Ministry Resources & Church Supplies
2022–2023
Beloved people of God,

The past two and a half years have brought many challenges to congregational life. We’ve seen how congregations are responding, adapting, and growing in new directions. Our ministry is to support your ministry. We are grateful for the partnership we share with you as you renew and enliven worship, enhance and nurture faith, advance the practice of ministry, and bring the good news into your community and the world, through word and deed.

This catalog illustrates our support for your ministry. Here are timely resources to help address our rapidly changing contexts. Here also are reliable resources for ongoing needs. These are developed and provided with your help: hundreds of you serve as authors, reviewers, composers, and research respondents to inform and guide our work. May these tools for ministry serve you well. Please circulate this catalog with other staff and leaders who share in your collaborative work.

For more information on these and other resources from the imprints of 1517 Media—congregational resources from Augsburg Fortress and Sparkhouse, as well as titles from Beaming Books, Broadleaf Books, and Fortress Press—visit us online at augsburgfortress.org. As the new ventures of the program year begin, may the Spirit give you courage and grace as you lead the church’s mission of worship, learning, community, and action!

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Planning Checklist

☐ Support leaders as they prepare for the new year by ordering worship planning resources and preaching commentaries for 2022–2023 (year A, the year of Matthew).
☐ Help altar guilds, worship committees, and worshipers connect with the rhythms of the church year by ordering multiple copies of calendars.
☐ Order candles for Sunday and seasonal worship. Include Advent in your plans, as well as Christmas Eve and other times you may use handheld candles.
☐ Present a Bible or Evangelical Lutheran Worship to new members or to children and youth at milestones along their faith journey. Just a few of the possible times for such an enduring gift are Reformation Sunday, a Sunday in Advent, or a Sunday in Lent.
☐ Start a new subscription to our weekly bulletin and insert service or update your current subscription.
☐ Stock up on baptismal certificates, candles, and gifts for the newly baptized, being sure to explore our colorful and engaging new titles for children.
☐ Invite individuals and groups to reflection and conversation around the Bible and the life of the world, using devotionals, timely new small group studies, and thought-provoking books.
☐ Plan ahead by gathering your resource needs into fewer, larger orders to minimize rising shipping costs.

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All Creation Sings

ACS Pew Edition

All Creation Sings goes hand in hand with Evangelical Lutheran Worship to support the church’s mission of worship in word and sacrament that leads to service and justice in the world. Included are 200 hymns and songs, more than 30 of them multilingual and many being new since ELW was released. This body of song supports the rhythms of the whole church year and gives enlarged expression to themes of healing and wholeness, creation care, justice and peace, praise and lament. Here are two new communion services, one presented in Spanish and English, the other offering options for evening use. Also included are a contemplative service of word and prayer as well as more than 50 additional prayer resources, rounding out nearly 70 pages of liturgy content.

978-1-5064-4961-6 | $14.50

ACS Leaders Edition

The sturdy leaders edition includes everything needed for the worship leader to conduct the services. A section of Notes on the Services offers information and guidance to enhance leadership of the liturgies. Full rubrics and proper prefaces are included for the communion services. Expanded indexes facilitate worship planning. Enlarged print makes for ease of reading.

978-1-5064-4963-0 | $30.00

ACS Accompaniment Edition

An essential companion to the pew edition, this resource provides the liturgies with full accompaniments to their music as well as full accompaniments to the whole body of hymns. It also provides guidance on leading various genres of music, including narrative notes on many of the hymns. Spiral-bound landscape format minimizes page turns.

