

No Planet B...

Acting out Faith in the World



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Saturday 29th June 2019 10am - 4pm

Priory Rooms, Bull Street, Birmingham, B4 6AF

An ecumenical environmental conference

- Connecting us with the World
- Practical action we can take together as Churches
- What we can do as Individuals in our Communities

Register at: centralenglandquakers.org.uk/noplanetb

Hosted by Central England Quakers, organised by:



The **Methodist** Church



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**United
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Programme

9:30 Registration

10:00 Welcome & Opening Worship

10:15 Connecting with the World

Speakers from Christian Aid and CAFOD will provide a powerful start by connecting the conference with the ways in which climate change is already affecting the lives of people living in the global south.

11:15 Introducing our Vegan Theme & Coffee Break

11:50 Practical Action we can Take

A series of workshops exploring different forms of action we can take - as individuals and in our faith communities (see opposite).

1:00 Vegan Lunch

2:00 Inspiring Personal Stories

A series of 5-minute personal stories and reflections to inspire us for the afternoon.

2:30 Practical Action we can Take

A chance to choose a different workshop.

3:30 Closing Worship & Final Reflections

4:00 Departures

Workshops

Most Practical Action workshops are offered twice so that you can choose two.

Join the A Rocha Eco Church & Catholic Live Simply schemes

Four churches will share their experiences followed by discussion. Also a unique opportunity to compare the two schemes.

What I can do to reimagine, revive and renew Our Common Home?

We need to work together to go further, faster to end climate change. Come and find out more about CAFOD's Our Common Home campaign.

How can I join local campaigns for fossil fuel divestment?

Learn about actions you could take from sharing climate posts on social media to encouraging your church to divest with Ed Porteous from DivestWMPF.

How can I join the Big Shift out of fossil fuels?

Learn about this campaign on fossil fuels and climate justice with Sarah Rowe from Christian Aid.

How can I tell my story?

Learn about communicating your climate message with Jess Hall from Christian Aid.

Making our money speak truth to power

Learn about how our financial choices can say 'Climate Justice Now!' with Colin Darling from EMC.

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An ecumenical day for all those concerned that there is no planet B, and interested in how we can act out faith to protect the world we already have.

Vegan lunch provided!

All welcome, whether you are beginning your environmental faith journey; are committed and would love to inspire/ motivate/ involve your community; or are already part of an active congregation.

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More info:

lowcarbon@centralenglandquakers.org.uk

Please bring a donation on the day if you are able. If we receive an average of £15 per person this will help cover your food, refreshments and speaker expenses – any donation you can afford is gratefully received.

Organised by a planning group of regional environment representatives from Anglican, Baptist, Catholic, Methodist, Quaker and URC churches, plus CAFOD and Christian Aid.