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Church That Works 2004-06 this at a glance practical guidebook offers pastors and church leaders insights on a wide variety of issues to make their ministry more effective it s like hiring a church consultant at a fraction of the cost

Practical Stuff for Pastors: Taking Care of Business 2015-06 most pastors don t go into ministry because they love risk management and balancing budgets and writing human resource policies and yet each of these things plus more is part of a pastor s day to day life while leading a church neglecting these routine tasks can lead a church into troubled waters but dealing with them head on frees up a pastor s time and energy do what he she really enjoys spiritual shepherding taking care of business helps pastors plan for implement and delegate the administrative responsibilities of running a church including creating and managing budgets safety and risk management day to day operations

Pastoring the 'Pastors' 1988 no more last minute planning or late nights preparing to lead your youth group no more wondering how to articulate important theological concepts and hoping you say it right no more worry that you ll be relatable as you talk about important topics facing the teens and young adults in your church created by a team of dozens of mental health professionals doctors theologians youth pastors and parents this facilitator s guide includes everything you need to easily and effectively facilitate a transformative group discussion on the important topics of identity intimacy and mental health

The Relationship Project 2021-07-06 a field tested pragmatic and resourceful guide to the daunting and logistically complex management of local church pastors generally feel equipped to deal with biblical studies theological questions preaching responsibilities and pastoral care but when it comes to budgets insurance fire safety and church management many find themselves at a loss often lay leaders within the congregation flounder with these tasks as well here finally is the ultimate reference guide for the practical management of the parish originally created as a sourcebook for the authors week long course on church management and administration at the claremont school of theology the manual in draft version has been field tested by hundreds of pastors and lay leaders not simply a theoretical resource the manual provides suggestions for almost every aspect of parish administration position descriptions various financial forms materials for stewardship and christian education building use and safety issues employee record keeping and much more whether pastors are just out of seminary or well seasoned in parish life the manual is full of excellent guidelines tools and forms for improving the management of the parish

Church Administration and Finance Manual 1998-09-01 preach a sermon no problem choose a theologically sound sunday school curriculum no trouble conduct annual performance reviews with your ministry staff not so simple managing people provides pastors with tips for inspiring and leading staff and volunteers including how to handle tough conversations when and how to say no and building and guiding staff and volunteers after surveying hundreds of pastors asking them what they wish they d learned in seminary but didn t practical stuff was the overwhelming answer practical stuff for pastors is a series of how to guides dedicated to topics like how to manage a team keep a building running defuse conflicts and more full of tips recommendations and strategies to equip pastors for running a church on the days between sundays these handbooks are valuable tools pastors will reference again and again look for the other books in the series dealing with conflict leading change and taking care of business

Practical Stuff for Pastors: Managing People 2015-03-02 a helpful book that informs pastors and designated leaders about the infrastructure of human resources spanning the legal informational and procedural dimensions of the field its chapters provide basic information terminology and direction for new or experienced pastors or church leaders as well as recommended tools and best practices for dealing with the human resource issues that face every parish and faith based organisation

The Church Workplace 2018-05-30 in the spirit of cyril barber s classic work from the 1970s the minister s library robert yost provides students and pastors with expert guidance on building a working ministerial library from old and new testament languages lexical aids and grammatical tools to commentaries and theologies as well as pastoral resources yost is a trustworthy guide through the multiplicity of books that seem to just keep rolling off the presses far more than just a guide to commentaries as are so many works today this resource is a balanced pastoral tool for pastors and students who are overwhelmed by the proliferation of literature in the fields of biblical and pastoral studies

The Pastor's Library 2017-09-21 if you re an individual who has searched a variety of resources for the answers on what to do when starting a church or stepping into the role of ministry then search no further in this book you will find the answers to some of the questions that many other pastors or other ministry leaders have held out on telling you

maybe they just didn't know the answer or they were fearful or even embarrassed well this book will point you in the right direction from learning the balancing act of your marriage versus the church all the way to avoiding a sex scandal and paying taxes this book will be a resourceful gem in your library

What They Didn't Tell You 2019-05-31 schoun describes the pastor's felt need for support and encouragement in a demanding role reviews a variety of current plans for giving such support and suggests resources that could be helpful for pastors particularly in the seventh day adventist church list of tables acknowledgement introduction i the psycho social need for a support system ii theological reflections on the concept of support iii the current state of support systems for the seventh day adventist ministry iv a review of existing support resources v a design for a psycho social support system for pastors of the sda church in north america appendixes bibliography

