

Singing the Faith – Electronic Words Edition

The electronic words edition is a software package which provides access to the hymn and song words in *Singing the Faith*.

Browser

At the core of the software is a low-resolution image of each double-page spread of the music edition. You can navigate the pages by clicking forward or backwards at will.

Search facility

The software package also includes a search facility which enables you to locate a hymn or song by page or hymn/song number. (These correspond to the pages and hymn/song numbers in the book.) Alternatively there is a set of indexes.

Export function

Once you have found your chosen hymn or song, you can export the words for which copyright permission has been given.

The words can be exported either as a single file per item, in Microsoft Word™ document format, or in PDF, Rich Text and plain text. They can also be copied via the clipboard in Rich Text or plain text. Users may find it convenient to paste the Rich Text versions into presentation software such as PowerPoint™ or the plain text versions into service compilation programs such as Easy Worship™.

Copyright

Purchase of this electronic words edition does not guarantee access to all of the hymn and song texts.

Access to the hymn or song words on each page is individually controlled according to the wish of the respective copyright holders.

Some copyright holders require that users have a valid CCLI licence before access is granted. There is provision for entering a licence number when activating the software, or one can be added at a later date.

Where the copyright holder does not participate in CCLI, there is no implied licence for export or use of any of the material. Consequently, permission must be sought in each instance from the appropriate copyright administrator.

Technical specification

The main installation package is downloadable from a website. When you order the electronic words you will be sent a Program Key which is needed to activate the software. The software can be installed and activated for use on a single PC at any one time only by the purchase of the Program Key.

The software is compatible with all versions of Windows from Windows 2000 to Windows7, including XP and Vista. There is no version for Macintosh. If you install on Windows 2000 or later you need Administrator privileges to run the program successfully.

The program requires around 15Mb of space on your hard drive, as well as an equivalent amount of temporary space during installation.

The Browser requires adequate screen display resolution to appear at its best. The minimum resolution is 800 x 600 pixels, but it will look best at higher resolutions, and has been optimised for 1024 x 768 and 1280 x 1024 pixels. If your system is running at a resolution less than 800 x 600 then this program will not run.

An alternative method of activation, updating (eg adding a CCLI licence) or upgrading are provided via the website if the user's machine is not connected to the Internet, in which case this is done via another computer, and the downloaded bespoke file taken to the registered computer on a removable device, such as a USB stick.

At any time the software can be uninstalled and unregistered, and then reinstalled on another machine of the user's choice