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### Welcome

### THE BRAND NEW 2017-18 WOOD LAKE PUBLISHING CURRICULA CATALOGUE

All of us at Wood Lake are pleased to offer our current and new customers the best selling and most loved curricula products on the market.

*Seasons of the Spirit* and *Whole People of God* offer numerous product options to meet the needs of any congregation, from very small to very large, and all sizes in-between.

Ordering on or before May 1st will guarantee receiving our best possible prices.

**SEASONS OF THE SPIRIT** offers congregations SeasonsFUSION for congregational life as well as SeasonsENCORE age-level resources from 3-5 right through to adult. And of course, we also have our *Seasons Growing Faith* for those under three. **WHOLE PEOPLE OF GOD** continues to be the much-loved resource for smaller congregations, after-school groups and home teaching. It is offered with printed Teaching Pictures or with a no-shipping option.

### We invite you to share this catalogue

with your Christian Education leaders, clergy, congregation members, church council and board members, or anyone who may want to know more about the resources we offer.

Wood Lake Publishing is committed to continuing our over 30-year history of bringing readers and faith formation practitioners unique and accessible resources that delight, nurture, inspire, and challenge.

#### **BLESSINGS FROM ALL OF US AT WOOD LAKE PUBLISHING:**

PATTY, DEBBIE, BARB, SAMANTHA, ERIN, SHARON, SUSAN, MIKE, DONALD, MARGARET, JULIE, ALAN, ROBERT, AND BRENDA

**I have enjoyed using Seasons of the Spirit for several years.** I usually read through the materials for several weeks, or a season together with Gathering (United Church of Canada). Then I have some ideas by the time I get to each individual Sunday. Both my congregations follow the lectionary most of the time, so being prepared is helpful. I like the format – with a page to make notes on first read-through, followed by the notes about each scripture reading. I use the questions from Reflecting on the Word to help me dive more deeply into the scriptures. I often use one or more of the prayers provided, and also appreciate the various suggestions for presenting the scripture reading. I also appreciate the extra readings/articles that pertain to the focus scripture. Although my churches use a traditional style of worship I read through the Living, Learning, Growing ideas to supplement my own sermon preparation, and occasionally find an option to include in worship. Thank you for this great worship leader resource.

– Mary Faith Blackburn, Recognized Designated Lay Minister, Clairmont United Church

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### Seasons of the Spirit



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# ORDERING

### WHAT TO ORDER

Order and pre-pay on or before

May 1, 2017 and Save 15%

**1.** Decide which seasons/quarters you need. You get the best price by buying bundled quarters - all 4 (Sep-Aug) or the first 3 (Sep-Jun).

**2.** Decide whether you require Worship Leader resources (FUSION) and/or age-level resources (ENCORE).

**3.** Decide which delivery option best fits your needs: WEB, DISK, or PRINT. You can combine delivery options.

**NOTE** - *Web delivery* orders must be placed online and paid by credit card.

### **WHERE TO ORDER**

**1.** 1-866-505-7687 Talk to one of our friendly Customer Service staff between 8-noon PT Monday-Friday

**2.** Fill out the order form and mail it in for print and disk orders only.

**3.** Visit **www.seasonsonline.ca**.

### **RECEIVING YOUR ORDER**

Seasons of the Spirit orders, including pre-May 1st orders, will be shipped in July 2017 with the exception of the Pentacost 1 PRINT and DISK resources, for both ENCORE and FUSION, and the Lent/Easter PRINT and DISK resources for FUSION, which will be shipped in January 2018 or earlier.

If you ordered *Seasons* WEB resources, any additional Related Resources you may have ordered will be shipped July 2017.

*Seasons* on the WEB resources will start to be available on the site beginning March 2017.

If you have ordered any products that requires shipping, open your package immediately after receiving to verify the contents. Contact Wood Lake Publishing with any concerns.

Wood Lake Publishing reserves the right to alter schedules.Check our website www.seasonsonline.ca or sign up for a Tip of the Week email to stay informed!

### The Season of Creation

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When you buy Seasons of the Spirit resources you receive 52 weeks of material based on the Revised Common Lectionary (RCL).

### Seasons of the Spirit celebrates the Season of Creation during the first four weeks of September

(Sep 3–Sep 24). Resources for the Season of Creation are based on scripture texts from the three-year Season of Creation cycle of readings.