Helping Pastors Cope 1982 this book is a handbook on marriage and weddings for free methodists it is a resource for pastors couples and church groups the author examines the biblical foundations for marriages and weddings and provides resources for pastors and couples getting married

Free Methodist Handbook: Marriage and Weddings 2011-02-18 this handbook is a compilation of tested ideas and resources from pastors to help new and veteran pastors benefit from fresh ideas includes difficult situations like the death of a child and second marriages

The Pastor's Guide to Fruitful Work & Economic Wisdom 2014 overseeing the financial health of a church is no simple task increased regulations irs audits and changing technology are a few of the challenges facing both new and experienced treasurers bookkeepers business administrators and executive pastors church finance the new ground breaking comprehensive guide created by respected experts and cpas michael e batts and richard r hammar gives you the confidence you need to manage every aspect of your job from building rock solid internal controls to understanding the intricacies of payroll taxes and housing allowances church finance is the go to reference every church needs using straight forward language the authors of church finance delve deeply into the critical issues all churches must address budgeting financial reporting tax compliance insurance coverage and more

A Contemporary Handbook for Weddings & Funerals and Other Occasions 2003 this book offers a new comprehensive method for transition that allows time for the parish and pastor to successfully adjust and navigate through major change

Church Finance 2015-02 a helpful handbook for pastors about all the stuff they didn't learn in seminary most pastors didn't go into ministry because they love spreadsheets hr policies and balancing budgets yet neglecting these practical elements of church life can quickly lead to ministry meltdown distracting pastors from doing the work they love most spiritual shepherding taking care of business equips pastors to plan implement and delegate administrative tasks that come with leading a church get help with creating and managing budgets safety and risk management day to day operations about the practical stuff for pastors series practical stuff for pastors is a series of how to guides dedicated to topics such as managing teams keeping ministries running and defusing conflicts full of tips recommendations and strategies to equip pastors these handbooks are valuable tools pastors will refer to again and again

Changing Pastors 1998 palmer becker helps pastors organize their ministry and multiply their effectiveness this detailed how to manual explains how to recruit train and supervise a team of small group leaders for ministry in the church in this model a minister becomes pastor to the pastors offering care and support to the group leaders who in turn care for and support others a companion manual called to care specifically addresses group leaders challenging and training them to lead small groups

The Stewardship Companion: Lectionary Resources for Preaching 2015-06-01 some of today's pastors are relatively untroubled but need help in releasing the pressure inherent in ministry to others others are close to running on empty both spiritually and emotionally all of them would like someone to confide in who can provide realistic help based on firsthand experience this is precisely what pastors at greater risk is all about first published in 1993 this edition is completely rewritten with updated stats interviews with contemporary pastoral leaders and a special emphasis on today's hot button issues such as job turnover pornography spiritual burnout congregational turnover and more the result a book that is rich in wisdom and understanding and one that provides pastor to pastor help at a time when it is needed more than ever

Practical Stuff for Pastors: Taking Care of Business 1993 talking about mental health doesn't need to feel overwhelming anymore created by a team of dozens of mental health

professionals doctors theologians youth pastors and parents this facilitator s guide is almost 200 pages of everything you need to easily and effectively facilitate a transformative group discussion on the important topic of understanding mental health

Called to Equip 2011-08-29 no more last minute planning or late nights preparing to lead your youth group no more wondering how to articulate important theological concepts and hoping you say it right no more worry that you ll be relatable as you talk about important topics facing the teens and young adults in your church this 122 page guide includes everything you need to easily and effectively facilitate a transformative group discussion on the important topic of identity

Pastors at Greater Risk 2021-07-06 managing people provides pastors with tips for inspiring and leading staff and volunteers including how to handle tough conversations when and how to say no building and guiding staff and volunteers publisher description

The Relationship Project Part Three 2010 a practical handbook that has served pastors time and time again extensively updated to aid in meeting the increased demands and challenges of twenty first century ministry this edition includes expanded indexes and reading lists covering everything from technology to organizational management each invaluable chapter serves as a vital resource for ministers facing new challenges of pastoral work today