978-1-5064-4962-3 | $60.00

Order at augsburgfortress.org or call 800.328.4648
Evangelical Lutheran Worship

ACS Guitar Accompaniment Edition
This edition includes guitar accompaniments for Holy Communion Settings 11 and 12 as well as every hymn in the pew edition. This volume provides melody lines with full text, large-size guitar chords, and bass indications. The Service of Word and Prayer is also included.
978-1-5064-8008-4 | $60.00

ACS eBook
This electronic version of All Creation Sings contains all the same content as the pew edition and is available for both Apple and Android products.
iOS: 978-1-5064-8011-4 | $14.50

Ensemble Setting of Holy Communion (Setting 12)
Ensemble Setting of Holy Communion (Setting 12) is an enhanced instrumental setting of All Creation Sings Holy Communion, Setting 12. Composer Anne Krentz Organ has designed this arrangement to be as flexible as possible; even adding one instrumental part will effectively enliven the keyboard accompaniment. Parts are written in various keys and include piano, instrumental descant, instrumental melody line, guitar, bass instruments, and handbells (C5-C6).
978-1-5064-7994-1 | $27.95

Indexes to Evangelical Lutheran Worship and All Creation Sings
Provides the prayer of the day and gospel acclamation, citations for appointed readings, listing of hymns and songs suited for the day, and a complete index to the Revised Common Lectionary. Moving beyond a simple planning volume, this volume is formatted to allow worship planners to consider hymns and songs from several perspectives at once, including place in the service and relationship to the readings for the day and the season.
978-1-5064-8013-8 | $25.00

ELW Pew Edition
More than one million copies of the Evangelical Lutheran Worship Pew Edition are now in use. Congregations across the church are finding their worship enlivened by its rich and broad selection of liturgies, songs, and prayers—both new and familiar. Also available as an eBook for Apple devices.
978-0-8066-5618-2 | $24.50

ELW Gift Edition
This expertly crafted edition features the complete content of the Evangelical Lutheran Worship Pew Edition with an elegant leather cover, gilded edging, and ribbon markers. It is the ideal resource for clergy, worship leaders, and laity. Designed to withstand years of use, this is a perfect resource for anyone who uses Evangelical Lutheran Worship.
978-0-8066-5671-7 | $49.00

ELW Pocket Edition
This edition features the complete content of the pew edition in a convenient, reduced size, expertly crafted on durable paper with a leather cover, silver edging, and ribbon markers. It is the ideal resource for visitation ministry, travel, home use, and personal reference. Designed to withstand years of use, this is a perfect companion and thoughtful gift for anyone who uses Evangelical Lutheran Worship.
978-0-8066-7035-5 | $45.00

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**ELW Occasional Services for the Assembly**
Contains more than 60 services and 200 prayers relating to congregational life and the church’s ministries. The volume is in a larger format to be suitable for use in leading worship. Features a durable hardcover format, silver edging, and convenient ribbons. Also available as an eBook and CD-ROM.
978-0-8066-9635-5 | $65.00

**Prayer Book for the Armed Services**
Developed with the contributions as well as reviews of chaplains and other service members, this durable pocket-sized companion is ideal for those close to the military. Those serving, as well as family and friends of those who serve, will find here a resource of comfort and strength. To ship to service members stationed internationally, supply the APO/FPO address and we can handle delivery.
978-1-4514-7000-0 | $9.50
More Days for Praise
In this volume, teacher and scholar Gail Ramshaw shows how the Evangelical Lutheran Worship calendar of festivals and commemorations lifts up people who are both faithful and fascinating, always pointing to Christ. Each day’s entry includes a brief chronology of the person’s life; a summary of why the person is remembered by the church; an image of, or related to, the person commemorated; a quote from the person, where possible; and devotional hymn and prayer suggestions for the day.

978-1-4514-9621-5 | $22.00

Word of God, Word of Life
Gail Ramshaw lays out 10 foundational principles of the three-year lectionary in her lively and accessible prose, helping readers enter more deeply into how the Bible comes to life in worship. When a reading is concluded, worshipers may hear these words: “Word of God, word of life.” This book advances the author’s conviction and hope that “the more preparation we all can bring to Sunday morning, the more intentional might be our response: ‘Thanks be to God.’”

