



## The Resource Center

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## Resources for YOU and YOUR Congregation


- All resources are available for loan to individuals and to congregations
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- An online catalog is available at [www.eandsynod.org](http://www.eandsynod.org) (“Search the Catalog” under the Resource Center)
- Available to you are web links, online collections, media and print resources, curricula and more for all areas of congregational life

# Open for Exploration!

## **MORE RESOURCES for LENT**

Creation Waits with Eager Longing ([www.elca.org/Our-Faith-In-Action/Justice/Advocacy/Issues/Environment-and-Energy/Environmental-Worship-Resources.aspx](http://www.elca.org/Our-Faith-In-Action/Justice/Advocacy/Issues/Environment-and-Energy/Environmental-Worship-Resources.aspx)) is a set of resources from **Living Earth: A Lenten Journey**. It includes a worship series and weekly themes of reflection, remembrance, rediscovery, repentance, reconciliation, and recommitment about becoming more faithful stewards of God’s creation.

For helpful information about the season of Lent, Palm/Passion Sunday, the Three Days and services of daily prayer, take a look at the third volume in the *Using Evangelical Lutheran Worship* series, **Keeping Time: The Church’s Years**.

A Lenten devotional series called **Holy Lent Holy Land Holy People: A Journey Through the Sermon on the Mount** includes true stories from the Holy Land, journeys through the Sermon on the Mount with copy-ready biblical commentary and preaching reflections, and original art from Bethlehem. The adaptable [Word document](#)  at [www.elca.org/~media/files/our\\_faith\\_in\\_action/justice/peace\\_not\\_walls/HolyLandHolyPeople.doc](http://www.elca.org/~media/files/our_faith_in_action/justice/peace_not_walls/HolyLandHolyPeople.doc) also contains music, prayers, litanies, questions for reflection and discussion, and can be used for Lenten mid-week worship or Bible study. It was developed in 2008 by the Peace Not Walls task force of the Southwestern Texas Synod and is offered as a resource to the church at-large.

For a Lenten DVD series on grace, check out **Down and Out: Where Grace Takes You**. This six part series reintroduces viewers to the life-changing reality of God’s promises and points the way to a completely different view of life in light of grace. Sessions are 19-25 minutes each. Available for loan.

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Many additional series are available for small groups, individual study, and reflection. See the online catalog at [www.eandsynod.org/resource-center](http://www.eandsynod.org/resource-center). The e-resource for December, Open for Exploration, includes additional recommendations at [www.eandsynod.org/resource-center/recommended/open-for-exploration-lent/](http://www.eandsynod.org/resource-center/recommended/open-for-exploration-lent/)



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