

# New Resources

TITLE	TYPE	TIME/CONTENT	DESCRIPTION
BEAUTIFUL POSSIBLE, THE: A NOVEL	b		With empathy and skill, "The Beautiful Possible" considers the hidden boundaries of marriage and faith, and the mysterious ways we negotiate our desires.
BEING REFORMED: FSU : THE PROTESTANT REFORMATIONS	curr	leader's/participant's guide	Biblically based 6-session mini courses, provides adults with a foundational understanding of our Reformed faith. Features Scripture, a prayer, in-depth commentary, questions for reflection. Leader's guide provides outlines, direction for group sessions.
BEING REFORMED: FSU: BAPTISM WORKBOOK: COMING TO THE FONT	b		Guides you through some of the ways the church understands Baptism, drawing from both Scripture and the experience and reflection of the historic church. Self-guided study, group study, reference for personal reflection.
BEING REFORMED: FSU: THE LORD'S SUPPER WORKBOOK: COMING TO THE TABLE	curr		This workbook will be of help in enlarging our understandings of the Lord's Supper. It shows us the importance of the Lord's Supper in the church's life and our own lives uniting us with Christ by faith. Can be used as self guided study/group study.
EVERBLOOM: STORIES OF LIVING DEEPLY ROOTED/TRANSFORMED LIVES	b		The women of Redbud Writers Guild know the importance of spiritual shelter, and how easy it is to feel alone/misunderstood. A collection of essays, stories, poetry intensely personal accounts of transformation and the journeys to find their own voices.
FAITH QUESTIONS: SIMPLE SUNDAYS: WHAT ARE GOD'S GIFTS?	curr		Expands on Faith Questions Coffeehouse version. 4-5 sessions each, based on questions young people ask, straight forward lesson plans, little prep. Perfect for any gathering of youth. Download, \$10.00.
FAITH QUESTIONS: SIMPLE SUNDAYS: WHAT IS ADVENT?	curr		Expands on Faith Questions Coffeehouse version. 4-5 sessions each, based on questions young people ask, straight forward lesson plans, little prep. Perfect for any gathering of youth. Download, \$10.00.
FAITH QUESTIONS: SIMPLE SUNDAYS: WHAT IS LOVE?	curr		Expands on Faith Questions Coffeehouse version. 4-5 sessions each, based on questions young people ask, straight forward lesson plans, little prep. Perfect for any gathering of youth. Download, \$10.00.
FAITH QUESTIONS: SIMPLE SUNDAYS: WHY DO WE THANK GOD?	curr		Expands on Faith Questions Coffeehouse version. 4-5 sessions each, based on questions young people ask, straight forward lesson plans, little prep. Perfect for any gathering of youth. Download, \$10.00.
FIRST STORIES: JESUS'S STORY	b		A board book for toddler/preschoolers that introduces them to Jesus's story.
GREAT HYMNS OF OUR FAITH	b		This 6 chapter study introduces us to ways our hymnody/theology relate and how our hymns express our theological convictions. 1. A Look at Congregational Singing 2. I Believe in God 3. And in Jesus Christ 4. The Holy Spirit 5. The Church 6. Life in the World
GROWING IN GRACE & GRATITUDE: 500TH ANNIVERSARY PROTESTANT REFORMAT.	curr	FREE Download Product Code 31007DR	1 session Presbyterian curriculum for age 5-10 Multiage exploring the Protestant Reformation through the lens of grace/gratitude. Hear Paul's teaching about God's grace that changed Martin Luther's life/assured God's grace is for us too.
HAPPY? WHAT IT IS AND HOW TO FIND IT	DVD	4/11-14 minute sessions on DVD with leader guide and book	It may be that how we find lasting happiness/contentment in our lives isn't in our lives at all. This study connects our deep desires with basic theology and unexpected biblical texts to redefine happiness and suggests a way forward in Christ.
HOLDING UP YOUR CORNER: TALKING ABOUT RACE IN YOUR COMMUNITY	DVD	6 sessions with video clips, participants book, book	How do you talk about racial prejudice, entrenched poverty/exploitation, segregation, loss of education/employment, ravages of addiction. DVD includes video clips from clergy, other Christian leaders across the country that will spur dialogue/self-examination.
IONA ABBEY WORSHIP BOOK	b		Extensively revised and rearrange. About 80% of the text is new material which has been developed by members of the Iona Community since the previous edition.
LATINO PROTESTANTS IN AMERICA: GROWING AND DIVERSE	b		Brings together the best existing scholarship with original research to offer a picture of Latino Protestants in America, from worship practices to political engagement. Resource for anyone interested in the beliefs/practices of this group.
LOVE NEVER FAILS	b		60 hand-lettered quotes from well knowns Maya Angelou, Elie Wiesel, Pope Francis, Henri Nouwen, Leo Tolstoy, and others are paired with joyful paintings and interactive exercises that explore their idea of a love that hope, bears, and believes all things.
MICROAGGRESSIONS IN MINISTRY	b		Confronting the hidden violence of everyday church uncovers the practices that contribute to microaggressions toward targeted groups in our churches. With plenty of examples, this book helps us recognize such practices and offers strategies for change.
MORE TO YOUR STORY: DISCOVER YOUR PLACE IN GOD'S PLAN	DVD	6/11-12 minute sessions with study guide and book	Max Lucado guides you through the events of the New Testament to show you that there's more to your story than you ever imagined. 1. When You Discover Your Place in God's Plan 2. Ordinary Matters 3. You Hear a Voice You Can Trust 4. You Won't Be Forsaken etc
MOSES: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE RELUCTANT PROPHET	DVD	6 session DVD with book and leader guide	Six sessions with Adam Hamilton. Examine the significant challenges Moses faced and how God shaped his character in powerful ways as you explore important locations he inhabited. Includes book and leader guide.
NO INNOCENT BYSTANDERS (Release Date 9-26-2017)	b		The struggle for justice is ongoing. A start-up guide for spiritual/religious people who are interested in working for social justice but don't know how/where to begin. Offers practical guidance to meaningfully/mindfully advocate for a more just society.

