

## Worship Resources – Web/ Books

[www.united-church.ca](http://www.united-church.ca)

Worship Planning

<http://www.united-church.ca/planning/lectionary> (offers links for Gathering Lectionary, Useful Downloads, and Useful Websites)

<http://www.united-church.ca/planning/arts/links> (offers links for clip art, dance, drama, drumming, multimedia, visual arts)

<http://www.united-church.ca/planning/seasons> (offers links for Church Seasons and Special Sundays)

<http://www.united-church.ca/planning/theme> (offers links to resources for worship planning related to such topics as: Residential School Apology, Emergency situation (i.e. hurricane), Intercultural worship, Stewardship in Worship, Peace, Rural/Creation)

[www.worship.ca](http://www.worship.ca) (Evangelical Lutheran)

[www.gbod.org/worship](http://www.gbod.org/worship) (United Methodist)

[www.evensong.ca](http://www.evensong.ca) (Bruce & Cheryl Harding)

[www.alternateworship.org](http://www.alternateworship.org)

[www.familyworship.org.uk](http://www.familyworship.org.uk)

[www.experiencingworship.com](http://www.experiencingworship.com)

[www.faithclipart.com](http://www.faithclipart.com)

[www.reformedworship.org](http://www.reformedworship.org)

[www.ucc.org/worship](http://www.ucc.org/worship) (United Church of Christ, USA)

[www.webofcreation.org](http://www.webofcreation.org)

[www.iona.org.uk/](http://www.iona.org.uk/) (Iona Community)

### **Sermon Prep Resources:**

<http://www.workingpreacher.org/>

<http://cep.calvinseminary.edu/thisWeek/index.php>

<http://www.processandfaith.org/lectionary/>

<http://www.rockies.net/~spirit/sermons/seasonalresources.php> (has Seasonal Resources)

<http://www.rexaehuntprogressive.com/>

<http://www.sermonillustrations.com>

[http://www.sojo.net/index.cfm?action=resources.sermon\\_prep](http://www.sojo.net/index.cfm?action=resources.sermon_prep) (this is a site that you have to subscribe to and there is a fee – strong social justice messages)

kir-shalom resources see [www.rockies.net/~spirit/sermon.html](http://www.rockies.net/~spirit/sermon.html)

<http://www.sermon.com> e-newsletter

<http://www.sermons.com>

### **General Worship Links:**

<http://www.textweek.com/> (an absolute treasure house!)

Through this site you can access:

- United Methodist worship website
- Kate Huey (she used to be also on the United Church of Christ website but is now found on her own site)
- Process and Faith Lectionary Commentary
- Sermon Nuggets
- Tuesday Lectionary Leanings (RevGalBlogPals)
- Dylan's Lectionary Blog
- Moira Laidlaw (Liturgies Online)

<http://www.liturgiesonline.com.au/liturgies/main/index.php>

<http://ralphmiltonsrums.blogspot.com/>

<http://www.cofe.anglican.org/worship/liturgy/commonworship/texts/nav/sitemap.html> (is the Anglican site)

Ralph Milton's weekly e-newsletter, blog, E-Talk, Midrash and Ralph's Resource Barrell can all be accessed through <http://www.woodlakebooks.com> (you will need to sign up with an email address and passcode)

### **For complete worship services and many good resource links there's:**

<http://www.spirit-net.ca/sermon.html>

<http://www.liturgiesonline.com.au/liturgies/main/> (is the Australian site for the Uniting Churches)

### **Here are some free, legal image sites if people are looking for projection material:**

<http://www.scripturepics.org/>

<http://www.churchpowerpoint.com/>

<http://imagebank.org.uk/ibhome.html> (must register, but it's easy)

### **Great online collection of Bible translations:**

<http://bible.crosswalk.com/>

<http://www.biblemaximum.com> (has a free Bible programme that has several classic commentaries and Bible version add-ons. It is one of very few that has Good News for Modern Man)

<http://www.biblegateway.com/> (has a large number of Bible versions)

### **Children's Sermons/Resources**

<http://www.sermons4kids.com/> (is helpful for Children's Sermons)

Seasons of the Spirit

Kir-shalom site listed above also has link to children's sermons etc

### **Freebies:**

<http://www.lifeway.com/> is a commercial site but there are many useful freebies

**Books/Magazines:**

*Celebrate God's Presence* (UCC worship resource)

*Worship for All Seasons I, II, and III* edited by Thomas Harding & Bruce Harding

*Gathering Magazine* (available from UCRD) <http://www.united-church.ca/sales/magazines/gathering/2009/lep>

*Age to Age: Intergenerational Prayers, Praise, and Programs*

*Worship for All Ages: Services for Special Sundays*

*Children Worship!* By Mary Jane Pierce Norton

*Feasting on the Word* by David L. Bartlett and Barbara Brown Taylor, ed.

*Seasons of the Spirit* (Congregational and Lectionary Pack) <http://www.spiritseasons.com>

**Some Favourite Authors:**

Joyce Rupp (especially for small group worship)

Ted Loder

Barbara Brown Taylor sermon books (*The Gospel Life*, *Luminous Web*)

Henri Nouwen

Ruth Duck