A resource for Assemblies of God staff pastors who experience abrupt senior pastor transition 2021-07-06 america s clergy are not just religious leaders their influence extends far beyond church doors houses of worship stand at the center of american civic life one of the few spheres in which relatively diverse individuals gather together regularly and the moral authority granted to pastors means that they are uniquely positioned to play a role in public debates based on data gathered through national surveys of clergy across four mainline protestant the disciples of christ the presbyterian church usa the reformed church in america and the united methodist church and three evangelical protestant denominations the assemblies of god the christian reformed church and the southern baptist convention pastors and public life examines the changing sociological theological and political characteristics of american protestant clergy over the past twenty plus years smidt focuses on the relationship between clergy and politics clergy positions on issues of american public policy norms on what is appropriate for clergy to do politically as well as the clergy s political cue giving their pronouncements on public policy and political activism and the impact these changes have on congregations and on american society as a whole pastors and public life is the first book to systematically examine such changes and continuity over time it will be invaluable to scholars students pastors and churchgoers

The Relationship Project Part One 2015-03-02 as the spiritual leaders of their congregations pastors play a vital role in shaping the direction of the church and impacting their communities but what are the challenges they face and what can be done to equip them for effective ministry in this book we delve into the complexities of pastoral ministry exploring the personal characteristics calling and gifting required for success we examine the importance of relationship building navigating conflict maintaining healthy boundaries and embracing ongoing learning and professional development we also caution against the dangers of a ministry solely based on digital media the conformity of the church to societal values and collaborating with other churches that may lead to false doctrine with a biblical foundation and practical insights this book is a valuable resource for pastors and those aspiring to enter pastoral ministry

Practical Stuff for Pastors: Managing People 2021 perfect bound softback with spacious spread and ample space to keep track of all visits done other designs available log interior click on the look inside link to view the log ensure that you scroll past the title page record pastor s visits using the conveniently structured ruled pages and fields log includes spaces to capture visit no date name of individual activity code reason for visit address time spent notes and a follow up column thick white acid free paper reduces the bleed through of ink log exteriorcover strong beautiful matte paperback binding professional trade paperback binding the binding is durable pages will remain secured and will not break loose page dimensions 8 5 x 11 21 59 x 27 94 cm makes for easy filing on a bookshelf or storage in a cabinet or desk drawer other products we also publish a host of other church resources and gifts to find and view them search for centurion church resources on amazon thank you for viewing our product as we design and create products in the master jesus service centurion church resources team

Ministry Wisdom 2012 in a pastor s world there are few words that bring as wide of an array of emotions as these two for some it is the enigma that cannot be solved for others it is the dead horse that people keep trying to ride sunday school is one of the few mainstays that has

weathered decades of change in the way that churches are conducted yet for many pastors it has become something to stand off from and let others deal with with the hope that it does not come back to bite the pastor unexpectedly when sunday school is functioning well it is one of the most powerful vehicles a church has to help it carry out the great commission and to engage members in doing christ s work while many churches have moved away from the name sunday school the heart of the ministry remains the same it is a group that is open ongoing and employs a plan to study the bible gene mims 2003 describes these open groups as person centered meaning they focus on bringing people into a transforming relationship with god lay led and bible based concluding that open groups fulfill the great commission by making disciples of all men though they are often called classes because of the sunday school name mims called this a misnomer explaining they are classes in the sense that the bible is studied but they are much more they are kingdom entities built on the five functions of the church they are living organisms built for the people who attend p 135 but this sounds nothing like what most pastors hear from the sunday school or small groups that take place in their churches any pastor would get behind a strategy that would help him assimilate newcomers into a group of believers study the scriptures each week connect believers together to care for one another and mobilize believers to share their faith and take the gospel throughout the world sunday school was designed to be that strategy but in our day it has fallen into disrepair in many churches today sunday school sits like an old rusty car shining in places with a bit of its past glory but by and large a lawn ornament to make matters worse pastors are often given the keys to this car with no instructions on how to start it how to make it run or even how to drive it the goal of this book is to give you as a pastor and leader an owner s manual of sorts to help you dust off the wear and tear of sunday school in your church and prepare you to not only get it started again but to hear it hum and purr again as a vehicle to carry christ s disciples in their great commission work one of the struggles for pastors is that there are simply not many resources available today to guide a pastor in leading sunday school while the market is filled with works on how to lead an individual group or on the importance of groups little attention has been given to practical steps that pastors can take to help sunday school in their churches but this is not the market s fault but rather a reflection of the emphasis given to sunday school it is often neglected in seminaries and bible colleges tasked with training pastors and is rarely used in churches as beginning training for prospective pastors steve parr 2010 laments over his experience of talking with a large group of master of divinity graduates those who have been trained for the task of pastoring who had been given no academic training at all concerning how to lead sunday school leading him to conclude if the pastor does not have the tools and the knowledge neither will the members the result is that many pastors go into a church that has the basic sunday school structure but the sunday school is lifeless and cold p 21 further with the many other tasks that occupy a pastor s schedule and thinking sunday school is often placed on the back burner in trying to understand why pastors were not more involved in sunday school rainer 1999 found that pastors focused their atten

