

Rural Ministries Colloquium Resource List

Websites & Organizations

- International Rural Churches Association
- The Turner Center for Rural Ministries
- Arthur Rank Centre: Confident Rural Christians (Church of England)

Books

- <u>Big Lessons from Little Places: Faithfulness and the Future in Small Congregations</u> by Kay Collier McLaughlin
- Reclaiming Rural: Building Thriving Rural Congregations by Allan T. Stanton
- <u>Transforming Church in Rural America</u> by Shannon O'Dell
- <u>Places of Promise: Finding Strength In Your Congregation's Location</u> by Cynthia Woolever and Deborah Bruce
- <u>Small Town America: Finding Community, Shaping the Future</u> by Robert Wuthnow

Conferences/Courses

- <u>Rural Ministry Conference</u> sponsored by University of Dubuque Theological Seminary and Wartburg Theological Seminary
- <u>Rural Ministry Course</u> (Church of England)

Articles/Guides

- Community Action Guide for Thriving Rural Communities by Duke Divinity School
- Smarter Rural Ministry by Marty Giese in Christianity Today
- <u>I'm a Rural Pastor: What Now?</u> By Brian Wechsler in *Christianity Today*
- <u>The Anatomy of a Rural Church: 10 Lessons from Prayer Walks</u> by S. Roy Kauffman in *The Mennonite*
- Rural Church Buildings Guide

Video/Audio

- Rural Ministries UK Online Presentations
- <u>Planting Churches in Small Places</u>, podcast episode from Small Town Summits
- Germinate Conference Recordings (Church of England)