



Resources for Developing Ministry Alongside Those Living with Dementia

Biographical Accounts of Living with Dementia

Dementia from the Inside: A Doctor's Personal Journey of Hope (2018), by Dr Jennifer Bute with Louise Morse, published by SPCK, cost £9.99, ISBN 978-0-281-08069-4.

What Dementia Teaches Us about Love (2019), by Nicci Gerrard, published by Allen Lane, cost £16.99 hardback, ISBN 978-0-241-34745-4.

Somebody I Used to Know (2018), by Wendy Mitchell, published by Bloomsbury, cost £8.99, ISBN 978-1-4088-9333-3.

Dementia, A Positive Response: Hope, Help and Humour on the Journey (2018), by Dr William Cutting, published by Onwards and Upwards, cost £11.99, ISBN 978-1-788-15675-2.

Where Memories Go: Why Dementia Changes Everything (2014), by Sally Magnusson, published by Two Roads Books, cost £10.00, ISBN 978-444-75181-9.

Who Will I Be When I Die? (2012), by Christine Bryden, published by Jessica Kingsley, cost £13.99, ISBN 978-1-849-05312-9.

Penumbra: Poems About Dementia (2019), by Elizabeth Miller, available from Amazon, cost £7.95, ISBN 978-0-36-860153-8.

E-learning on Dementia – available at no cost

It's Still Me Lord - <https://welcome-me-as-i-am.thinkific.com/courses/its-still-me-lord>

A Roman Catholic learning resource produced by Caritas and Welcome Me as I Am, for those accompanying people whose lives have been touched by dementia in their spiritual journey. Sections: See ME rather than the dementia; Living with dementia; Spiritual elements of dementia; I need you to minister me; Spiritual accompaniment in end of life care; No decision about me without me.

Future Learn – (futurelearn.com)

Foundations in Dementia (6 weeks, 3 hours per week)

Dementia Care: Staying Connected and Living Well (3 weeks, 2 hours per week)

Dementia Care: Living Well as Dementia Progresses (3 weeks, 3 hours per week)

The Many Faces of Dementia: four rarer diagnoses (4 weeks, 2 hours per week)

Social Care Institute for Excellence – <https://www.scie.org.uk/e-learning/dementia>

Dementia Awareness e-learning course

Pastoral Theology of Ageing and Dementia

Dementia: Living in the Memories of God (2012), by John Swinton, cost £12.99, available from scompress.co.uk, ISBN 978-0-33404-672-1.

Between Remembering and Forgetting (2010), by James Woodward, cost £13.99, published by Continuum Publishing Corporation, ISBN 978-1-44113-114-0.

Spirituality and Personhood in Dementia (2011), by Albert Jewell, cost £21.99, published by Jessica Kingsley, ISBN 978-1-84905-154-5.

Thinking of You: A Resource for the Spiritual Care of People with Dementia (2017), by Joanna Collicutt, published by The Bible Reading Fellowship, cost £9.99, ISBN 978-0-85746-491-0.

The Spiritual Dimension of Ageing (2017), by Elizabeth MacKinlay, cost £22.99, published by Jessica Kingsley, ISBN 978-1-78450-333-8.

A Guide to the Spiritual Dimension of Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementia: More than Body, Brain and Breath (2003), by Eileen Shamy, published by Jessica Kingsley, cost £19.99, ISBN 978-1-84642-388-8.

God in Fragments: Worshipping with Those Living with Dementia (2020), by Robert Atwell et al, published by Church House Publishing, cost £14.99, 978-0-7151-2367-6.

A Guide to the Spiritual Dimension of Care for People with Alzheimer's Disease and Related Dementia: More than Body, Brain and Breath (2003), by Eileen Shamy, published by Jessica Kingsley, cost £19.99, ISBN 978-1-84310-129-1.

Dementia: Pathways to Hope (2015), by Louise Morse, published by Lion Hudson, cost £7.99, ISBN 978-0-85721-655-7.

Resources for Prayer and Worship, Small Groups and One to One Work

Living Liturgies: transition time resources for services, prayer and conversation with older people (2015), by Caroline George, cost £7.99, published by The Bible Reading Fellowship, ISBN 978-0-85746-323-4.

Creative Ideas for Ministry with the Aged: Liturgies, Prayers and Resources, with CD rom (2014), by Sue Pickering, cost £24.99, published by Canterbury Press, ISBN 978-1-84825-648-4.

Facilitating Spiritual Reminiscence for People with Dementia: A Learning Guide (2015), by Elizabeth MacKinlay and Corinne Trevitt, cost £22.99, published by Jessica Kingsley, ISBN 978-1-84905-573-4.

Strength for the Journey (2015), edited by Helen J Bate and Michelle Forster, cost £10.00, published by Pictures to Share, ISBN 978-0-95638-188-0.

Spiritual Care for People Living with Dementia Using Multisensory Interventions: A Practical Guide for Chaplains (2018), by Richard Behers, cost £14.99, published by Jessica Kingsley, ISBN 978-1-78592-811-6

Worshipping with Dementia: Meditations, Scriptures and Prayers for Sufferers and Carers (2010), edited by Louise Morse and Pilgrim Homes, published by Monarch Books, cost £9.99, ISBN 978-1-85424-931-9.

Creating Church at Home for Older People Living with Dementia (2016), by Patrick Coghlan, published by Kevin Mayhew, cost £10.99, ISBN 978-1-84867-840-8.

Prayers for Dementia and How to Live Well With It (2017), by Fay Sampson, published by Darton, Longman and Todd, cost £5.99, ISBN 978-0-232-53297-5.

Prayers for those with Dementia (2011), by Chris Coe, published by Kevin Mayhew, cost £5.99, ISBN 978-1-84867-454-7.

Petals of Prayer (2011), by Siobhan O’Keeffe, published by Kevin Mayhew, cost £9.99 (or £14.99 as DVD), ISBN 978-1-84867-329-8.

Websites

Social Care Institute for Excellence (SCIE) – scie.org.uk

Alzheimer’s Society – alzheimers.org.uk

The Dementia Guide: Living Well After Diagnosis
Factsheets and booklets on many aspects of dementia
Dementia Talking Point – online community

Alzheimer’s Research UK – alzheimersresearchuk.org

Quick guides to dementia in 9 languages
Types of Dementia – guides to 8 forms of dementia
The Brain Tour – interactive guide to how the brain works

Dementia UK - dementiauk.org

Information leaflets on many aspects of caring for a person with dementia
Advice videos with Admiral Nurses, e.g. in understanding changes in behaviour

Anna Chaplaincy at The Bible Reading Fellowship - annachaplaincy.org.uk

- Regular blog and reviews of resources for ministry with older people
- Messy Vintage downloadable resources

Livability – livability.org.uk

- ‘Dementia Friendly Church: A Practical Guide’
- ‘My Faith Matters: A Resource to Support the Spiritual Journey of People with Dementia’

Gloriousopportunity.org – Dr Jennifer Bute’s website on her experience of living with dementia, with guidance on caring for those with dementia from a Christian perspective.

parche.org.uk – resources to purchase based on 20 years of work in Eastbourne care homes