

# Suggested Reading List on the Diaconate



## General

### **The Deacon's Ministry**

Christine Hall, ed.

Gracewing Fowler Wright Books: Leominster, Herefordshire, 1991

### **The Diaconate: A Full and Equal Order**

James Monroe Barnett

Trinity Press International: Harrisburg Penn. Revised ed. 1995

### **Deacons in the Liturgy**

Ormonde Plater

Morehouse Publishing: Harrisburg, Penn. 1992.

### **The Liturgical Ministry of Deacons**

Michael Kwatera

The Liturgical Press, 1985

### **A Deacon's Heart: The New United Methodist Diaconate**

Margaret Ann Crain and Jack L. Seymour

Abingdon Press: Nashville, 2001.

### **The Deacon: Ministry through Words of Faith and Acts of Love**

Ben. L. Hartley and Paul E. Van Buren, The United Methodist Church, Nashville, Tennessee. 1999

### **The Deacon in the Church: Past and Future**

Edward P. Echlin

Alba House, New York, 1971

### **The Servant Church: Diaconal Ministry and the Episcopal Church**

John E. Booty

Morehouse-Barlow Co. Inc., Wilton, Conn. 1982

## Discernment

### **Listening Hearts: Discerning a Call in Community**

Susanne G. Farnham; Jos. P.Gill; R.Taylor Mclean; Susan M. Ward.

Morehouse Publishing, Harrisburg, Penn., 1991

**The Gift that is in You: A Model for Wholeness in Ministry**

Barry Valentine

Anglican Book Centre: Toronto, Ontario, 1984

**Hearing God's Call: Ways of Discernment for Laity and Clergy**

Ben Campbell Johnson

**Practicing Resurrection : A Memoir of Work, Doubt, Discernment, and Moments of Grace**

Nora Gallagher

## **Ministry**

**Improving Your Serve: The Art of Unselfish Living**

Charles R. Swindoll

Word Publishing: Dallas, London, Vancouver, Melbourne, 1981.

**Many Servants**

Maylanne Maybee

Anglican Book Centre, Toronto, Ont.,

**All Who Minister: New Ways of Serving God's People**

Maylanne Maybee (ed)

Anglican Book Centre, Toronto, Ontario, 2001

**Availability: The Spiritual Joy of Helping Others**

Robert Wicks

The Crossroad Publishing Company: New York, 1986/2000

**How Prayer Shapes Ministry**

John E. Biersdorf

The Alban Institute Inc., New York

**Servanthood: Leadership for the Third Millennium**

Bennet J. Sims

Cowley Publications: Cambridge, Boston, Mass. 1997

**Service Ministry of the Deacon**

Timothy J. Shugrue

Committee on the Permanent Diaconate, National Council of Catholic Bishops, 1988

## **Pastoral Care**

**Helplessness & Hope: Pastoral Care in Terminal Illness**

Bruce D. Rumbold

SCM Press Ltd.; London, 1986

**The Minister as Family Counselor**

Charles William Stewart  
Abingdon, Nashville, 1979

**Pastoral Care for Survivors of Family Abuse**

James Leehan  
Westminster/John Knox Press: Louisville, Kentucky, 1989.

**Who Cares? Simple Ways You Can Reach Out**

Marcy Heidish  
Ave Maria Press, Indiana, 1997

## **Intercessions**

**Intercession: A Theological and Practical Guide**

Ormonde Plater  
Cowley Publications: Cambridge, Boston, Mass. 1995

## **Justice**

**Bridges of Hope? Canadian Voluntary Agencies and the Third World**

Broadhead, Tim  
Herbert-Copley, Brent, and Anne-Marie Lambert The North-South Institute, Ottawa, Canada, 1988

**City of the People: The Struggle for Human Rights in Latin America: The Catholic Church in Conflict with U.S. Policy**

Lernoux, Penny  
Penguin Books: London, New York, Toronto, 1982

**Coalitions for Justice: The Story of Canada's Interchurch Coalitions**

Christopher Lind and Joe Mihevc, Editors  
Novalis: St Paul University, Ottawa, Ontario, 1994

**Crossroads Are For Meeting: Essays on the Common Life of the Church in a Global Society**

Turner, Phillip and Frank Sugeno SPCK/USA: Sewanee, Tn. 1986

**From Corporate Greed to Common Good: Canadian Churches and Community Economic Development**

MacAdam, Murray, Editor, Novalis: St. Paul University, Ottawa, Canada, 1998

**Grace and Mortgage: The Language of Faith and the Debt of the World**

Selby, Peter,  
Darton . Longman + Todd: London, 1997

**In the Canadian Interest? Third World Development in the 1980s**

The North-South Institute, 1980

**Signs of the Times: Resources for Social Faith 1981**

Vale, Norman, Editor,

The United Church of Canada: Toronto, 1981

**Speaking of Christianity: Practical Compassion, Social Justice and Other Wonders**

Brown, Robert McAfee

Westminster John Knox Press: Louisville, Kentucky

**The Land of Lost Content: A History of CUSO**

Smillie, Ian

Deneau Publishers: Toronto, Ontario, 1985

## **Pamphlets**

**Baptism and the Ministry of Deacons**

Grein, Richard F.

NAAD, Monograph Series No. 1, 1987

**Bishops, Priests and the Distinctive Diaconate**

Whittall, John

NAAD, 1993

**The Deacon as Para-Cleric**

McCoy, Keith

NAAD, Monograph Series No. 9, 1998

**Formation of Ministering Christians**

Watson, Susanne K.

NAAD, Monograph Series 11

**Guidelines for Deacon Programs: A Working Paper**

Edwin F. Hallenbeck

NAAD, 2000

**Historic Documents on the Diaconate**

Plater, Ormonde

NAAD Monograph Series No. 7, 1999

**Lifting Up the Servants of God: The Deacon, Servant Ministry, and the Future of the Church**

Ferguson, Thomas

NAAD, Monograph Series No. 12

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