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NOBODY	b		Digs beneath the casualties of America's war on the vulnerable from Ferguson to Flint and beyond. Uncovers patterns/policies of State authority that allow some citizens to become disempowered, poor, uneducated,vulnerable, disposable.How did we get here?
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: AUGUSTINE OF HIPPO	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: DANTE ALIGHIERI	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: HIDEGARD OF BINGEN	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: IGNATIUS LOYOLA	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: JULIAN OF NORWICH	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: TERESA OF AVILA	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PIONEERS OF THE SPIRIT: WILLIAM BLAKE	DVD	1 of 7 DVD/24 min. Each /background guide	An introduction to the life of 7 mystics,saints,heros: Augustine of Hippo,William Blake,Dante Alighier,Teresa of Avila,Julian of Norwich,Hildegarde of Bingen,Ignatius Loyola. A 24 min. profile of each, biographical details and theological backgrounds.
PRAYERS OF THE REFORMERS	b		In the 500th Anniversary year of the Reformation this collection of prayers allows you to meet the Reformers and learn from them through their prayers. Discover how an ordinary life can be part of God's extraordinary plan.
PROTESTANT REFORMATION, THE: YOUTH AND YOUNG ADULTS	curr		5 session survey of church history, includes Martin Luther's life and impact on the Reformation. Includes a session on the life of John Calvin.Through turmoil/renewal, these reformers were faithful to God's call. Share with youth and young adults.
RACE IN A POST-OBAMA AMERICA: THE CHURCH RESPONDS	b		Recent events in the U.S. have provoked a willingness to discuss issues of racism in this country/a desire to do something meaningful to confront it. Offers concerned Christians the chance to clarify terms/issues around racism and discern how to respond.
SUITCASE, THE: A STORY ABOUT GIVING	b		Thomas, the main character in this children's story about giving, has packed a suitcase to travel to the Kingdom of Heaven. Find out what Thomas is bringing and join him and his family on this special journey.
SUN SLOWLY RISES, THE	b		Bible readings, reflections and prayers for the days of Holy Week and a large section of resources, all from members, associates and friends of the Iona Community
WHAT DO THEY HEAR?	b		Field researches on what people hear in the texts and persuades the preacher that social location is of inescapable importance. Bridging the gap bewtween pulpit and pew by letting a text say and do what it will in the life of each listener.
WHAT IS THE BIBLE?	b		Insights/answers about how the Bible actually works as a source of faith/guidance, showcasing a brand-new way of reading this sacred text. Bell asks the best question"Why did people find this important to write down?"to get at how scripture guides today.
WHAT'S YOUR STORY? SEEING YOUR LIFE THROUGH GOD'S EYES	DVD	4/5-8 minute sessions on DVD with leader guide and book	Author Sarah Heath leads you to envision your life as an adventure you are cowriting with God. Explores Joseph's life and key features of every good story and invites you to see your life as a grand tale-and to see God's hand in it.
WHO COUNTS? 100 SHEEP, 10 COINS, AND 2 SONS	b		A creative retelling of three of Jesus' most popular parables: the lost sheep, the lost coin, and the prodigal son. Teaches that every one of us counts and that everyone should feel counted. Includes a note to parents/teachers.
WILD GOOSE BIG BOOK OF WORSHIP RESOURCES	b		A wide-ranging collection of resources for Advent, Christmas, Lent, Easter, Pentecost, Transfiguration, Harvest, Holocaust Memorial Day, Mothering Sunday, and other special day, areas of concern, .like refugees/peacemaking.
YOU ARE FREE: BE WHO YOU ALREADY ARE	b		Christ tells us we are free. In this book the author invites us overcome exhaustion of meeting others' expectations,release stress/anxiety uncover peace in God's presence, find permission to grieve past disappointments toward healing, etc.