

Vital Signs

A newsletter to encourage present and emerging leaders for ministry among nurses

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Resources are ready for National Nurses Week May 6-12



Whether planning an event or inviting your church to join you in prayer for nurses, NCF has <u>resources online</u> with ideas for planning and promoting an event, a downloadable Bible study that goes along with the national theme, a bulletin insert for your church to use and a prayer guide.

JCN Q & A



Have you used the *Journal of Christian Nursing* for topical discussions in your group?

Now it is easier to find the Going Deeper Questions that correspond with many of the articles each quarter. They are located in the *Resources* section of the hard copy and online versions of the journal, and you can print off Going Deeper for every *JCN* under *JCNOnline Extra*.

You can also find articles on topics of interest by using the <u>online search feature</u> or look under the <u>Collections</u> tab for articles on Everyday Ethics, Spirituality and Spiritual Care, Christian Nursing 101 and a variety of other applicable topics.

Wonder how you and the nurses in your group can have free access to all of these articles and get a discount on CE?

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Poster Presentation Pointers

Need to prepare a poster presentation for National Nurses Week or for another professional reason? Find <u>tips on how to design an effective poster</u> using these ideas from Nurse.com.