



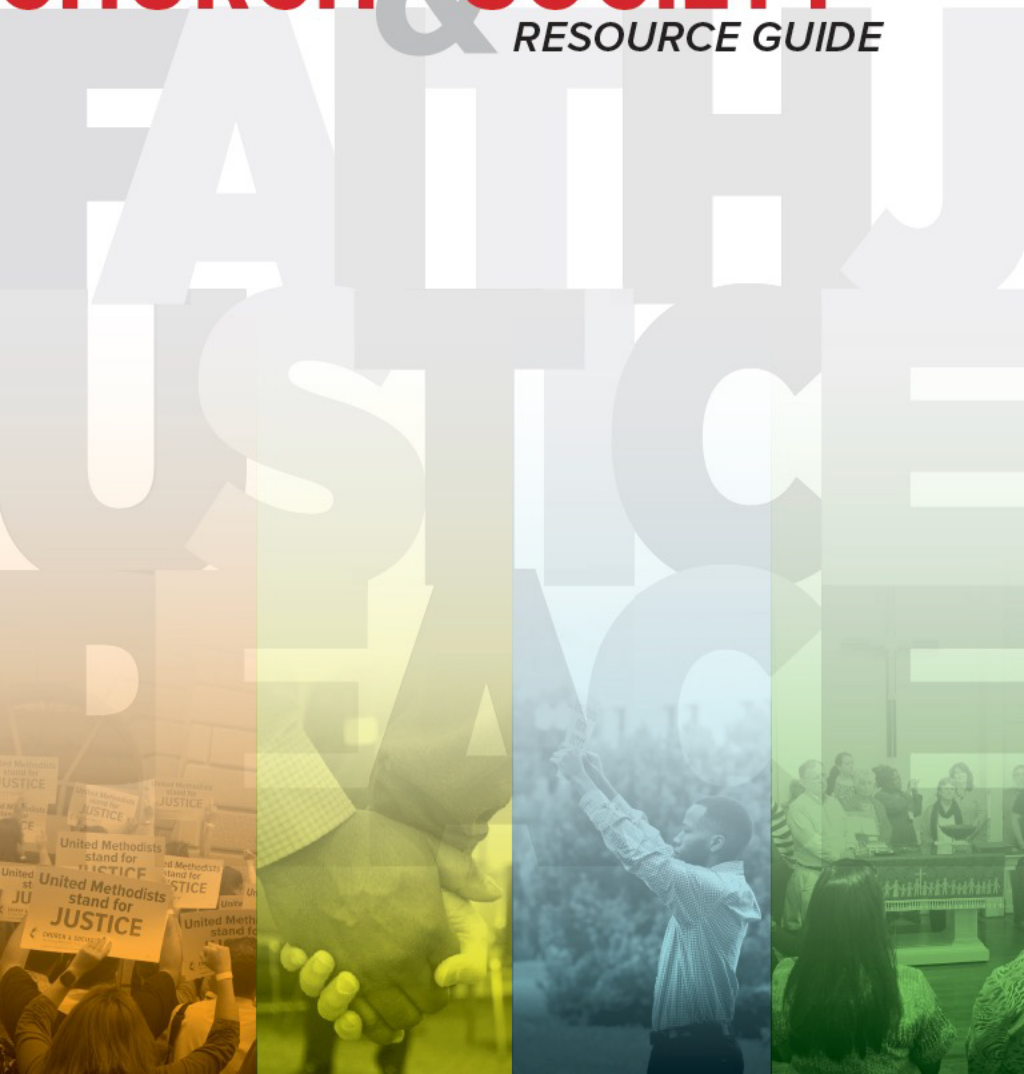
**CHURCH & SOCIETY**

The United Methodist Church

Living **FAITH** Seeking **JUSTICE** Pursuing **PEACE**

# CHURCH & SOCIETY

## RESOURCE GUIDE



*LIVING*  
**FAITH.**  
*SEEKING*  
**JUSTICE.**  
*PURSUING*  
**PEACE.**

## **WHO WE ARE:**

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**The General Board of Church and Society** is one of four international general program boards of the United Methodist Church (UMC). The board is called to seek the implementation of the Social Principles and other policy statements of the UMC General Conference on Christian social concerns (2016 Book of Discipline, ¶ 1001). Led by the General Secretary, the Rev. Dr. Susan Henry-Crowe, Church and Society works to fulfill the mandate of:

Relating the gospel of Jesus Christ to the Church, communities, and the world in which they live.

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Bringing the whole of human life into conformity with the will of God.

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Showing that reconciliation involves personal, social, and civic righteousness.

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Providing educational resources, sustaining relational connections and mobilizing networks to engage in social advocacy and action.

## **WHAT WE DO:**

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### **ADVOCATING**



Learn about our  
Advocacy work



Learn about our  
Ministry at the  
United Nations



Connect with  
Decision Makers

### **EDUCATING**



Learn about our  
Seminars & Trainings



Learn about  
our Internships

### **ORGANIZING**



Learn about  
Faith-Based Organizing

### **WITNESSING**



100 years of witnessing  
for peace and justice from  
Capitol Hill

## CHURCH & SOCIETY RESOURCES:

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### Faith and Facts Cards

Two-sided cards that offer concise information on various social justice issues. Each card contains four areas: What does the Bible Say? What does the United Methodist Church Say? What do the facts say? What do you say?



### Connecting Faith and Justice: Youth Lectionary Curriculum

Following lectionary years, A, B, and C, the curriculum is designed to help students actively engage in the intersection of faith and justice.



### The Revised Social Principles

Review the proposed document, revised by thousands of United Methodists from across the world, that will be voted on during the upcoming General Conference.



### Living Our Principles

A six-part video series highlighting how United Methodists are living out the Social Principles around the world.

## OUR STORE



### Church & Society Store

Purchase hard copies of resources, "United Methodists Stand for Justice" T-Shirts, and more.



### **Creating Change Together: A Civic Engagement Toolkit**

Within these pages, you will find the biblical and United Methodist grounding for civic engagement as well as strategies and tactics that you can do as an individual or group to pursue the common good.



### **Annual and Central Conference Connections**

Are you part of your conference board of Church and Society or a Peace with Justice Coordinator?  
Connect with us!



### **Kingdom Dreams, Violent Realities**

A three-week bible study on gun violence from Micah 4: 1-4.



### **Sacred Worth Book Database**

A searchable database to discover books that teach all children that they are created in the image of God.

**TO DONATE**



### **Donate to Church & Society**

Help support our mission of living faith, seeking justice, and pursuing peace.



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