978-1-5064-4915-9 | $25.00

ELW Ceremonial Binder Pack
This value pack contains one of each of the five colors of binders available: red, green, white, blue, and purple. Perfect for presiders, lectors, cantors, accompanists, or prayer leaders, these three-ring binders are sized to hold standard 8½” x 11” pages. Features a ⅝” spine. 9 ⅛” wide x 11⅝” tall.

978-1-5064-8005-3 | $129.95

ELW Bookmarks
These durable bookmarks are designed specifically for Evangelical Lutheran Worship. Features five 14” multicolored woven ribbons. Logo tab inserts into the spine for ease of use.

978-6-0002-0879-0 | $5.35

ELW and All Creation Sings Offering Envelopes, 100 per box
Make special offerings possible and easy with these matching offering envelopes. Includes the Evangelical Lutheran Worship and All Creation Sings logo.

978-1-5064-7889-0 | $5.29

Evening Worship Settings
Stay with Us, Lord
Here are two refreshing liturgical settings from David and Susan Cherwien: Holy Communion and Evening Prayer. Ideal for year-round use, with optional seasonal texts for Advent and Lent. Scored for piano or organ with optional C instrument, the motivic melodies are artfully crafted and easy to learn.

Full Music Edition: 978-0-8006-7483-0 | $22.00
Congregational Part: 978-0-8006-7484-7 | $1.75

Joyous Light
A contemporary setting of Evening Prayer, offered in thanksgiving as daylight gives way to the night. Ray Makeever gives new shape to the song and psalms of an order of worship that has long brought a holy rest to the people of God.

Leader and Musician Edition: 978-0-8006-5931-8 | $11.95
Pew Edition: 978-0-8006-5938-7 | $1.25

Behold Our Light
This collection by Aaron David Miller makes a wonderful programmatic piece for evening worship, and each piece works well on its own. Written for cantor and assembly, this work is a beautiful way to bring the congregation together.

Complete Score: 978-1-4514-6252-4 | $11.95
Assembly and Instrumental Parts: ITEM002481 | $15.00

Holden Evening Prayer 30th Anniversary Edition
Originally written for Holden Village, this anniversary edition adds three psalms for Advent and Lent. Includes piano score, guitar chords, and worship leader material.

Leader Guide: 978-1-5064-2754-6 | $6.25
Assembly Edition: 978-1-5064-2755-3 | $1.40

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ChildrenSing Creation
This engaging collection for singers 8-12 years old provides 11 anthems that highlight a variety of themes related to creation, from the delight of God’s creative activity to our role in honoring and caring for the earth. Composers include Helen Kemp, John Ferguson, and Mark Patterson.
978-1-5064-8663-5 | $32.95

This Night
This re-release of a classic F. Melius Christiansen Christmas anthem is based on the familiar tune used with “Oh, That I Had a Thousand Voices” and incorporates a part for children’s choir or soloists, with adult choir. A brief anthem, “This Night” would make a beautiful introit on Christmas Eve.
978-1-5064-7991-0 | $1.75

Have Mercy on Me
Clayton White composes a gentle and reverent gospel ballad reflecting on an adaptation of Psalm 51. The choir sings the psalm verses with a solo voice responding, “Have mercy, O God.” The choral writing is accessible, and a solo voice is integral to the anthem.
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There’s a Wideness in God’s Mercy
In this creative and expressive anthem, Brenda Portman incorporates poetry from the familiar hymn that sings of God’s mercy and love with words from Micah in which we’re asked to act justly, to love mercy, and to walk humbly with God.
978-1-5064-8658-1 | $2.25

Hymns of Joy and Grace, Volume 1
Characteristic of the series title, Sylvia Oines’s writing encompasses a graceful style and a joyful spirit as she creatively treats each tune with a variety of pianistic techniques.
978-1-5064-8729-8 | $18.00

