

Greening Congregation Statement of Intent



Our congregation, _____, recognizes the need to promote awareness of and care for God's creation. In responding to this call we, the leaders of this congregation, affirm the partnership between our faith community and Earth Ministry through the Greening Congregations process.

As part of our covenant with the Creator, we accept our responsibility to care for the earth and will do so through the following commitments:

- ✓ **Worship** in ways that inspire appreciation for God's glory through all creation
- ✓ Involve adults and children in **education** opportunities that explore connections between faith and caring for God's good Earth
- ✓ Encourage members of the congregation to live a lifestyle of environmental **stewardship** at work and at home
- ✓ Incorporate sustainable, earth-friendly practices into our congregation's **building and grounds**
- ✓ Serve as Earth keepers by giving a voice to the voiceless through **community outreach & faithful advocacy**

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City

State

Zip Code

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Church Leader/Governing Body Signature

Date

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