



BOOKS recommended at Love your Churchyard Workshops

The Churchyards Handbook by Thomas Cocke, Church House Publications
<https://www.chpublishing.co.uk/>

Ideas for taking worship outdoors:

- 'Outdoor Church: 20 Sessions to Take Church Outside the Building for Children and Families' by Sally Welch ([BRF](#))
- 'Creative Ideas for Wild Church: Taking All-Age Worship & Learning Outdoors' by Mary Jackson & Juno Hollyhock ([Canterbury Press](#))
- 'Outdoor Worship: Engage With God in His Creation' by Sam & Sara Hargreaves ([engageworship.org](#))
- 'Forest Church: A Field Guide to Nature Connection' by Bruce Stanley ([Mystic Christ Press](#))

Prayers/reflections for outdoor worship:

- 'A Heart for Creation' *Worship resources and reflections on the environment* by Christine Polhill, Wild Goose Publications (<http://www.ionabooks.com/>)
- 'Nature Spirituality: Praying With Wind, Water Earth, Fire' by Mark G Boyer ([Resource Publications](#))
- 'Earth Gospel: A Guide to Prayer for God's Creation' by Sam Hamilton-Poore ([Upper Room Books](#))
- 'The Lives Around Us: Daily Meditations for Nature Connection' by Dan Papworth ([Christian Alternative Books](#))

Books of research/writing about outdoor worship

- 'Earthed: Christian Perspectives on Nature Connection' edited by Bruce Stanley & Steve Hollinghurst ([Mystic Christ Press](#))
- 'The Nature of God's Acre' by Miles King & Mark Betson ([nhbs.com](#))
- 'Planetwise: Dare to Care for God's World' by Dave Bookless ([IVP](#))