F. Melius Christiansen Organ Anthology
In celebration of the 150th anniversary of F. Melius Christiansen’s birth, this anthology collects the best of his free works for organ along with transcriptions of his choral anthems. This edition features new engravings and updated registration suggestions and offers a chance to make available once again the best of Christiansen’s organ works in a single volume.
978-1-5064-7993-4 | $39.00

Four by Four, Volume 2
Anne Krentz Organ continues this popular series of music for piano and four ringers (handbells or chimes) with a second volume based on general hymn tunes. These settings are well crafted, elegant yet accessible, and easily learned with minimal rehearsal.
978-1-5064-8731-1 | $28.00

Augsburg Organ Library: Lent, Series II
Augsburg Organ Library: Lent, Series II contains 43 pieces for worship or recitals based on Lenten hymn tunes. The Augsburg Organ Library is a highly acclaimed multi-volume series that reflects the 20th-century renewal of the organ and its music.
978-1-5064-4810-7 | $45.00
**Music & Worship Sourcebooks**

**Music Sourcebook for Life Passages**
A collection of resources for the song of the assembly and its leaders for life events including baptism, marriage, and the proclamation of new life in funeral and memorial services. This sourcebook is related to the Worship Matters handbooks on marriage and funerals found on pages 42–43.
978-1-5064-4764-3 | $55.00

**Music Sourcebook: All Saints through Transfiguration**
This music sourcebook greatly expands the repertoire of resources for the song of the assembly and its leaders from All Saints through Transfiguration, including the Advent and Christmas seasons. Most materials are reproducible and are newly composed in a broad range of styles.
978-1-4514-2426-3 | $55.00

**Worship Guidebook for Lent and the Three Days**
This guidebook is a treasure trove of insights, images, and practical tips to help deepen your congregation’s worship life during the days from Ash Wednesday to Easter.
978-0-8066-7041-6 | $32.00

**Music Sourcebook for Lent and the Three Days**
An essential companion resource to the Worship Guidebook, this collection adds to the repertoire of resources for the song of the assembly and its leaders during the days from Ash Wednesday to Easter. Most materials are reproducible and newly composed in a broad range of styles. Spiral-bound, includes a CD-ROM with assembly and instrumental parts.
978-0-8066-7040-9 | $65.00

**Spanish-Language Worship Resources**

**Libro de Liturgia y Cántico, Pew Edition: A Worship Book for Spanish-Speaking Lutherans**
This book is a complete Spanish-language resource designed to fulfill the worship needs of Lutheran communities in the Americas. This service book contains a rich liturgical section with resources for Sunday, weekday, and occasional services such as for the Quinceañera.
978-0-8066-1128-0 | $24.50

**Libro de Liturgia y Cántico, Leaders Edition: A Worship Book for Spanish-Speaking Lutherans**
This large-format volume is perfect for use by worship leaders, musicians, persons with visual limitations, or for home use.
978-0-8066-4245-1 | $65.00

**Libro de Liturgia y Cántico: Himnos y Cánticos Audio CD: Grabación Educativa / Teaching Recording**
Accomplished musicians Guillermo Cuéllar and Silvestre Padrón have prepared clear and simple, basic yet engaging recordings for voice and guitar.
978-1-5064-0060-0 | $25.00

**Santa Comunión Edición para Asamblea / Holy Communion Assembly Edition**
Santa Comunión / Holy Communion is a bilingual version of the Evangelical Lutheran Worship service of holy communion, with Spanish and English in parallel presentation.
978-1-4514-7804-4 | $2.50

**Santa Comunión Edición para Líderes / Holy Communion Leaders Edition**
The leaders edition includes the texts of all the offering prayers, prefaces, thanksgivings at the table, and prayers after communion from the Evangelical Lutheran Worship Leaders Edition.
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**Using Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Volume 1: The Sunday Assembly**

Addresses the general principles that have guided the shaping of *Evangelical Lutheran Worship*, considering that central liturgy of Christian worship, holy communion. This text examines how worship interacts with environment, music, and the preached word, and features useful and practical suggestions for all those who lead the assembly in communion.

