catholic faith for those who are open and have a desire to receive a brief overview of the faith as a whole. Provides a map of the Catholic understanding of God and the importance of key aspects of our faith.

Family Publications of Oxford, 1998



Compendium of the Catechism of the Catholic Church

Pope Benedict XVI presented this Compendium to the church, in order to provide a “faithful and sure synthesis of the Catechism of the Catholic Church”. This book contains all the essential and fundamental elements of the Church’s teaching, creating the *vademecum*, or handbook, to the Catholic faith that Pope John Paul II had in mind when the Catechism was given to the Church, allowing believers and non-believers alike to marvel at the fullness and beauty of the Catholic faith.

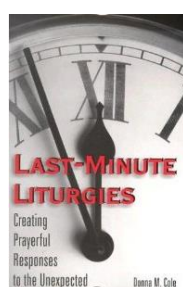
St Paul’s Publications, 2005



The Gospel According to Luke and the Acts of the Apostles

A short overview of the Gospel of Luke and the Acts of the Apostles written in modern English, including an introduction and outline of the importance of these books in the Bible and the story that they tell.

Bible Society, 2008

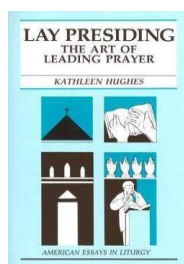


Last-Minute Liturgies

Author: Donna M. Cole

A guide to helping train leaders in the skills necessary to prepare a prayers service on short notice.

Resource Publications, 2003



Lay Presiding: The Art of Leading Prayer

Author: Kathleen Hughes

This book is designed for ‘reluctant’ presiders who are often shy because they are untrained or even unwilling to call such a simple event ‘presiding’ such as unsuspecting participants asked to open or close a meeting, dinner guest invited to bless God at table etc.

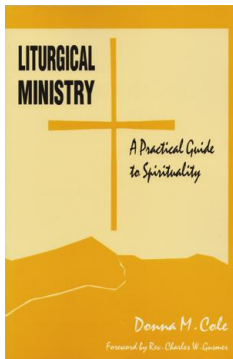
The Liturgical Press, 1988



Liturgy made simple

Author: Mark Seale

An introduction to the liturgy for clergy and laity involved in liturgical ministries and planning.
The Liturgical Press, 1981

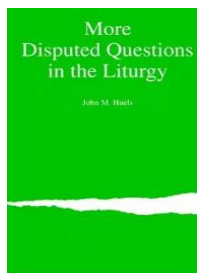


Liturgical Ministry – A Practical Guide to Spirituality

Authors: Donna M. Cole

Invites the reader to prepare for ministry, whether that of reader, musician, acolyte, minister of communion or of hospitality - by study, reflection, and prayer and the resources to do just that.

Resource Publications, 1996



More Disputed Questions in the Liturgy

Author: John M. Huels

In this volume, John Huels addresses issues which an appreciation of canon law inform our celebration of liturgy and further recognises the key place of liturgy in the life of parishes and in the life of church at large.

Liturgy Training Publications, 1996

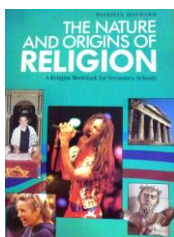


Mentoring: The Penguins Guide

Author: Mary-Jane and Chris Konings

A guide to Christian mentoring and how it works, its purpose etc.

Duncan Macleod for the Presbyterian Church of Aotearoa NZ, 2000

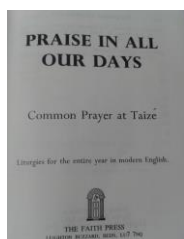


The Nature and Origins of Religion

Author: Patricia Hayward

A look at some of the characteristics of religion, some of its origins and some of its expressions today.

An Albatross Book, 1995

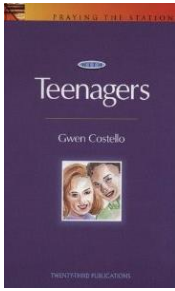


Praise in All Our Days

Author: Emily Chisholm

Liturgies and prayers for every day of the year.

Faith Press Ltd., 1975



Praying the Stations with Teenagers

Author: Gwen Costello

Simple 30 page booklet that leads through the Stations.

