### **Resources for Children and Communion Preparation**

### **Children and Communion Booklist**

This is not an exhaustive list, but it contains some of the resources which are currently available for churches which are seeking to engage children in Eucharistic worship.

### **Background reading**



### Let the Children Come to Communion

Lake; pub. SPCK

ISBN: 9780281057955 £10.99

Very good history & background to children & communion, with good tips on practicalities and

experience from a range of people

http://spckpublishing.co.uk/product/let-the-children-come-to-communion/

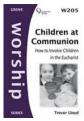


# Come Unto Me: rethinking the sacraments for children

Caldwell; pub. The Pilgrim Press ISBN: 9780829811193 £9.45

Good exploration of both baptism and communion with practical sessions to help parents support their child's spiritual growth.

http://www.thepilgrimpress.com/products/come-unto-me-rethinking-the-sacraments-for-children-caldwell



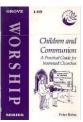
### **Children at Communion**

Lloyd; pub. Grove Books

ISBN: 9781851747764 £3.95

Brief introduction to ways a service of Holy Communion might be planned so that children can more fully participate.

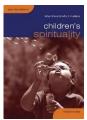
https://grovebooks.co.uk/products/w-205-children-at-communion-how-to-involve-children-in-the-eucharist



### Children and Communion: a practical guide for interested churches

Grove booklet by Peter Reiss ISBN: 9781851743858 £3.95 Currently unlisted by the publisher

Out of print as of Jan 2016; search online



### **Children's Spirituality**

Nye; pub Church House Publishing ISBN: 9780715140277 £8.99

Essential reading for understanding how children's spirituality and faith grow and are nurtured.

http://www.chpublishing.co.uk/product.asp?id=2395003

# Resources for Leaders and Children



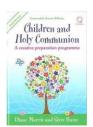
# Ready to Share One Bread: preparing children for holy communion

Nick Harding and Sandra Millar; pub SPCK

ISBN: 9780281070541 £12.99

http://spckpublishing.co.uk/product/ready-to-share-one-bread/

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### **Children & Holy Communion**

Murrie & Pearce; pub. Kevin Mayhew

ISBN: 9781844171514 £14.99

Very good basic introduction with a simple, 6 part preparation session <a href="http://www.kevinmayhew.com/children-holy-communion-revised.html">http://www.kevinmayhew.com/children-holy-communion-revised.html</a>



### Welcome to the Lord's Table

Withers; pub. BRF

ISBN: 9781841017341 £12.99

A Communion preparation course for 6 – 11s. A children's activity book is also available. http://www.brfonline.org.uk/9781841015040/



### I Belong

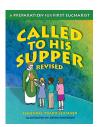
Urquart; pub. Redemptorist Publications

ISBN: 9780852311707 Pack of one of each £24.00 (RC) or £24.95 (CofE)

Leader's Guide for a Roman Catholic Communion Preparation course. Common Worship/Anglican

version, Children's, parents' and special needs books also available. http://rpbooks.co.uk/products/14/1003/catholic-church/i-belong-pack

http://rpbooks.co.uk/products/29/1359/church-of-england/i-belong-common-worship-pack-1-of-each



### Called to His Supper

Leichner; pub. Our Sunday Visitor ISBN: 9781592763498 £10.38

Catechist's Roman Catholic Communion Preparation course from America. Children's book also

available

https://www.osv.com/Shop/Product?ProductCode=X389



# **Meet Christ with Joy**

Brown; pub. Kevin Mayhew ISBN: 9780862091729 £7.99

Roman Catholic Communion preparation course for children. Parents/Catechist's book also available <a href="http://www.kevinmayhew.com/christian-books/catholic-resources/sacramental/meet-christ-with-joy.html">http://www.kevinmayhew.com/christian-books/catholic-resources/sacramental/meet-christ-with-joy.html</a>



#### **Creative Communion**

Withers & Sledge; pub. BRF ISBN: 9781841015330 £7.99

Workshops and preparation to help the whole church think through aspects of Communion http://www.barnabasinchurches.org.uk/9781841015330



# Your First Communion as a Child in the Anglican Church

Claire Benton-Evans £4.99

A child's first Communion is a very special occasion. This clear and colourful book will help children to learn all about Holy Communion and what it will mean for them and the Church. It explains what happens in a Communion service and answers a variety of questions that children may have leading up to this important event.

http://www.kevinmayhew.com/christian-books/anglican-resources/your-first-communion-as-a-child-in-the-anglican-church.html