978-1-5064-2510-8 | $20.00

**Using Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Volume 2: The Christian Life**

This book focuses on the formative role of baptism, not only for the individual being baptized, but for the church. It also examines the related rites of affirmation, welcome to baptism, and confession, as well as other rites in which the baptismal center is clearly seen.

978-1-5064-2511-5 | $20.00

**Using Evangelical Lutheran Worship, Volume 3: Keeping Time**

This title in the *Using Evangelical Lutheran Worship* series explores why Christians have different ways of looking at time, at how the life of the church is ordered and organized by days, weeks, seasons, and years. It provides detailed information about Sundays, festivals, seasons, and commemorations as well as daily prayer.

978-1-5064-2512-2 | $20.00

**Hear My Voice: A Prison Prayer Book**

This prayer book for those who are incarcerated comes in response to the call from the ELCA social statement “The Church and Criminal Justice: Hearing the Cries.” *Hear My Voice: A Prison Prayer Book* is a beautiful print resource intended primarily for those in correctional facilities; it can also be used by chaplains and others with relationship to those who are incarcerated. Congregations are encouraged to purchase and distribute to those in their communities who are serving sentences in the criminal justice system.

Developed through a collaborative process with the ELCA and Augsburg Fortress, *Hear My Voice* draws upon the gifts of writers with diverse connections to the criminal justice system. This enduring and conveniently sized book is enhanced with color artwork by Robyn Sand Anderson and provides prayers for many times and circumstances. It invites those who are incarcerated to spend time in prayer, trusting in God’s never-failing love for them and the whole world.

978-1-5064-4960-9 | $9.50 – Quantity discount available

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Sundays and Seasons

Easy to use and rich in content, Sundays and Seasons resources enrich every aspect of worship preparation. Lay worship leaders and planners, preachers and presiders, worship team leaders, musicians and visual artists, educators, sacristans and altar guilds, and pastoral liturgists will find these to be the perfect resources to ease their work and prepare engaging worship.

Sundays and Seasons: Guide to Worship Planning, Year A 2023

*Sundays and Seasons* is the indispensable companion for worship planning as it follows the church year and the Revised Common Lectionary. Dated for Advent 2022 through Christ the King Sunday 2023. Features cover and interior art by Lutheran pastor and artist Mary Button.

978-1-5064-8093-0 | $42.00 – Quantity discount available

Sundays and Seasons: Preaching, Year A 2023

This resource provides new commentary and ideas for proclamation, contributed by practicing preachers as well as scholars, together with succinct notes on each day and its readings.

978-1-5064-8097-8 | $32.00 – Quantity discount available

Words for Worship, Year A 2023

*Words for Worship* makes worship folder preparation easy by including week-to-week elements from *Lectionary for Worship, Year A; Sundays and Seasons, Year A 2023; Psalter for Worship, Year A; Evangelical Lutheran Worship;* and *Revised Common Lectionary Daily Readings*. All included on a single CD-ROM. A copyright license granting limited reproduction rights for the 2022-2023 liturgical year is included with the purchase of this product.

978-1-5064-8100-5 | $219.00

Church Year Calendar Year A 2023

A full-color, two-sided, letter-size worship planning and devotional resource giving specific dates, Bible readings, hymn of the day, and liturgical color for Sundays and festivals. Available in print and as a digital download.

Print: 978-1-5064-8095-4 | $2.25 – Quantity discount available

Digital: 978-1-5064-8096-1 | $11.95

2023 Calendar of Word and Season

This beautiful full-color wall calendar identifies church festivals as well as the US and Canadian holidays and includes a list of all the Bible readings for the year from the Revised Common Lectionary for Sundays and church festivals. Date blocks provide plenty of room for family or church date-keeping, identifying the seasonal or festival color. 8¾” x 10¾”. Spiral-bound and punched for hanging. Features artwork by Vonda Drees.

