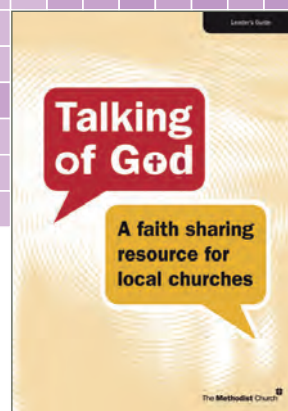
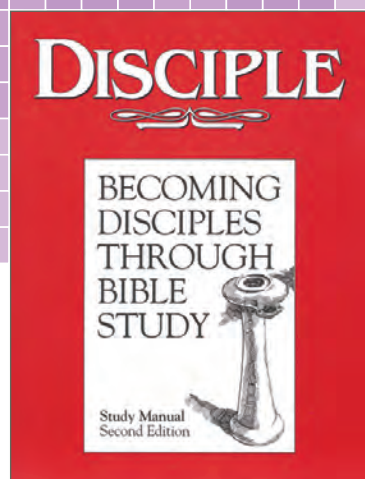
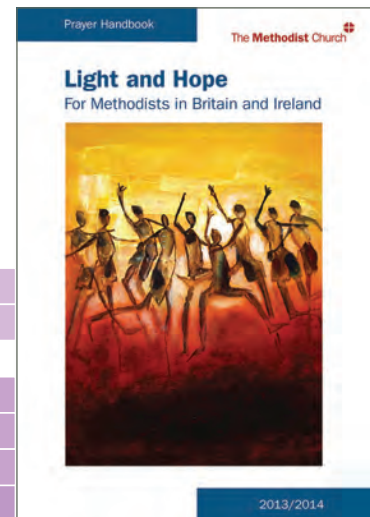


Resources for a Discipleship Movement Shaped for Mission



Equipping whole life, lifelong,
world transforming disciples

New titles and editions

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First Impressions Count

Deepening your church's culture of welcome

First Impressions Count is a workshop that will enable your church to reflect on the welcome that someone experiences when they first visit. It is designed to run for 2 hours 30 minutes and is divided into three sessions: creating a welcoming building, being a welcoming people and welcoming through inclusion.

May 2013 • www.methodist.org.uk/mission/welcome-and-invitation

Note: Free electronic download only via link above. A printed version of the material is not available to order.



Make a Journey of Faith

2nd Edition

This is a first-contact leaflet that provides a short introduction to the Methodist Church for newcomers. The second edition has been substantially rewritten and redesigned to reflect current developments in Methodism. You can download a free eBook version from www.methodist.org.uk.

January 2013 • 12pp • 148 x 105mm
Booklet / Pack of 50

PA183 • £5

Evangelism Conversation Starters

A series of eight conversation starters for church meetings, Local Preachers' Meetings and house groups to reflect on different aspects of the task of evangelism. These free downloads developed out of the Evangelism Consultation held in November 2012.

- 1) What makes you want to share the gospel?
- 2) What is the good news?
- 3) Why is evangelism so difficult today?
- 4) How do we make evangelism central to what we do?
- 5) Nurture new disciples
- 6) Learn from culturally diverse groups
- 7) Change the image of evangelism
- 8) Explain the gospel in the 21st century

June 2013 • www.methodist.org.uk/deepeningdiscipleship

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Talking of God

A short course for church communities that encourages and enables conversations about faith. It intends to give people more confidence when it comes to sharing the stories of their faith in everyday life. It does this by facilitating conversations about conversations, and rooting it all in the Gospels.

2011 • www.methodist.org.uk/talkingofgod

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New titles and editions

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Light and Hope

Methodist Prayer Handbook 2013/2014

Light and Hope celebrates signs of hope in the Church, the world, our communities and our lives.

Each new edition of the *Prayer Handbook* connects Christians from different times, places and walks of life. Classic prayers are interwoven with new contributions from Methodists across the districts and around the world. Arranged as a 31-day prayer cycle, the *Handbook* also includes a daily lectionary with a suggested hymn (from *Singing the Faith*) to guide you through the year.

August 2013 • 80pp • 210 x 148mm • Booklet • PR900 • £3.50

Large Print

August 2013 • 80pp • 297 x 210mm • Booklet • PR901 • £3.50

A Word in Time

A Word in Time provides commentary on the daily lectionary from the *Methodist Prayer Handbook*. Different authors offer a week of comments and readers can participate in an online forum.

www.methodist.org.uk/bible

Note: Free website resource only at link above. A printed version of the material is not available to order.

Singing the Faith

The authorised hymn book for the Methodist Church in Britain, *Singing the Faith* is eminently suitable not just for public worship, but also for private prayer and reflection. For all editions, see www.methodistpublishing.org.uk.

Words

2011 • 800pp • 177 x 114 x 30mm • Hardback
SF102 • £10

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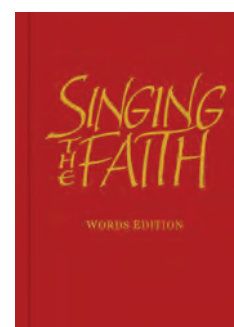
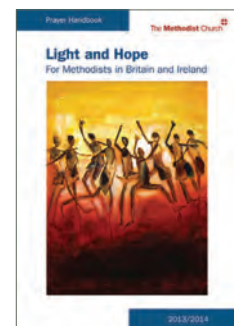
2011 • 848pp • 216 x 143 x 30mm • Hardback • SF103 • £15

Words (ePub)

July 2013 • £10 (inc VAT) • Available from www.canterburypress.co.uk

Words (Kindle)

May 2013 • £10 (inc VAT) • Available from www.amazon.co.uk



Still available

Exploring Spiritual Practices

Developed by the Inspire Network, this six or seven week small-group resource encourages an exploration of John Wesley's 'means of grace' – specifically the spiritual practices of fasting, sharing fellowship, prayer, searching the Scriptures and the Lord's Supper.