Equipped for Good Work 2016-02-16 no more last minute planning or late nights preparing to lead your youth group no more wondering how to articulate important theological concepts and hoping you say it right no more worry that you ll be relatable as you talk about important topics facing the teens and young adults in your church this 120 page guide includes everything you need to easily and effectively facilitate a transformative group discussion on the important topic of intimacy

Pastors and Public Life 2016-08-11 sacred space for pastor reflections an awesome gift for your pastor lined journal notebook convenient space for notes and more instead of lots of pieces of paper everywhere 7x10 size bigger than most standard journals 150 pages with over 70 pages for sermon outline beautiful full color matte finish each page is sectioned with the following one page with boxes and lines includes sections for sermon title scripture main points notes call to action additional lined space for thoughts and notes alternating lined pages for easy writing and eliminating page bleed for a clean journal notebook give your pastor a welcomed gift he or she will use all year long order today

What Pastors Do 2019-05-29 like having a serious conversation with a mentor or coach in the ministry the shepherd s covenant for pastors offers the equipping that pastors need to maintain their commitment to live their lives and ministries with authenticity and integrity readers will covenant with god and with one another to maintain a life of holiness and righteousness by committing to five basic principles built on an acrostic of g r a c e this inspiring book includes input on the importance of maintaining and developing each principle stories of pastors who have experienced positive and growing ministries by applying the principles and a series of exercises for keeping in spiritual shape

Pastor's Visitation Log (Paperback Logbook, Journal 8. 5 X 11) 2021-07-06 a comprehensive creative and up to date resource for conducting traditional and contemporary weddings

Set Your Heart 2019-08 church administration can become an overwhelming task for churches but it s a necessary part of every faith community whether it s prayer groups or pastoral care evangelism or executive meetings faith retreats or finances there s an administrative component in every area of ministry in a world that expects quality and excellence churches should be shining examples reflecting what it looks like to offer god our very best but excellence doesn t come easy it s the result of careful planning implementation evaluation and continuation that come from successful and efficient administration the church administration kit is an efficient effective tool to help churches handle the operational side of church ministry filled with practical reusable resources it provides an assortment of guidelines training helps templates suggestions and practices to enhance efficiency and successfully manage administrative duties and tasks and best of all everything is completely reproducible the cd offers an assortment of adaptable worksheets and templates including job descriptions office guidelines telephone protocol and training information to enhance the working relationships of pastors and office assistants performance evaluations for pastoral staff and ministry assistants project development and management planning forms policies and procedures for a variety of ministries

The Relationship Project Part Two 2005-08-19 this book is a guide for motivating training and equipping church and christian leaders in how to develop a culture of biblical stewardship and generosity to those people within their sphere of influence it is directed primarily to pastors and church leaders since that is where stewardship and generosity should be taught however the principles and process taught here can certainly be applied within the context of a christian school or business environment you may be a school leader that wants to help your staff students and donors grow in their application of biblical stewardship and generosity or you may be a christian business person who wants to help your staff and employees benefit personally from this teaching we know that stress from financial problems affects motivation and productivity in the work place you would surely agree that our young people certainly need to learn these important principles before they enter into the challenges of adult life the big question is how does a christian leader organize and implement a strategy or process in his or her organizational environment how does he she effectively utilize the multiple resources for teaching stewardship money management and generosity to those people within his her sphere of influence whether it be a church congregation school or business because the church is where this important teaching should start the major focus of this book is to help pastors and church leaders learn ways to empower and motivate their congregations toward a greater generosity and intimacy with god even if you are a christian business or school leader chances are you are also a church leader in some capacity chances are along with your pastor you want to be able to resource the god given vision for your church although my primary goal is to see pastors and church leaders equipped in training others to become more generous givers and faithful managers of god s resources many of the principles and resources mentioned in this book can be utilized within the environment of a business or school so take and apply those principles and truths contained in this book that work for your particular church or organization you ll find out what works for you and don t hesitate to seek help from the resources mentioned later in the book chances are you will need it and want it in order to succeed i ve designed the book to help the reader understand the what why and how to accomplish this goal because of the magnitude of this goal and the space limitations within a single book the focus will be on the what and why with some general instructions principles and resources provided in the how in chapter six appendix one and two i direct you to additional resources and help beyond the scope of this book some of it free by the time you finish reading and digesting the truths contained in this book assuming that you are serious about the subject you should be motivated and encouraged to move ahead in helping your church school or business entity develop a culture of biblical stewardship money management and generosity and regarding the image of the water faucet on the cover you will learn its meaning in chapter one our contributors to this book have many years of combined experience in some aspect of stewardship and generosity ministry leadership and training you will be hearing from the best but be prepared to possibly go through a paradigm shift we won t be talking about just another stewardship campaign fund raising effort bible study or seminar you may be surprised