978-1-5064-8098-5 | $12.00 – Quantity discount available

Worship Planning Calendar Year A 2023

*Worship Planning Calendar* serves as a planning guide, appointment calendar, and guide to daily prayer. This spiral-bound edition is intended as a tool to accompany *Sundays and Seasons, Year A 2023*. 5” x 8” size.

978-1-5064-8094-7 | $19.00 – Quantity discount available

Bread for the Day 2023

*Bread for the Day* is a daily-use resource that is perfect for personal, household, or group devotions. Following the daily lectionary and other resources, *Bread for the Day* also includes:

- Brief introductions to the season and notes on festivals and commemorations
- Simplified forms for morning and evening prayer
- Waking prayers and bedtime prayers, including prayers with children

SundaysAndSeasons.com has served as a rich and reliable resource for worship planning since 2005. An expansive library of content and ideas is available at one convenient location and always accessible online. SundaysAndSeasons.com provides you with electronic liturgical resources to aid you in creating worship support materials like a printed worship folder or a set of projection slides. 

Visit sundaysandseasons.com to start a free 14-day trial!

Prelude Music Planner is an online tool that makes planning music for worship easy and efficient, leaving more time to do what you do best: making music. 

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Families Celebrate Advent & Christmas

Illustrated by Nathalie Beauvois

*Families Celebrate Advent & Christmas* is a colorful deck of cards full of rituals, prayers, and reflections. The cards are endlessly flexible for busy schedules. Use them to create an after-meal ritual, carry them on the go, or use them as decorations. Explore the entire season from Advent through Christmas to Epiphany. These make a great gift for families in your congregation!

Download the free promotional pack to support the use of *Families Celebrate Advent & Christmas* in your congregation. This pack includes coloring sheets, postcards, customizable labels for card decks, and more. A PDF with ideas for incorporating *Families Celebrate Advent & Christmas* cards into worship is also included.

978-1-5064-8349-8

1–5 | $9.99  
6–10 | $7.99  
11–25 | $5.99  
26+ | $4.99

Worship Education Booklets

**Kids Celebrate Booklets**

Encourage the kids in your congregation to explore the hymns and songs of *All Creation Sings* with the new Kids Celebrate booklets. Designed to be used as activity books during and after worship, these resources encourage kids to explore the worship book and record their learnings in this booklet.

Topics include Worship, Hymns and Songs, the Trinity, and Creation.

A Time to Say Goodbye

*A Time to Say Goodbye* is a resource to help kids understand what happens at a Lutheran funeral and explore the emotions they may experience during the service and when a loved one dies. This resource includes content that engages kids in the service by explaining the service and what they might see in the church building, and gives examples of how to remember the loved one who has passed. Using the funeral service in *Evangelical Lutheran Worship* as a guide, this resource will guide discussion and learning during difficult times.

978-1-5064-9004-5 | $5.99 – Quantity discount available
Prophets and Promises: Devotions for Advent and Christmas 2022–2023

In ancient times prophets announced God’s promises of a deliverer to the Hebrew people. As you read this devotional, look for these ancient promises, even in the Gospel of Matthew. Also watch for the different ways in which Joseph, the magi, and King Herod respond to the arrival of Jesus. Marvel at the power of God’s promises, and the mystery of God with us in a newborn child.

Prophets and Promises continues the Christian tradition of setting aside time to prepare for the celebration of Jesus’ birth and to anticipate his return. The Advent season of preparation then unfolds in the joy of the 12 days of Christmas and the day of Epiphany. You will find daily devotions here for the first Sunday of Advent (November 27, 2022) through Epiphany (January 6, 2023). Each devotion features a scripture reading (many from Matthew), accompanied by a photo, a quote to ponder, a reflection, and a prayer. The book also offers household blessings and prayers (see pages 86–94) to enrich your preparations and celebrations.

Also available in large print or as an eBook.

