

# Your LINK to Ministry Resources

## NE Ohio Resource Center

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Call or email ahead of  
visit for recommended  
resources to be  
immediately available for  
viewing.

Not able to visit? Most  
items can be mailed.

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Pastor Kirsten Nelson Roenfeldt has created for **catechism** students a **scavenger hunt** for the ELCA website. With some adapting it could also be used with new member classes. For a copy contact the synod resource center.

**SparkHouse** has created **conversation cards** for the home.

<https://tinyurl.com/y32h9puq> Consider using a question from these cards to engage participants as they gather in person or on zoom and wait for a meeting to begin.

New **discipleship** resources have been added to the **ELCA Faith Practices** website. The first two can be used in a small group/conversation setting.

**Resiliency: Faith Practices in Tough Times**

**Resiliency: Setting Free our Lament**

The parent's guide is designed for parents or in a family setting.

**Resiliency: A Parent's Guide**

<https://www.elca.org/Resources/Faith-Practices>

As you assess the various needs and roles in the congregation (some may no longer be appropriate or viable) what are some new opportunities? For example: **technology usher** – one who assists individuals in connecting virtually to worship, meetings or small group gatherings. What are some of the new roles and titles in your congregation? Share them with the resource center.

## Leader Helps

FaithLead of Luther Seminary is offering 3 podcasts to assist leaders navigate these uncertain times and lead for the future. To learn more about each of these podcasts:

**Pivot: Leading through Chaos**

**Wilderness Time**

**Faithful Adaptation**

Visit: <https://faithlead.luthersem.edu/resources/podcasts>

You can receive this  
newsletter **every** month  
digitally by emailing  
[rc@neos-elca.org](mailto:rc@neos-elca.org)

The resource center continues to support congregations during these extraordinary times. One way is by sharing resources between congregations. Recently St. Mark, Wapakoneta (Pastor Doug Pretorius) shared numerous copies of Bible Studies in new or like new condition for use by sister congregations. Remaining titles include:

Intersections

*Praying: Meeting God in Daily Life* - Lyn Klug 22 copies

*Smart Choices: Making Your Way through Life* - Eppley/Melander 17 copies

In Life Series

*In Walks Jesus* - Peter E. Mueller 20 copies

*Dare to Be Different* - Stephen D. Hower 15 copies

*From Guest to Disciple* - Joel Heck 8 copies

Kergyma

*Parable: Stories for Life* - Richard J. Henderson 15 copies

*Lord, Teach Us to Pray* - John C Purdy 13 copies

N.T.Wright for Everyone Bible Study Guides

*Romans* - 5 copies

*1 & 2 Thessalonians* - 16 copies

*1 & 2 Timothy and Titus* - 9 copies

*1 & 2 Peter and Jude* - 8 copies

Insight Series

*Four Parables of Jesus* - Richard A. Davenport - 18 copies

Lifeguide Bible Studies

*Proverbs* - William Mouser - 21 copies

*James* - Andrew & Phyllis LePeau - 9 copies

*Christian Disciplines* - Andrea Sterk & Peter Scazzero - 12 copies

*The Ten Commandments* - Ron Suggs - 8 copies

**5- Minute Bibles: Quick, Seasonal Studies for Any Setting** - 2 copies

**Mark for Everyone** - N.T. Wright - 16 copies

**Books for group reading**

*The Centered Life: Awakened, Called, Set Free, Nurtured* - Jack Fortin - 17 copies

*Ordinary Joy: Finding Fresh Promises in Routine Moments* - 7 copies

*Seven Spiritual Gifts of Waiting* - Holly W. Whitcomb - 17 copies

*'Tis a Gift to be Simple: Embracing the Freedom of Living with Less* - B & D Sorensen - 6 copies

*Yes, Lord, I Have Sinned but I Have Several Excellent Excuses* - James W. Moore - 11 copies

***If you are interested in any of the above titles contact the resource center 330-929-9020/***[\*\*\*rc@neos-elca.org\*\*\*](mailto:rc@neos-elca.org) ***asap so you will not be disappointed.***

*We continue to provide a table of gratis materials for those visiting the resource center and welcome your donations.*