#### **The Season of Creation**

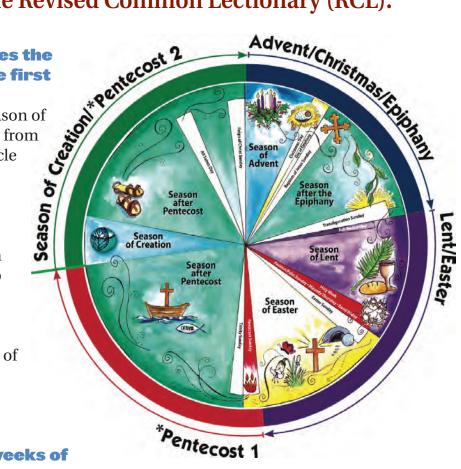
The readings for the Season of Creation invite congregations to join with all members of Earth's community to "celebrate Earth as a sacred planet filled with God's vibrant presence" (from Season of Creation charter). In 2017, the four Sundays in the Season of Creation focus on the Forest, Land, Wilderness/Outback, and River.

### Revised Common Lectionary resources for the first four weeks of September

*Seasons of the Spirit* also provides RCL resources for the first four weeks in September. These resources follow the SeasonsFUSION format, and weekly session flow. Suggestions are provided to help SeasonsENCORE users adapt the materials to the needs of their particular group(s).

### These alternative RCL resources for September are available online only

and can be accessed by any *Seasons* Leader using PRINT, DISK, or WEB delivery. Instructions for how to access the online RCL materials are included in the Season of Creation PRINT resources, and are automatically included with the DISK and WEB resources.



### THE SEASONS OF THE CHURCH YEAR 2017-2018: LECTIONARY YEAR a/B

#### YEAR a

Season of Creation/\*Pentecost 2 Sep 3/2017 - Nov 26/2017

### YEAR B

Advent/Christmas/Epiphany Dec 3/2017 - Feb 11/2018 Lent/Easter Feb 18/2018 - May 20/2018 \*Pentecost 1 May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018

\* The Season after Pentecost is divided into two sections: Pentecost 1 and Pentecost 2.

### Seasons FUSION



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Seasons of the Spirit has become not only a weekly liturgical resource but a personal one. It provides me with my first venture into communal worship and it also centres me for personal goals moving forward.

Rev. Mary-Margaret Boone,
Janetville Pastoral Charge,
United Church of Canada

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### Worship and Christian Education Resources

### Intentionally Intergenerational

### SeasonsFUSION = The Perfect All-In-One Resource

SeasonsFUSION is based on the semi-continuous stream of the Revised Common Lectionary and combines worship materials with Christian education materials that can be used with the entire congregation. Everything needed to integrate the worship, learning, and serving ministries of your congregation is provided.

### SeasonsFUSION = Cutting Edge and Unique

SeasonsFUSION is developed in partnership with congregations located around the world, which means it is international, ecu-

menical and grassroots all at the same time.

### SeasonsFUSION = Flexibility

SeasonsFUSION is designed for

- Clergy who want worship resources
- Congregations with lay worship/preaching teams who want extra worship resources
- Large congregations that use ENCORE for their age-level classes and want additional resources for intergenerational Christian education or to use with other mixed-age groups
- Smaller congregations that no longer have or want age-level classes
- Congregations that want to provide at-home resources for their families.

### As low as <sup>\$</sup>4.<sup>56</sup> per week for all 4 quarters<sup>\*</sup>

\*cost is based on the 12-month web version ordered on or before May 1st



### for Congregational Life

### What's Included

### WEEKLY

- A Planning page
- A Biblical Background page
- A Reflection and Focus page
- A three-page Worship Outline
- A Poetry and Prose page, containing articles, poems, and stories
- A Bible Story page
- Stations (activity centres) pages
- Children's Activity Leaflet