Seventh Printing 2008

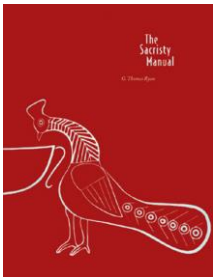


Right-on ideas for youth groups

Authors: Wayne Rice & Mike Yaconelli

Ideas and tips on what to do with your youth group

Zondervan Publishing house, 1973

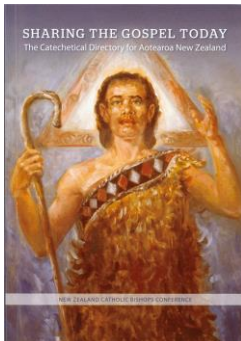


The Sacristy Manual

Author: G. Thomas Ryan

A manual outlining the importance of each aspect of the Church and discussing the preparations needed to completely start up a church from scratch as well as the setup for liturgical events.

Liturgy Training Publications, 1993

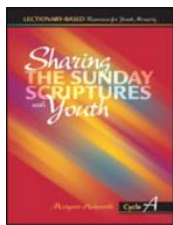


Sharing the Gospel Today – The Catechetical Directory for Aotearoa New Zealand

Author: National Centre for Religious Studies

This Catechetical directory provides principles and guidelines for catechesis and religious education at all levels in the Catholic Church in Aotearoa New Zealand. This directory examines the context of life and faith in this country and provides guidelines derived from principles involved in catechesis. Intended mainly for those involved in organisation, overseeing, and/or leading of catechesis or religious education programmes.

New Zealand Catholic Bishops Conference, 2012



Sharing the Sunday Scriptures with Youth (Cycle A, Cycle B, Cycle C)

Authors: Maryann Hakowski

These books are filled with a variety of relevant, action-centered resources to help you feed that hunger. The resources are based on each Sunday's lectionary reading.

St Mary's Press, 1996

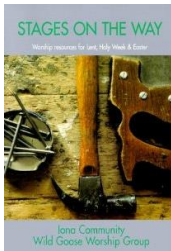


Spring of the Living Water

Author: Auckland Chinese Catholic Community

This is a CD of music by members of the Auckland Chinese Catholic Community.

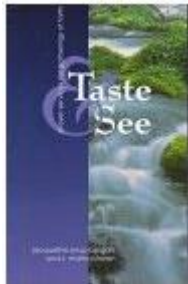
There are 19 tracks on the CD. Lyrics to most of the songs are in Chinese.



Stages on the Way Worship Resources for Lent, Holy Week and Easter

Author: Iona Community Wild Goose Worship Group

Worship ideas – a unique source of elements for lay and clergy worship planners and enablers.
GIA Publications Inc, 2000

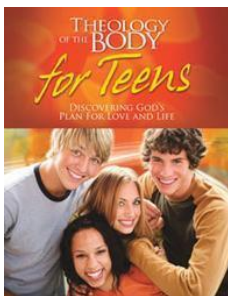


Taste & See: Prayer Services for Gatherings of Faith

Authors: Jacqueline Syrup Bergan & Marie Schwan

Prayer ideas – A collection of prayer services designed to enhance the prayer life of Christians of all denominations. Filled with ideas for prayers, setting the mood with introduction to prayer, song suggestions, and reflection questions. Perfect for leading group prayer or individual reflection, regardless of age or experience leading prayer.

St Mary's Press, 1996

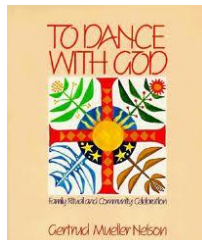


Theology of the Body for Teens – Parent's Guide

Author: Jason Evert

An outline of the Theology of the Body for Teens programme, aimed at parents whose children are participating in the course. Parents often find bringing the issue of chastity and Catholic teachings surrounding the topic to their children difficult and awkward; this guide takes parents through exactly what is taught in the course and makes the first step to “discovering God’s plan for love and life” that much easier for both parent and child.

Ascension Press, 2008

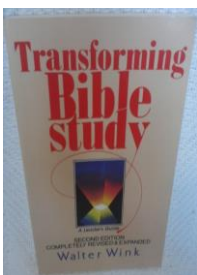


To Dance with God

Author: Gertrud Mueller Nelson

Shows how to use ritual and celebration throughout the church year by creatively combining rites and folk customs to celebrate sacred mysteries.

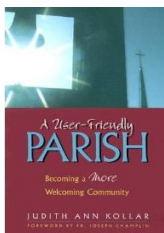
Paulist Press, 1986



Transforming Bible Study

Author: Walter Wink

A new and innovative way of running your Bible Study groups in easy step by step guides
Abingdon Press, 1986

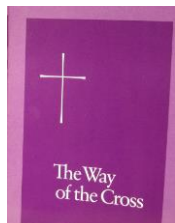


A User-Friendly Parish: Becoming a more welcoming community

Author: Judith Ann Kollar

A thorough break down of how your parish can be more welcoming from such details as cleanliness, proper lighting to correct committees and means of communication.