978-1-5064-8802-8

Water and Spirit: Devotions for Lent 2023

Water and Spirit provides daily devotions for each day from Ash Wednesday to the Resurrection of Our Lord/Vigil of Easter (traditionally known as Holy Saturday). Devotions begin with an evocative image and a brief passage from the Gospel of John. The writers then bring their unique voices and pastoral wisdom to the texts with quotations to ponder, reflections, and prayers.

For year A the Revised Common Lectionary assigns texts from John’s gospel to the second through fifth Sundays in Lent, as well as Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, and the Vigil of Easter. These texts are included in this devotional. Several of them are unique to John: Jesus urges Nicodemus to be born again “of water and spirit,” offers “living water” to a Samaritan woman at the well, raises Lazarus from the dead, washes the disciples’ feet, and surprises Mary Magdalene at the empty tomb. As you read the daily devotions, pause to think about how John describes water and the Spirit, and how water and the Spirit are at work in your life.

Also available in large print or as an eBook.

978-1-5064-8803-5
Sparkhouse Digital

Sparkhouse Digital includes unlimited access to leader resources, videos, music, reproducibles, and exclusive extras for curriculum for early childhood, children, and youth. A subscription includes administrative access for directors to use the built-in planning tools to choose and assign curriculum, as well as full access for leaders to download and stream unlimited resources. Student resources and Bibles must be purchased separately.

For more information, visit SparkhouseDigital.org

Early Childhood
A subscription to Sparkhouse Digital Early Childhood includes nursery, family, and preschool resources for birth to age 5.

Curriculum included:
• Frolic Nursery
• Frolic Family
• Frolic Preschool
• Whirl (PreK)

Children
A subscription to Sparkhouse Digital Children includes Sunday school and summer resources for children through grade 6.

Curriculum included:
• Spark: Activate Faith
• Whirl
• Holy Moly
• Connect
• Sparkhouse in the Summer

Youth
A subscription to Sparkhouse Digital Youth includes confirmation and youth ministry resources for middle and high school.

Curriculum included:
• Collaborate
• Connect
• Echo the Story
• Here We Stand
• Re:form
• Wholeness & Holiness

Newly published resources and exclusive extras are added regularly to each age level in Sparkhouse Digital. Popular Sparkhouse Digital exclusive extras include seasonal Digital Activity Kits for each age level, At the Movies discussion guides, children’s messages, posters, Advent and Lent extras, and more.
Operation Restoration

Operation Restoration VBS Director Guide: Mending God’s World

The Director Guide for Operation Restoration: Mending God’s World includes almost 200 pages of resources for directors to plan and carry out a safe, exciting VBS program. Director Guide includes

- Planning tools, sample schedules, and volunteer training
- Five Theological Backgrounds to help volunteers prepare their hearts and minds for each day of VBS
- Five Small Group sessions that help small group leaders guide their groups each day using the Interactive Book for Kids
- Five Large Group Openings that include storytelling scripts, skits, song suggestions, and more
- Five days of preschool lessons for a self-contained early childhood environment
- Snack Guide with five days of easy-prep ideas
- Your purchase of the Director Guide will include access to a digital download with essential content including editable schedules, jumbo coloring poster downloads, decorating helps, script PDFs, and much more

978-1-5064-8720-5 | $60.00

Operation Restoration VBS Interactive Book for Kids

This interactive booklet is a great way for kids to be introduced to the content for each day of VBS in their small groups. Each day they have activities to do, scripture to read together, and classic Erlander artwork to enjoy and color. This is a great keepsake for kids to take home, show their families what they have learned, and remember the week.

978-1-5064-8727-4 | $3.00

Operation Restoration VBS Starter Kit

Everything you will need for Operation Restoration VBS. One Director Guide, one copy of all five Activity Guides, and 10 copies of the Interactive Book for Kids.

ITEM011287 | $140.00

Operation Restoration Center Guide

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