### **QUARTERLY**

- Articles including About this Season, Connecting with the Art; Communion Prayers for the season; and articles that support the theme of the season(s)
- Living the Seasons connects congregation members to what is happening in church. Contains suggestions for how to use SeasonsFUSION within and beyond the group that gathers for worship, including individuals and families at home
- Gatherings for All Ages outlines for all-ages worship events that include a meal and that are appropriate for people with no church background. Perfect for community outreach.
- Special Worship Outlines including a Christmas pageant, Christmas Day, Blue Christmas, Ash Wednesday, Maundy Thursday, Good Friday, Thanksgiving
- Two art posters
- FUSION resources in Word, poster images for projection, the Bible Stories in MP3, and more
- Music resources integrated into FUSION materials
- Downloadable bulletin covers for church use

### **FREE** on the website

- Planning
- Library, including the From Start to Finish booklet, replacement resources for All Saints Day and Reformation Day, Virtual Resource Booklet with crafts, patterns, recipes, etc., and more
- Links
- Spirit Sightings
- Support
- Sign up for "Tip of the Week"

Explore resources and view samples online at **www.seasonsonline.ca** 

### **ON THE WEB** with digital posters

<b>SeasonsFUSION</b>	on/before May 1	after May 1
Sep 3/2017 - Aug 26/2018		
All 4 Quarters	\$237.16	\$279.00
Sep 3/2017 - Nov 26/2017		
Season of Creation/	\$95.00	\$95.00
Pentecost 2 (1st Quarter)		
Dec 3/2017 - Feb 11/2018		
Advent/Christmas/	\$95.00	\$95.00
Epiphany (2nd Quarter)		
Feb 18/2018 - May 20/2018		
Lent/Easter (3rd Quarter)	\$95.00	\$95.00
May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018		
Pentecost 1 (4th Quarter)	\$95.00	\$95.00

### **IN PRINT** with printed posters

<b>SeasonsFUSION</b>	on/before May 1	after May 1
Sep 3/2017 - Aug 26/2018		
All 4 Quarters	\$279.65	\$329.00
Sep 3/2017 - Nov 26/2017		
Season of Creation/	\$119.00	\$119.00
Pentecost 2 (1st Quarter)		
Dec 3/2017 - Feb 11/2018		
Advent/Christmas/	\$119.00	\$119.00
Epiphany (2nd Quarter)		
Feb 18/2018 - May 20/2018		
Lent/Easter (3rd Quarter)	\$119.00	\$119.00
May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018		
Pentecost 1 (4th Quarter)	\$119.00	\$119.00

### **ON DISK** with digital posters

<b>SeasonsFUSION</b>	on/before May 1	after May 1
Sep 3/2017 - Aug 26/2018		
All 4 Quarters	\$252.46	\$297.00

*Seasons* resources are licensed for use between the dates indicated, with permission to share with an additional three leaders in your congregation

### Seasons ENCORE



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Our church uses the multiage curriculum. It is such a comprehensive and obviously prayerfully presented teaching venue. The background page gives food for meditation that enriches the *experience for our* children. We have used this model for many years and it is always fresh and current for today's WOrship. – Vicki Westerberg, Sunday School Teacher, United Methodist Church, Randle WA

Useable, thought provoking, informative, relevant, well laid out and easy to use. – Ilene Dowd, Minister, First United Church, Dauphin, MB



### **Faith Formation Resources**

SeasonsENCORE resources are designed to meet the needs of a leader working with a group of approximately 12 learners (15 learners for Multiage).

SeasonsENCORE offers the tried and much-loved Age-Level resources congregations around the world have come to appreciate so much!



**SeasonsENCORE** follows the semi-continuous stream of the Revised Common Lectionary, and the Season of Creation cycle of readings, and can easily be used in conjunction with **SeasonsFUSION.** 

### What's Included

### WEEKLY

- A Biblical Background page
- A Focus & Prepare page
- A two-page Session Outline (three pages in Multiage)
- Two pages of reproducible Resources (three pages in Multiage )

### **QUARTERLY**

- Articles including About This Season, This Season for the particular Age-Level, and Connecting with the Art
- Six extra Resource pages (eight pages in the Multiage resource)
- Two-page Evaluation Form
- Two art posters

### **FREE** on the website

- Planning
- Library, including the From Start to Finish booklet, replacement resources for All Saints Day and Reformation Day, Virtual Resource Booklet with crafts, patterns, recipes, etc., and more
- Links
- Spirit Sightings
- Support
- Sign up for "Tip of the Week"

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#### ADULT

Adults enter Bible study from a variety of backgrounds and beliefs. Sessions invite adults to deepen their spirituality and explore their faith through activities and articles that encourage a rich engagement with all four of the weekly lectionary readings. Art images, contemporary writings, and consideration of current issues offer meaningful ways to link faith and life.

