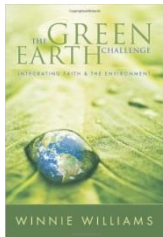
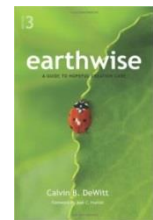
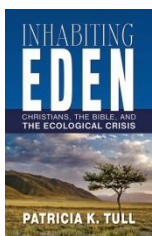
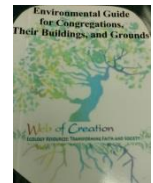


Earthwise: A Guide to Hopeful Creation Care by Calvin B. DeWitt is a book that should work well for an adult Bible School program or other study program. It includes seven chapters with discussion questions which range from *Provisions for Creation, Degradations of Creation, Biblical Perspective, Theological Perspective* Putting Creation Care into Practice, and others. It even includes a short course on Environmental Science.



The Green Earth Challenge: Integrating Faith & the Environment by Winnie Williams the cover's description says it well: "Part travelogue, part hymn of praise, and part environmental primer, *The Green Earth Challenge* will change the way you view the planet, your faith, and your role of as steward of God's creation." It includes seven chapters with discussion questions, so if you are planning this for a typical Bible School week, you will need to either cut out or condense a couple of the chapters.

If you are looking for a "Green" week for your adults, then you might choose ***Environmental Guide for Congregations, Their Buildings, and Grounds*** by Web of Creation. There are eleven environmental focuses for your adults to make your congregation "greener." This workbook examines the theological reasons to make your congregation more environmentally friendly.



You may have read ***Inhabiting Eden: Christians, The Bible, and the Ecological Crisis*** by Patricia K. Tull. This wonderful resource has now become a thought-provoking adult study with the addition of a Leaders Guide and a participant Workbook. In the Workbook, Tull challenges participants to think deeper on the subject and to reflect on their own life and community. Using Biblical Scripture as a key for environmental understanding, the author leads us into understanding what God has created and how we might best care for God's Creation.

For whole-church involvement, the Resource Center has a six-week study for kids and adults by Rebekah Simon-Peter called ***Green Church***. Session headings are: Repent, Reclaim, Reduce, Reuse, Recycle, and Rejoice.



No matter what you are teaching, a good resource to keep on hand to add to discussion or activity time is ***50 Ways to Help Save the Earth: How You and Your Church Can Make a Difference*** by Rebecca Barnes-Davies. Just like the version for kids, here is a book chock-full of ideas and fun things you can do while supporting good stewardship.

If you are thinking about good stewardship of God's Creation, the Presbytery of West Virginia's Resource Center is a good place to start studying. We have more resources than what is covered here. Come in and I'll help you find what you are looking for or give me a call at 304-744-7634 or email me at resourcecenter@wvpresbytery.org.