

Speak for Communities most Impacted by Climate Injustice

We believe our response to global climate change should be a sign of our respect for God's creation. The urgency grows and we are called to make visible peace with Earth and on Earth, at the same time that justice calls us to repentance and a change of attitude and actions. At its core, global climate change is not about economic theory or political platforms, nor about partisan advantage or interest group pressures. It is about the future of God's creation and the one human family. It is about protecting both "the human environment" and the natural environment. It is about our human stewardship of God's creation and our responsibility to those who come after us. With these reflections, we seek to offer a plea for genuine dialogue as every nation, and each of us, faces decisions about how best to respond to the challenges of global climate change.

Let us Pray:

Ever loving God, You observe all you have created: now open our eyes to the beauty of creation, and provide us with wonder and awe, we pray.

May our God open our eyes to the glory of God shining forth in all creation, we pray.

God, our Creator, strengthen cooperation and collaboration among elected officials in addressing climate change and the root causes of poverty, we pray.

Jesus, the good shepherd, inspire farmers, gardeners and all who work the land, to preserve our forests and protect our waters, we pray.

Holy Spirit advance education in climate change and environmental sustainability for all of us, we pray.