Twenty-Third Publications, 1998

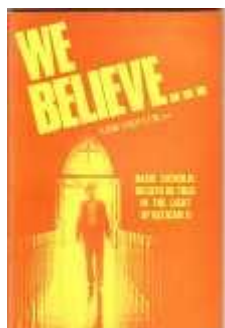


The Way of the Cross

Leader and Reader Edition

- Traditional Jerusalem Stations
- Scriptural Stations Used in Rome
- Stations with the Women of the Gospels

Liturgy Training Publications, 2002

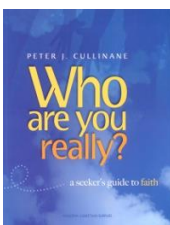


We Believe...

Author: Flann Lynch O. F. M.

This book presents the fundamentals of the Catholic faith following the second Vatican council, clearly and simply, in dialogue prayer form, for modern-day Catholics. This book addresses key aspects of each Catholic life such as prayer, faith, church, vocation, the sacraments and several more with the use of a combination of prayers, stories, scripture and questions/discussion to create an interactive prayer and reflection which can be read individually or used as a group activity.

The Word Publishers, 1976

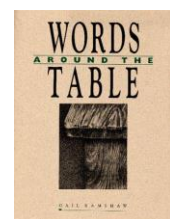


Who are you really? A seeker's guide to faith.

Author: Peter J Cullinane

A vantage point from which you can make your own discoveries – with help from others who have found meaning in their own lives.

Pleroma Christian Supplies, 2005

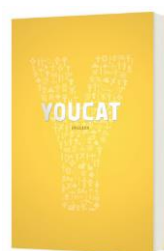


Words around the Table

Author: Gail Ramshaw

Reflections on the words and deeds of Sunday Eucharist

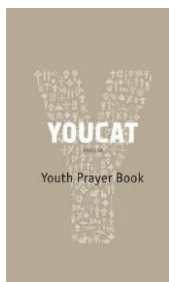
Liturgy Training Publication, 1991



YOUCAT Youth Catechism of the Catholic Church

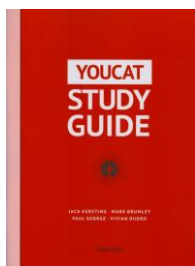
Author: Catholic Truth Society

Deals with Catholic Faith, as presented in the Catechism of the Catholic Church, and is cross-referenced to it so that people can go deeper if they wish. It explains: doctrine, sacraments, moral life, prayer and spirituality.



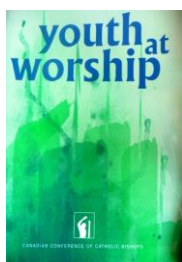
YOUCAT Prayer Book

The book has modern, new prayers, along with traditional prayers, and the time-honored prayers of Holy Scripture. It also gives a lot of practical advice on how to pray: in the morning, in the evening, and in between; in sorrow or in joy. The prayer book is illustrated with many photos of young people from all over the world.



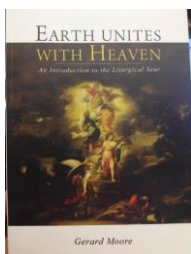
YOUCAT Study Guide

The Youcat study guide is aimed at helping readers to get the most out of YOUCAT. Featuring 35 topics based on the Catechism of the Catholic Church, the YOUCAT Study Guide is an excellent resource for classrooms, youth group discussion, or personal study. Each topic relates the material of YOUCAT to one of the four pillars of the Catechism of the Catholic Church - the Creed, the Sacraments, Morality, and Prayer.
Ignatius Press, 2013



Youth at Worship

Authors: Canadian Conference of Catholic Bishops
Offers guidance for preparing liturgies with youth.
Imprimerie Plantaganet Printing, 1999



Earth Unites with Heaven

Author: Gerard Moore

The book is a more than a useful guide to the background of our order of worship. It opens up the way in which time itself is placed at the service of the mystery of faith in Christ. This book offers insight into the larger lines of thought, prayer and action that underpin the liturgical year.

Morning Star Publishing, 2014

Section 6 | Prayer and Development Resources



Optimism Boosters

Author: Selina Byrne M.A.P.S

A set of 30 cards with questions for opening up new possibilities and fresh ways of thinking

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2011



Respect and Justice Cards

Authors: Russell Deal, Karen Masman, Di O'Neil, John Holton, Wayne McCashen, Jacqui Lynch and Jennie Mellberg

A set of 30 cards with reminders for doing power with

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2008



Stones have feelings too!

