
Symbols web catalog

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BANNERS FOR ALL SEASONS

HOW TO MAKE CREATIVE BANNERS FOR HOLY DAYS AND HOLIDAYS

Pike, Joyce and Robinson, Anne

Meriwether Publishing Ltd.

BOOK

A presentation of a variety of banners to be used in our churches and places where Christian seasons and festivals are celebrated.

Instructions and patters are included in this very helpful book.

BOOK OF CONFESSIONS: THE CONSTITUTION OF THE UNITED PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH IN THE UNITED STATES

Office of the General Assembly, UPCUSA

BOOK

This copy of the Book of Confessions is being retained on file because it contains color photographs and explanations of the banners of the confessions as designed by Avery and Marsh.

CHURCH NEEDLEPOINT

Raynor, Louise, and Carolyn Kerr

Morehouse-Barlow

BOOK

Patterns and instructions. 38 patterns limited to the symbolic representation of the evangelists, the apostles, a few other important saints, plus symbols for the seasons and feast days of the Christian Year, and a selection of crosses. Suitable for single kneelers or a variety of other uses. Detailed instructions included.

CONCISE DICTIONARY OF ECCLESIASTICAL TERMS

Eckel, Frederick L., Jr.

Abingdon

BOOK

A volume to help laypersons understand common ecclesiastical terms. Useful for children and adults. Filled with simple illustrations and based on the Church of England and Protestant Episcopal usage but helpful to Presbyterians as well.

CROSS

Peelman, Nancy

Morehouse-Barlow, Inc.

BOOK

May be used as a Lenten study, study of Christian symbols, introduction to church history or a missionary unit. Presents, through text and illustration, twenty-two crosses that have been used throughout the history of the Christian church. A brief history and an illustration is provided for each individual cross.

DESIGNING ECCLESIASTICAL NEEDLEPOINT

Finch, Meredith

Memorial United Methodist Church

BOOK

A step-by-step, completely outlined method for the novice designer or design team who wishes to create ecclesiastical needlepoint. Excellent directions for churches wishing to design their own needlepoint pieces.

SEALED IN CHRIST: THE SYMBOLISM OF THE SEAL OF THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

Mulder, John M.

Denominational Resources, PPH

BOOK

The author interweaves central theological affirmations of our church with explanations of the different symbols that make up the seal: the dove, the fish, the open Bible, the cup, the fire, and the overall symbol of the cross.

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SIGNS & SYMBOLS IN CHRISTIAN ART: WITH ILLUSTRATIONS FROM PAINTINGS OF THE RENAISSANCE

Ferguson, George
 Oxford University Press
 BOOK
 The authoritative source for a study of the symbolism of Christian art. The 14 chapters show symbolism in representations of religious personages, the earth and sky, animals, birds, insects, and flowers. Also shows how Old Testament characters and events were represented in art.

SYMBOL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH (U.S.A.)

General Assembly Presentation
 General Assembly Presentation, PCUSA
 VIDEO
 A presentation of the General Assembly showing the different parts of the symbol for the Presbyterian Church USA. The newly designed seal and symbol were ratified in 1985.

SYMBOL PATTERNS

Flackman, Leonard, et al
 Augsburg
 BOOK
 Ideas for banners, posters, bulletin boards.

SYMBOLS OF GOD'S LOVE: CODES AND PASSWORDS

Fogle, Jeanne S.
 The Geneva Press
 BOOK
 Text and illustrations explain the origins and meaning of such Christian symbols as the cross, lily, boat, butterfly, flame, fish and lamp.

SYMBOLS OF RELIGION: STENCIL ART FOR ALL AGES

Stencil-Art Publishing Co.
 BOOK
 Thirty-two of the most ancient and recognized symbols of the Christian faith are displayed in this volume of cut-out stencils.

SYMBOLS OF THE CHURCH

Whittemore, Carroll
 Abingdon
 BOOK
 Illustrations and descriptions of the major Christian symbols. Glossary of ecclesiastical terms, proper forms of address to the clergy, liturgical colors and their uses. Drawings of each symbol.

SYMBOLS OF THE CHURCH

Whittemore, Carroll E., ed.
 Abingdon Press, 1987
 BOOK
 Symbols of the Church describes the origin and meaning of hundreds of symbols of the Christian faith. A drawing of each symbol is offered, along with a paragraph describing the symbol's origin, present meaning and use. The meaning of denominational emblems and symbols, and a description of the seasons and colors of the Christian year are also provided.

UNDERSTANDING CHRISTIAN SYMBOLS

Iowa Religious Media Services
 VIDEO
 Examines several Christian symbols and their roots in personal human experience and in salvation history. Useful for confirmation classes and for adult groups. Among the well photographed symbols--cross and crown, wheat and grapes.