The SeasonsENCORE Adult is a great resource for your next study group!

#### **AGES 15-18**

This resource promotes the development of leadership skills and encourages young people to serve in the local and global ministries of the church. A "Digging Deeper" section offers groups that enjoy discussion a chance to explore some themes in greater depth. Leaders will find the Ages 15-18 resource perfect for midweek gatherings, retreats, worship leadership, and outdoor ministry programs.

### **AGES 12-14**

Young teens enjoy self-directed learning. Friendships are important to them and they are beginning to explore a variety of viewpoints within their community and the world. The weekly resources provide opportunities to actively explore the Bible and encourage the development of communication skills. Varied activities meet the needs of different learning styles, and service projects introduce ways to connect with the church and the community.

#### **AGES 9-11**

These children enjoy making new friends and typically have the confidence to work in groups. The weekly resources encourage them to use their imaginations and life experiences as they develop biblical knowledge, ask questions, and explore the faith traditions of others. Group projects introduce them to issues of justice and fairness.

### **AGES 6-8**

Weekly resources begin to address the more abstract thinking skills of children in the early grades of school. Leaders will find easy-to-use dramas, stories, and activities that connect with real life and the eager minds of this enthusiastic group. Spiritual development is nurtured through ritual and encouraging relationships with peers and adults.

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The SeasonsENCORE Ages 6-8 Poster Set includes special Story Props posters exclusive to this age group for each quarter.

#### **AGES 3-5**

Children in this age range learn through hands-on activities and enjoy routines and rituals. Their developing motor skills are encouraged in the sessions with songs, fingerplays, group activities, and simple craft projects. The weekly material uses interactive storytelling, puppets, drama, and art images to explore Bible stories.

For each season, the Ages 3-5 Poster Set also includes special Storytelling Resource posters exclusive to this age group. And, we provide a free online Age 3 Supplement, for those leaders with a group of mostly 3-year-olds!

#### MULTIAGE

The SeasonsENCORE Multiage resource is uniquely designed to meet the needs of a leader with a single group of up to 15 children between the ages of 5 and 12. The Multiage resource offers different age-appropriate options for engaging with the biblical stories and provides additional reproducible resource sheets. The Respond section includes "activity zones" that address different ages, interests, learning styles, and abilities. For example, children can choose between an Art zone, Music zone, Outreach zone, or Quiet zone.

This group will also experience storytelling scripts, selfdirected learning, and relationships with children of different ages as they create community, sharing time and space each week.

### **DOWNLOADABLE RESOURCES**

#### **Seasons By the Week**

*Seasons of the Spirit* now offers SeasonsENCORE age-level materials by the week. These weekly resources can be conveniently downloaded in a PDF format. These weekly resources are reusable. There are no copyright restrictions. **\$9.95 per week** 

#### Pageants, Dramas, & Worship Outlines

Pageants and Dramas range from minimal preparation (1 scene, few props, smaller cast) to more elaborate productions (3-5 scenes, more props, larger cast), as well as from

traditional to modern retellings. Special worship outlines for Advent, Holy Week, Good Friday and Easter are also available. **\$19.95 per session** 

#### **Season of Creation**

*Seasons of the Spirit* offers the Season of Creation as a downloadable, stand-alone, four-week resource. This resource contains all of the background information, ideas, and suggestions needed to celebrate the Season of Creation in congregations. Season of Creation is available in Years 1, 2 and 3. **\$50.00 per year** 

### Seasons ENCORE

# PRICING

### AGES: ADULT / 15-18 / 12-14 / 9-11 / 6-8 / 3-5

MULTIAGE

Price per age group \*excluding Multiage (see right column)

