

Service learning in Lutheran schools

Reading for service learning

- Christian roots of service learning
- Service and social justice

Text

Justice and Grace

Generous Justice: How God's Grace Makes Us Just

Timothy Keller. 2010. New York: Penguin Group. ISBN: 978-0-525-95190-2

LEA website

Service-Learning

A. information linking Service Learning with specific aspects of the Christian Studies Curriculum Framework (CSCF)

LEA website <http://www.lutheran.edu.au/>

B. FAQ answered by Rev. Terry Unger (St. Andrews Lutheran College)

LEA service learning website <http://www.lutheran.edu.au/>

Service

C. Service as an LEA value

LEA website <http://www.lutheran.edu.au/>

Social Justice

2005 Reuther Oration Norman C Habel 'Social Justice in a Lutheran School Context'

LEA website <http://www.lutheran.edu.au/>

'The Lutheran' articles – Social Justice summaries

<http://www.thelutheran.com.au/categories/social-justice.html>

Lutheran Church Australia web page Social Justice / Action

<http://www.lca.org.au/categories/social-issues/social-justiceaction.html>

School Exemplar: Social Justice

Social Justice Policy Statement: St. Mark's Mount Barker

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'Solving Poverty is Rocket-Science' by Richard Stearns [article in Christianity Today, 2013]

<http://www.christianitytoday.com/ct/2013/july-web-only/solving-poverty-isrocket-science.html?paging=off>

Learning to cross cultural boundaries

UNDERSTANDING & RESPECTING CULTURAL DIFFERENCE:

David Livermore 'What can I do: Making a global difference right where you are'.

Zondervan USA

Expand your borders: Discover ten Cultural Clusters [CQ insight Series] by David Livermore

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Sherwood G. Lingenfelter & Marvin K Mayers (2003) [second edition] 'Ministering Cross-Culturally' Baker Academic USA

Duane Elmer (2006) 'Cross-Cultural Servanthood'. Intersity Press USA

EDUCATIONAL READINGS: SERVICE LEARNING

These readings have an American, civic-minded approach to Service-Learning and need to be read with this context in mind.

'Service Learning: A Balanced Approach To Experiential Education' by Andrew Furco

<https://www.urmia.org/library/docs/regional/2008northeast/ServiceLearningBalancedApproach.pdf>

The 5 stages of Service learning: (2010)

http://www.freespirit.com/files/OTHER/Five_Stages_of_Service_Learning.pdf

The Impact of Participation in Service- Learning on High School Students' Civic Engagement Shelley Billig, Sue Root, and Dan Jesse

RMC Research Corporation, Denver, CO

<http://files.eric.ed.gov/fulltext/ED495215.pdf>

Service Learning. An academic research summary

<http://www.nylc.org/sites/nylc.org/files/SLResearchSummary.pdf>

Service-Learning helps young people stay in School (includes K – 12 SL standards)

<http://www.nylc.org/sites/nylc.org/files/files/360GeneratorJul08.pdf>

Research on K-12 School-Based Service-Learning The Evidence Builds (a seminal work that is often quoted. Quite old.

http://www.educationreporting.com/resources/CLP_Billig_article.pdf

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