Pastor Reflections Sermon Journal 1994-05-01 how much do you know about angels few supernatural beings are of more speculation than angels in art we see them depicted as

chubby babies and fierce radiant warriors sometimes they wield swords other times a bow and arrow surrounded by floating hearts some have halos some do not clearly we're confused in the truth about angels tony evans goes to the scriptures to set the record straight he clearly and simply explains who angels are what they do and it all means for the everyday lives of believers a short practical and engaging book the truth about angels is a one stop guide to the role of angels in the world and eternity it will help you fight the good fight of faith knowing that the heavenly hosts are waging war on your behalf

The Shepherd's Covenant for Pastors 2008 god can turn things around for anyone including you we've all experienced a time in life when it feels like the world is against us whether it's a financial setback a breakup or career that's gone off course our first instinct is to give up and give in in that moment you need a comeback it can be hard to find solid ground in the most challenging of times but take heart god is the master of comebacks and orchestrated the greatest turnaround of all through jesus the savior who was crucified and came back from the grave inside your comeback you will find inspiration to turn your circumstances around as you learn about some of the most remarkable comeback stories of all time you may have been knocked down but you're not knocked out

Baker's Wedding Handbook 2012-07-01 heaven may not be what you think it is we often think of heaven in two extremes it's either a dreamy existence where we float around on clouds with nothing much to do or it's something far off in the future that we don't want to happen until we accomplish all that we want to in this life both of these are flat wrong and tony evans looks to scripture to set the record straight simple and straightforward eternity is a short book on what eternity with god will really be like god hasn't told us everything about heaven writes evans but scripture gives us enough glimpses and enough promises about heaven for us to know we don't want to miss this place of eternal joy walk through scripture with evans as he plainly explains what heaven is like who will be there and what they'll be doing with engaging illustrations and practical insights you'll know what awaits believers forever and how that matters for life today

The Church Administration Kit 2016-02-12 he who has an ear let him hear what the spirit says to the churches revelation 2:7 the unique hardships of our modern lives can often feel insurmountable but god's word reveals to us that there is no obstacle habit or situation we face that jesus hasn't already given us the power to conquer in living as an overcomer bestselling author dr tony evans examines how christ's message to the seven churches in revelation can challenge convict and lead you toward emphatic victory over any difficulty in life through this powerful portion of scripture dr evans helps you discover how christ's words to some of the earliest churches brim with enduring life and relevance even in our contemporary context rekindle your deepest convictions and strengthen your spiritual commitment as christ's admonitions and promises permeate your heart vanquish obstacles and live triumphantly by laying claim to all god has in store for you as you heed god's instructions to the early church you will receive everything you need to experience victory over sin and prevail in your present circumstances reject lukewarm faith and start living as an overcomer also available living as an overcomer dvd living as an overcomer workbook

How to Resource Your Vision 2018-05-01 you may be down but you're not out your future can include an amazing comeback story this companion to dr tony evans's your comeback dvd is perfect for individual or group study find inspiration from biblical underdogs and modern day sports heroes and see how god has used those who are less than perfect to accomplish incredible feats this workbook provides brief passages from tony's book your comeback key points and quotes from the dvd questions to promote reflection and conversation relevant scripture passages to read and discuss activities for further personal study learn to release your feelings of inadequacy and embrace the victory found in hope and redemption use this resource to find your purpose and begin your comeback today

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