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AGE LEVELS on, Sep 3/2017 - Aug 26/2018	before May 1	after May 1	MULTIAGE	on/before May 1	after May 1
All 4 Quarters Sep 3/2017 - Nov 26/2017	\$159.80	\$188.00		\$294.95	\$347.00
Season of Creation/Pentecost 2 (1st Qua Dec 3/2017 - Feb 11/2018	arter) \$72.00	\$72.00		\$132.00	\$132.00
Advent/Christmas/Epiphany (2nd Quarte Feb 18/2018 - May 20/2018	er) \$72.00	\$72.00		\$132.00	\$132.00
Lent/Easter (3rd Quarter) May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018	\$72.00	\$72.00		\$132.00	\$132.00
Pentecost 1 (4th Quarter)	\$72.00	\$72.00		\$132.00	\$132.00

### **IN PRINT** with printed posters

AGE LEVELS on/before Sep 3/2017 - May 20/2018	ore May 1	after may 1	MULTIAGE	on/before May 1	after May 1
3 Quarters	\$182.75	\$215.00		\$339.15	\$399.00
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Sep 3/2017 - Nov 26/2017					
Season of Creation/Pentecost 2 (1st Quarter)	\$77.50	\$77.50		\$139.00	\$139.00
Dec 3/2017 - Feb 11/2018					
Advent/Christmas/Epiphany (2nd Quarter)	\$77.50	\$77.50		\$139.00	\$139.00
Feb 18/2018 - May 20/2018	·				·
Lent/Easter (3rd Quarter)	\$77.50	\$77.50		\$139.00	\$139.00
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May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018					
Pentecost 1 (4th Quarter)	\$65.88	\$77.50		\$118.15	\$139.00

### **ON DISK** with digital posters

AGE LEVELS Sep 3/2017 - May 20/2018	on/before May 1	after May 1
3 Quarters	\$174.25	\$205.00
<b>May 27/2018 - Aug 26/2018</b> Pentecost 1 (4th Quarter)	\$63.75	\$75.00

### **ON DISK** with digital posters

MULTIAGE	on/before May 1	after May 1	
	\$303.45	\$357.00	
	\$116.03	\$136.50	

### **SEASONS ENCORE AGE LEVELS**

AS LOW AS \$3.07 PER WEEK\*

### SEASONS ENCORE MULTIAGE

### AS LOW AS \$5.67 PER WEEK\*

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### To order: www.seasonsonline.ca

### Seasons GROWING FAITH

### This kit, which arrives in a handy cloth bag, provides a perfect foundation for setting up a space to nurture the development of faith and the spiritual language of children at an early age.

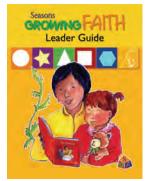


Written to be used year after year, the undated pages of the extensive Leader Guide follow the lectionary seasons and offer over 60 pages of Session Outlines for Advent, Christ-

mas, Season after the Epiphany, Lent, Easter, Pentecost, and the Season after Pentecost.

### **LEADER GUIDE**

26 pages of articles, directions, lists, and suggestions, including creating a space, training caregivers, storytelling and music tips, parent brochures, application and registration forms. 62 pages containing 18 session outlines for every



season of the church year. 18 resource pages containing fingerplays, songs, recipes, props, patterns, and more.

128 pp, 8.5" x 11", perfect bound. \$28.95

### MUSIC CD/ SONGBOOK SET

This set includes 22 easy-to-sing, repetitive and enchanting songs by Jim and Jean Strathdee, Linnea Good, Mary Lu Walker, and

others. The words, melody



line, and guitar chords along with teaching tips and illustrated actions complete the coil bound book. The collection includes *Nobody Else Like Me, A Little Peace Song, Would You Like to Hold the Baby,* and *Like a Rock!* 

1 CD, 32 pp, 8.5" x 5.5", coil bound. \$28.95

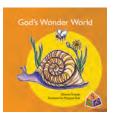
### **BOARD BOOKS**

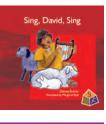
A set of five board books: with safe, rounded corners, simple words and brightly painted illustrations by Margaret Kyle. The set includes *Welcome*, *Baby Jesus; Come Little Children; God's Wonder World; Sing, David, Sing;* and *Loving God Together.* Set of 5, 8 pp, 6" x 6", round corners. \$35.00

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### POSTERS

The set of five posters with the same names as the books – Welcome, Baby Jesus; Come Little Children; God's Wonder World; Sing, David, Sing; and Loving God Together. Shipped rolled in a tube. Set of 5,16.5" x 21.5", rolled. \$35.00









### Complete Kit \$197<sup>95</sup>

### **INCLUDES:**

One each: Leader Guide, Music CD & Songbook Set, Set of 5 Posters, Set of 5 Board Books, plus a handy cloth bag.

