

Joining Jesus as a Family: How to Raise Your Children to be Followers of Jesus By Greg Finke and Susan Finke

There is no shortage of books that focus on helping you grow as a disciple, but not nearly as many books on how to raise your children to be disciples. Greg and Susan Finke have done the church a big service in making their insights available in this book.

If the author's name sounds familiar, it is because this is the same Greg Finke who put on a personal witnessing workshop last year: *Joining Jesus on His Mission*. What Greg and Susan have done with this book is taken the material from his first two books and placed it in the context of raising your family. The focus then is not merely how I can join Jesus on His mission, but how to raise children to join Jesus as well.

Our St. John's Leadership team read this book together, discussing also how some of the insights from this book translate into the school setting, as the Christian school seeks to support parents in raising their children to be disciples.

Although this book is targeted primarily at families with children at home (and grandparents who are involved in their grandchildren's lives), others would benefit from this book as well. If nothing else, it will serve to remind and reinforce the call to join Jesus on His mission each day.