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Many United Church of Christ materials are available on loan at your Association/Conference Resource Center.

The following resources are available through United Church of Christ Resources at 800.537.3394:

A Calendar of Prayer for the UCC. This calendar has daily entries that describe mission partnerships in the United States and around the world. It is arranged with pages suitable for duplication as bulletin inserts, as well as for intercessory prayer. Free. CD Rom version also available. WCLC4, WCLC4C-CD ROM.

The “e.word”. This packet of evangelism articles is designed to equip, empower, nurture, and challenge congregations to proclaim the gospel in new and exciting ways. Many include projects with how-to steps. Evangelism Ministry Team, Local Church Ministries, also available at www.ucc.org/evangelism.

Exploring Covenant in the United Church of Christ. Evangelism Ministry Team and Parish Life and Leadership Ministry Team, available at www.ucc.org.

Federal Reporting Requirements for Churches. Order by calling 800.642.6543. A guide for local church treasurers with information on current tax laws.

Inspiring Generosity: A Stewardship Resource for the Local Church. This resource looks at ways to understand and approach money and mission realistically. It includes the theological background on the motivation for giving, as well as four programmatic approaches to fundraising in the church. Stewardship and Church Finances Ministry Team, Local Church Ministries. Order by calling 800.634.5235, ask for SCIGM.

It’s All About Evangelism. Evangelism Ministry Team, Local Church Ministries, 2003. An inspiring and engaging new video that tells the evangelism witness of six diverse congregations in the United Church of Christ. Order by calling 800.634.5235, ask for ECENCV.

The Manual on Ministry: Perspectives and Procedures for Ecclesiastical Authorization of Ministry. A series of ten booklets in a binder, outlining procedures for the authorization of ordained, commissioned, and licensed ministry; ordained ministerial partners; and perspectives and procedures for review and discipline of persons authorized for ministry. Parish Life and Leadership, Local Church Ministries. ucc.org/ministers.

Pastoral Call Agreement for Local Churches of the United Church of Christ. Guidelines for a local church to use in determining its call agreement and compensation package for a new pastor. Ask for OCLPCA.

The Power of Welcome and Invitation, God is Still Speaking Initiative, www.stillspeaking.org

United Church News. The primary source for news and information about the denomination on the web and in print.

The United Church of Christ Desk Calendar and Plan Book. Includes a directory of Conference and National Staff. Calendar portion lists special emphases and events in the denomination. Contains a resource catalog. Order from 216.736.3858.

The United Church of Christ Constitution and By Laws. ucc.org.

Also Recommended

Griffith, Jim. *Getting Started: How to Start a New Church.* www.jimgriffithcoaching.org

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