All Seasons of the Spirit resources meet or exceed the safety standards set by the U.S. Consumer Product Safety Commission for children's products.



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Seasons MUSIC

Our church has enjoyed using the Seasons of the Spirit, as it is simple to follow, and use. We sometimes do not have any students, but with the downloadable info we don't have books that have been unused. The different choices of activities is also a good thing. – Pastor Esther Russell-Hughes, First Presbyterian Church, Mercedes, TX

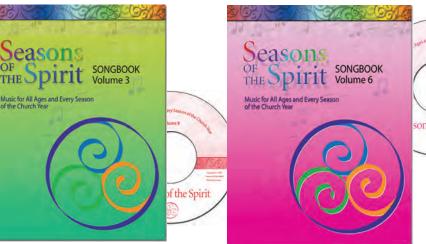
### **MUSIC CDS AND SONGBOOKS**

During Sep 3/2017 to Nov 26/2017 music suggestions will include songs from Volumes 3, 6, and 9 (Lectionary Year A). During Dec 3/2017 to Aug 26/2018 music suggestions will include songs from Volumes 1, 4, and 7 (Lectionary Year B).

### MP3 & PDF DOWNLOADS

**Songs** from *Seasons Growing Faith* and the *Seasons of the Spirit* Music CDs, Volumes 1-9, are available as **MP3 downloads** at **www.seasonsonline.ca** or **www.woodlake.com**. Download individual songs for \$1.29 or an entire CD for \$19.95.

**Sheet music** from *Seasons Growing Faith* and the *Seasons of the Spirit* Songbooks, Volumes 1-9, are available as **PDF downloads** at **www.seasonsonline.ca** or **www.woodlake.com**. Download sheet music of individual songs for \$5.00.



We've found it good year after year for people (adults) with limited or pretty vast experience with Bible Study, and like the way it encourages all to take a thinking part. – Harriet Schirmer, Elder, First Presbyterian Church, Wrangell, AK



### SEASONS MUSIC PRICE

(per volume)

CD/Songbook Set	\$31.95 each
CD Only	\$21.95 each
Songbook Only	\$14.95 each

Music Suggestions for: Year A will be from Volumes 3,6,9 Year B will be from Volumes 1,4,7

A song chart for 2017-18 is provided on the Seasons Music Information section on the Library page at www.seasonsonline.ca.

### Seasons ART

# Exploration of the arts ignites and nourishes the imagination, helping us to come alive in ways that are transforming.

The *Seasons of the Spirit* visual art resources provide a pool of images for all ages to draw upon as they explore the meaning and mystery of the Bible. Poster images are carefully selected from a wide variety of cultures, eras, and styles, to reflect the moods and focus themes of each season.

The worship and learning materials invite participants to engage with these images in creative and inspiring ways. Ages 3-5 and Ages 6-8 resources also include Storytelling or Story Props posters.

#### **ART POSTERS**

Seasons Art Posters will be provided in a printed 11" x 17" format for customers who choose PRINT delivery for their Seasons products, as electronic files included on the disk(s) for those who choose DISK delivery, and as downloadable digital files for customers who order WEB delivery.

Print copies of the Fine Art posters (including the Storytelling and Story Props posters for Ages 3-5 and 6-8, respectively) are available as an optional, additional purchase in 4-quarter and 3-quarter sets for DISK and WEB delivery customers who wish to have print copies of the posters, and for PRINT customers who desire additional sets.