Authors: Russell Deal, Karen Masman, Ray Bowler

Sometimes we don't have words for our feelings. Meet a pile of quirky, engaging, happy, sad, afraid, shy, joyful and just plain outrageous 'stone' characters; characters who wear their feelings all over their not-so-stony faces. On the back of each card are three words that will help build a vocabulary for naming feelings.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2003



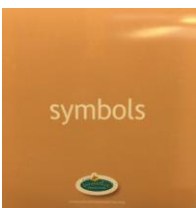
Inside Out: A Journaling Kit

Authors: Deb Western and Sivan Debeljakovic

Journaling is a time-honoured activity for anyone interested in practicing and teaching creative writing. This resource, featuring 32 beautifully illustrated word cards and work

booklet, will introduce you to the self-exploratory world of journal writing.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2003



Symbols

Authors: Lina Espie, Russell Deal, Karen Masman, John Holton and Brad Welsh

Simple, powerful icons for creating change-oriented conversations. Symbols gather a potent mix of meaning and significance around them. This symbols pack comes with 100 laminated cards plus 48-page booklet of suggested uses.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2007



Choosing Strengths

Authors: Russell Deal, Karen Masman and Tim Lane

Everyone has strengths. Sometimes they shine like blazing lights and sometimes we may wonder where our strengths have gone! But they are there – if we choose to call on

them. Choosing Strengths is a set of 36 cards (and booklet). Each card beautifully illustrated identifies a strength that anyone can choose to cultivate or make their own.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2013



Picture This

Author: Brent Seamer

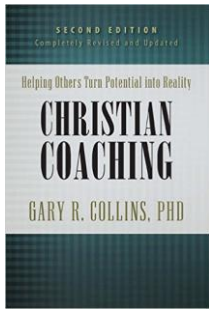
Photographs have a unique ability to stimulate the imagination, memory and emotions. They can be powerful catalysts for storytelling, writing and reflection about our values and priorities – and changes that we want to bring into our lives. *Picture This* is a set of 75 full-colour, original photographs capturing different aspects of our journey through life.

St Lukes Innovative Resources, 2007

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Section 7 | Coaching and Mentoring



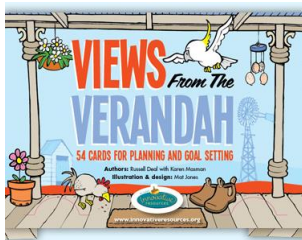
Christian Coaching

Author: Gary R. Collins PHD

Helping others turn potential into reality

Dr Collins offers you biblical principles, how-tos and practical forms and tools to enhance your coaching skills. You'll learn how to:

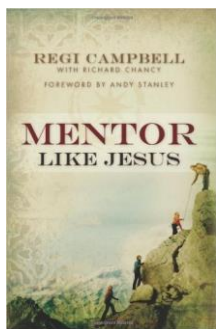
- refine your listening and questioning skills
- apply coaching principles
- be more effective in helping people discover and live out God's purpose for their lives.



Views from the Verandah

Authors: Russell Deal with Karen Masman

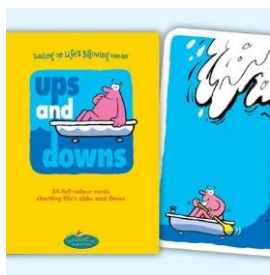
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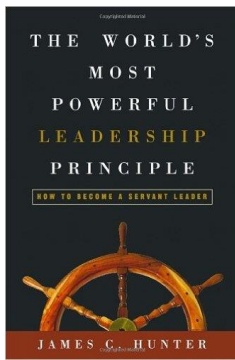


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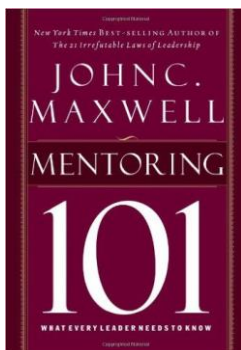
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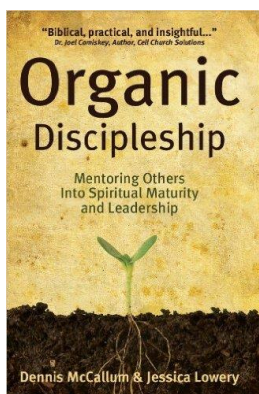


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