2012 • www.methodist.org.uk/exploringspiritualpractices

Note: Free electronic download only via link above. A printed version of the material is not available to order.

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Compass

For those new to faith or new to Methodism

From those who have piloted the course:

"I found *Compass* very inspiring, enabling me to grow in both knowledge and confidence whilst looking at my faith and beliefs."

"Particularly welcome were the Methodist Emphasis sections, appreciated not only by those new to Methodism but also by those with a much longer association."

Compass is a short course that introduces the Christian faith to those who wish to explore its meaning. Like any compass it relates to a particular map and the one intended is Christian discipleship in the Methodist Church. It looks not just to the foundation stones of Christian faith, but also to the experience of our Methodist heritage which has shaped our present understanding.

It is intended as a guide on the journey of faith that will appeal to the beginner and also the well-travelled. The course offers a process of learning, an opportunity for sharing and the vehicle for deepening faith. At all points there is the chance to discuss, reflect and question in the context of a small group. The final session (*Called by name*) makes *Compass* suitable for those exploring membership.

Leader's Guide

Autumn 2013 • www.methodist.org.uk/compass

Note: Free electronic download only via link above. A printed version is not available to order.

Participants' Workbook

Autumn 2013 • c.80pp • 210 x 148mm • Booklet • **PA406** • £5

Postcard Set

Autumn 2013 • 210 x 148mm

PA407 • £5



Deepening Discipleship

The *Deepening Discipleship* website is framed around three key sections: spiritual practices (graceful discipleship), scripture (scriptural discipleship) and evangelism (confident discipleship). A further section explores the role of small groups in discipleship formation.

Each section comprises short, thought-provoking articles that explore these different strands. The articles have been written by Methodists around the Connexion and can be used by individuals, as conversation starters in small groups, or as a reflection point for a larger gathering such as a Church Council meeting.

We encourage you to see this site as a partner in your journey of faith, and would welcome any suggestions on what might be helpful to add to this website. You can send an email to thenetwork@methodistchurch.org.uk.

Recent additions to the website include:

- Keeping a spiritual journal (David Lawrence)
- Is rural evangelism possible? (Simon Martin)
- Praying with art (Sarah Middleton)
- A perspective of justice (James Flyeman)

www.methodist.org.uk/deepeningdiscipleship

Note: Free electronic downloads only via link above. Printed versions of the material are not available to order.

DISCIPLE 1

Becoming disciples through Bible study

"DISCIPLE is not just a history lesson, not just a Bible study, not just a commitment to read God's word and know God's grace, not just information – but transformation. It's wonderful!"

Karen Ette, Loughborough

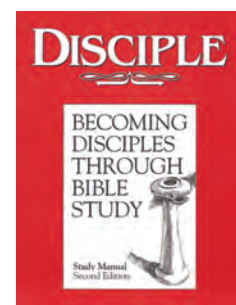
"DISCIPLE will change the way you see the world and your place within it as a follower of Jesus."

Margaret Smithson, Eastleigh

For more details visit www.methodist.org.uk/disciple.

Study Manual

2nd Edition • 2003 • 256pp • 275 x 210mm • Paperback • **DI302** • £22



D:Sign

A series of 12 postcards combine Scripture, questions and invitations with the striking artwork of Ric Stott to stimulate conversations about discipleship and living life to the full. Ideal for use in small groups or community events. Accompanying free resources, including podcasts, are available at www.methodist.org.uk/dsign.

Postcard Pack

2011 • 148 x 105mm • **GA109** • £2

Also of interest

More resources supported by the Methodist Church in Britain. Please note: these are not available to order from Methodist Publishing.

Table Talk

Wouldn't it be great to be able to get together around a table to talk, laugh, be understood and get to know another's point of view on the important questions in life? This series of games will help get the conversations started. Priced £25 each and available to order from www.theuglyducklingcompany.com/shop.

HOPE

HOPE is an invitation to local mission in 2014. Ideas for how you might be able to engage your local community, in partnership with other Christians in your context, can be found in the HOPE resource book *Hope Heartbeat* – priced £5.99 per copy (plus postage and packing) and available from www.hopetogether.org.uk. You will find further ideas scattered throughout this website.

How will you participate in local mission and world transformation this year?

Step Forward

Draws on the Methodist tradition of small groups to encourage people in their journey of discipleship. Designed to be run over a 12 month period, participants will feel more confident in their personal life, ministry and mission, as well as their commitment to each other.

Written by Mark Wakelin (President of the Methodist Conference 2012/2013) and produced by the Guy Chester Centre. To order visit www.stepforward-training.org.uk.

Imagine

Resources for whole life discipleship written out of the Imagine project in the North West. This is a partnership between a group of churches and the London Institute of Contemporary Christianity. It aims to change the culture of the local church to one focused on resourcing discipleship in the 'whole' life lived outside church circles. You can download some of the resources for free from the *Deepening Discipleship* marketplace for small groups – www.methodist.org.uk/deepeningdiscipleship.

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