



Further Web and Book Resources



Website resources are now probably the most easily accessible forms of resource, including:

- **Giving in Grace** – www.givinginGrace.org – around 1,000 pages of material to support parish programmes promoting Christian Giving. This includes theological understanding of stewardship sermons, and very practical help with organising a parish programme and items such as Gift Aid.
- **Parish Resources** – www.parishresources.org.uk – has sample sermons, a ‘rural churches stewardship toolkit’ covering aspects of work which should be within the grasp even of smaller churches. In addition there are sections providing advice on Gift Aid procedures and best practice, and on support for churches treasurers and for Parish Giving Officers / Representatives.
- **Church Legacies** – www.churchlegacy.org.uk – the website is supported by a helpline, and provides guidance on establishing a PCC policy, seen as an excellent way to start the promotion of legacies within local congregations. There are also suggested forms of leaflet, which can be used either with specific parish details and references or as a general leaflet to be distributed.
- **The Money Revolution** – www.themoneyrevolution.net – a website promoting Christian thinking on how we utilize all our resources for God’s work. One statistic which may cause surprise is that if all UK income earners gave away 5% of their income, the additional sums raised would be sufficient to fund the United Nations Millennium Goals worldwide; that would really be a Money Revolution.
- **John Truscott’s website** – www.john-truscott.co.uk – amongst many other helpful and instructive items there is an article very relevant to considerations of Stewardship – Article A7 ‘Understanding Stewardship’ A basis for Christian teaching.

Books:

- **First Fruits** – a worship anthology on generosity and giving compiled by Adrian Mann, Robin Stevens and John Willington – Canterbury Press 2001 ISBN 1-85311-392-1.
- **Yours, Lord** – A handbook of Christian Stewardship – Michael Wright, Mowbray 1992 – ISBN 0-264-67275-5.
- **Beyond Tithing** – Stuart Murray – Paternoster 2000 – ISBN 1-84227-000-1.
- **The Money Revolution** – John Preston – Authentic Media 2007 – ISBN 13 978-1-85078-754-9
- **Your Money and Your Life** – Keith Tondeur – SPCK 1996 – ISBN 0-281-04943-2
- **The Healthy Churches’ Handbook** – Robert Warren – Church House Publishing 2004 – ISBN 0-7151-4017-5