ART POSTER SET (8+ POSTERS) all 4 quarters (Sep 3/2017 - Aug 26/2018) \$35.00 ART POSTER SET (6+ POSTERS) 3 quarters (Sep 3/2017 - May 20/2018) \$30.00

#### TEACHING POSTER SETS

Teaching Poster Set of 2 (a. + b.) 45.00Teaching Poster Set of 3 (c. + d. + e.) 60.00Teaching Poster Set of 2 (f. + g.) 45.00

### LAMINATED TEACHING POSTERS

These large 16.5" x 21.5" posters are laminated to allow the use of erasable markers to enhance the teaching of various biblical subjects. Durable and useful year after year, all of these posters are available in cost-saving sets and are shipped rolled inside tubes.



a. The Mediterranean World of the First Century The perfect map to help children follow Paul's journeys as he visited young churches and taught in this part of the world. \$30.00

**b. Books of the Bible** This whimsically

detailed poster helps children, youth, and adults identify the types of writing in the Bible – including Law, Narrative, Letters, the Gospels, Wisdom and Poetry, and Apocrypha. A lot of information in an easy-to-read "bookshelf"! \$30.00



#### c. The Seasons of the Church Year

An updated version of this favourite poster now includes one side with the Season of Creation and one without. A colorful teaching aid to help leaders and learners alike, understand and remember the flow of the church year, mirroring the rhythm of Christ's life. **\$30.00** 



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- Overview Chart
- Attendance Chart
- Introduction
- Unit Logo
- At Home Leaflet
- Teacher Training
- Teaching Pictures Either one set of colour teaching pictures for one younger class (N, B, P) and one older class (J, Y) are included as part of your order OR now you can choose to download the Teaching Pictures and print them yourself (formatted for 8.5" x 11" printing – colour recommended)
- Lectionary Bookmarks
- Intergenerational Worship ideas for special Sundays
- Weekly resources
  - (N) Nursery age 3
  - (B) Beginner age 4 to 6
  - (P) Primary age 7 to 9
  - (J) Junior age 9 to 11
  - (Y) Youth age 12 and up

### **SUMMER SESSION INCLUDES**

- Overview Chart
- Introduction
- Unit Logo
- Intergenerational Worship ideas for special Sundays
- Weekly resources for a Multiage class

### WEEKLY RESOURCES INCLUDE

- Biblical Background and Theme Conversation
- Additional Worship Resources
- Lesson Plans with hymn suggestions, prayers, songs, liturgies, many experiential activity ideas, reproducible activity/resource sheets, teacher resource sheets, and colour teaching posters.

### LESSON PLANS FOLLOW THE PATTERN OF:

- 1. Purpose
- 2. Preparation
- 3. Opening
- 4. Introducing the Theme
- 5. Exploring the Theme
- 6. Integrating the Theme
- 7. Closing



Whole People of God has revitalised several churches in the UK in their Sunday ministry among children. I love the fact that there is good biblical and theological background each week, thus deepening the knowledge and understanding of adult leaders. – Revd Mary Hawes, St Mary with St Alban, Teddington, UK

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**2.** Decide if you want a printed set of teaching pictures or prefer to download and print what you need (Save 5% + shipping charges)

**3.** Decide if you need any Related Resources. See pages 18-19. (WPOG references music from the Rainbow Songbook, Rainbow Sing-along CD, Sunshine Songbook and Sunshine *Sing-along CD*, see page 17)

### WHERE TO ORDER

**1.** Go to *Whole People of God* website www.wholepeopleofgod.com.

> **2.** Click the Order tab at the top of the page and then select the appropriate license for the average weekly attendance size of your congregation.

**NOTE** - *Whole People of God* is a web resource. All orders must be placed online and paid by credit card.

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142.00	149.00	135.00	141.00
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639.00	670.00	607.00	637.00
780.00	819.00	742.00	779.00
922.00	968.00	877.00	920.00
1,065.00	1,119.00	1,011.00	1,061.00
1,416.00	1,485.00	1,348.00	1,415.00
333.00	349.00	316.00	332.00
108.00	113.00	103.00	108.00
63.00	66.00	63.00	66.00
	Early 142.00 213.00 283.00 354.00 496.00 639.00 780.00 922.00 1,065.00 1,416.00 333.00 108.00	142.00149.00213.00223.00283.00297.00354.00371.00496.00520.00639.00670.00780.00819.00922.00968.001,065.001,119.001,416.001,485.00333.00349.00108.00113.00	EarlyAfter May 1Early142.00149.00135.00213.00223.00202.00283.00297.00270.00354.00371.00337.00496.00520.00472.00639.00670.00607.00780.00819.00742.00922.00968.00877.001,065.001,119.001,011.001,416.001,485.001,348.00333.00349.00316.00108.00113.00103.00





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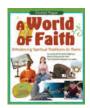


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