

Submissions

Submissions for the Journal of Missional Practice

Our question: How do we participate with God at work before us in our neighbourhoods and communities?

Submission instructions

Journal issues are themed and keynotes are commissioned to drive the conversation.

Practitioners- Stories

- Share your story about a missional practice, carefully describing your context and situation.
- If you add a reflection to this, let that be about how to cultivate a particular practice or practices. Avoid providing answers, solutions and programme suggestions. Remember we are God's people, a relational community seeking to faithfully participate in God's mission.

Practitioner Theologians- Articles

- Begin as a practitioner, with your (someone's) story about missional practice.
- Move on to draw out insights using various biblical, theological and theoretical perspectives. Connect with the larger narratives of how God is at work, in scripture and in the world- God's mission.
- Offer possible ideas for further experiments by others around these practices- seeking practices which open up space for imagination and engagement.
- Point to further information and resources (books, articles, websites, blog posts, podcasts etc) that relate to these practices and perspectives.

Rapid Response

- Draw insights from another's story- using the approaches described above.
- Or develop and critique theoretical reflections applied in article and keynote.

Reviews

- Provide reviews (books, films, events and other media) which suggest new possibilities for missional practice in the neighbourhood. Avoid précis and set the work in the context of the wider conversation.

Editorial Process

Journal issues are themed- look ahead and respond to planned themes.

We use a blind peer review process for articles (volunteer reviewers welcome- please contact

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Submission Instructions

Please follow our **style guide**:

Word counts:

Keynotes	4000 words
Articles	4000 words
Stories	1000-3000 words
Rapid response	Up to 1000 words
Reviews	Up to 800 words

Please include...

If your article is accepted we will also need:

- A portrait jpg file
- A brief authors biography
- And with keynotes and articles we need abstracts- less that 200 words in italics at the beginning of the piece.