

APPENDIX VI

NEW RESOURCES AND SAINT ANDREW PRESS

New Resources from Mission and Discipleship Council

Online/downloadable resources

- 360 web resource (<https://goo.gl/TFouqA>)
- 52 Weekly Worship contributions (<https://goo.gl/q7EPXx>)
- Life Stories (<https://goo.gl/zDiVwS>)
- Children and Young People pages (<https://goo.gl/6KQw3U>) which includes information on YoYP (<https://goo.gl/tUHZUo>)
- Young Adults pages of website (<https://goo.gl/z6mV3W>)
- Guidelines for employing a children's, family's or youth worker (<https://goo.gl/VYt2Em>)
- Rural: various downloads and web content (<https://goo.gl/R5azb2>)
- Learn Online: various new parts of web content (<https://goo.gl/eKfZ4J>)
- Office Bearers online (<https://goo.gl/uGrkmw>)
- Elders as moderators of their own kirk sessions (<https://goo.gl/fDaLmy>)
- Learning Disabilities Action Pack (<https://goo.gl/zjxxUU>)

Publications/hard copy resources

- Word of Life (Pray Now) (<https://goo.gl/iL4lpA>)
- Stories of Encounter (Pray Now) (<https://goo.gl/wXq2Qh>)
- Learn: Understanding our Faith publication (<https://goo.gl/GmXN2M>)
- Learn: Children and Young People publication (<https://goo.gl/XMSyoa>)
- Year of Young People Toolkit (<https://goo.gl/pC29eL>)
- Diverse Gender Identities and Pastoral Care publication (<https://goo.gl/Npud9F>)

Saint Andrew Press publications

Saint Andrew Press' publishing year runs from October 1 to September 30, and in the year ending September 30 2017, four new titles were published, three fewer than in the previous year:

- Two regular annuals – *Word of Life*, the *Pray Now* volume for 2017, and the *Church of Scotland Year Book*, which again required no subsidy because of strong advertising revenue.
- Finlay Macdonald's lively and informed history of five centuries of the Kirk, *From Reform to Renewal* was published to great acclaim, as was Doug Gay's *Reforming the Kirk*, based on the prestigious Chalmers lectures.

Two Learn volumes, *Understanding Our Faith* and *Children and Young People*, were expected, but these appeared later, making 2016-17 a rather lean year for Saint Andrew Press. Income was down some £35k on the previous year. However, the publishing programme for the current 2017-18 year is looking much stronger with eight scheduled titles and more in the pipeline. Scheduled visits by the Publishing Director to 121 aims to ensure a flow of new proposals and visits by the Marketing Director aims to ensure effective communication and promotion of the Church of Scotland's publications.

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