

10 small group resources

Does your small group need a refresh? Want to start a new group with a ready to run course? Here are 10 suggestions for you to use.



Bible Society

Explore the big story of the Bible or take a deeper dive into specific books and themes with others.

- The Bible Course. Updated in 2025, 8 Weeks course exploring how Bible characters, stories, and themes are connected, from Genesis to Revelation. Recommended for a broad biblical overview.
- The Romans Course. Discover your place in God's story as you explore the Letter to the Romans. 10 sessions with videos.



LICC: the London Institute for Contemporary Christianity

Equipping people like you to make a difference with Jesus in your Monday-to-Saturday life.

A range of ready to go courses, some free elements, some paid.

- Fruitfulness on the frontline (currently being run in Walsall Autumn 2025)
- Growing on the frontline
- Re-imagine
- Re-purpose



Big Church Read

Commit to reading a chosen book together at a chosen time, meeting in small groups to talk about what you have read.

Run 3 times a year, videos and reading plans provided free. Books need to be purchased.

Resources for over 50 previous books still available on their website.

*Recommended for those new to running a group. Currently running in Chase Terrace (Autumn 2025)



Christianity Explored

We aim to help people meet Jesus in the Bible and explore the Christian faith, through thought-provoking video resources and courses

Wide range of courses including

- Christianity Explored: Can we know God?
- Hope Explored: What is real hope?
- Life Explored: Are you satisfied?
- Discipleship Explored: Life with Christ
- Vox (Youth): What's life all about?



The Prayer Course

An eight week journey through the Lord's Prayer

Comprehensive materials, all available free with no registration needed.

Follow up course 'Unanswered Prayer: An opportunity to process life's most painful questions'

Recommended for those open to exploring practical prayer activities.

Created by '24/7 Prayer', led by Pete Grieg.



Being With

Being With is for anyone who's curious about faith — or wondering if the Christian faith has something meaningful to offer.

Produced by St Martin In The Fields, London.
Highly accessible, entry level course.
Potential alternative if the Alpha Course is not for you.
Registration needed, training available, cost is 80p per person per session for a group of 12.

Currently running in Eccleshall (Autumn 2025)

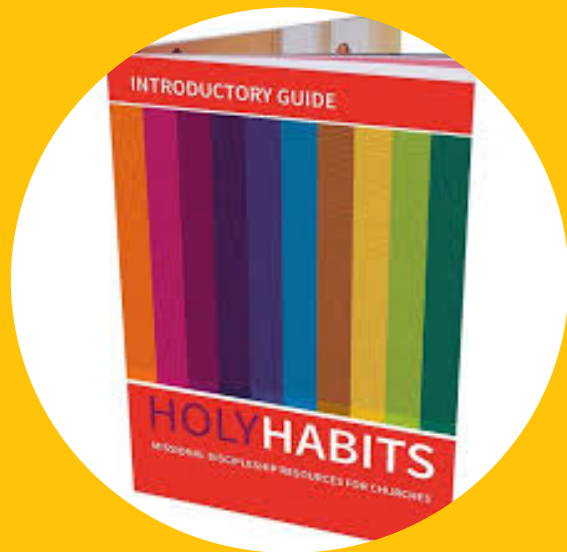


The Generosity Project

Learn, pray and work together to become the big-hearted people God calls us to be.

7 session with videos and materials, there is a good range of 'voices' to hear from.
Highly practical, recommended for those wishing to explore this essential area of discipleship.

Currently running in Bucknall (Autumn 2025)



Holy Habits

A way of life for those exploring or already actively living out the call of Jesus to 'follow me'.

Based on the book by Andrew Roberts, there are course notes and videos based on each of the 10 habits.

Recommended for groups wanting to go a little deeper into specific areas of discipleship.

Some advice free online, but materials have to be purchased.

Recommended by Bishop Tim



The Chosen

'Watch party' and group discussion prompts based on the hit TV drama series

The Chosen TV series appeals to 'binge watching' culture and presents gospel accounts in an engaging and contemporary way.

Free licenses available to screen the show in churches, with bible study books to accompany each series.

Currently being run in Rugeley (Autumn 2025)



Pastoral Principles

Aims to "help church communities examine afresh their life and learning together in the face of difference and diversity."

5 sessions recommended for those wishing to explore any topic about which there are different views and experiences within a church community or group.

Print materials available from Church House Publishing - costs apply. Videos free online.

The vision of Lichfield Diocese is for every member of our churches to have the opportunity to go deeper in faith and following Jesus.

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