



Care for Creation
GREEN TEAM
 CATHEDRAL OF SAINT MATTHEW THE APOSTLE



The Burning Bush
 Ex 3:1-12

Listen to the
Voice of creation
 SEASON OF CREATION 2022

Season of Creation 2022 Program

The **burning bush** is the Symbol for the Season of Creation 2022. Today, the prevalence of unnatural fires is a sign of the devastating effects that climate change has on the most vulnerable of our planet. Creation cries out as forests crackle, animals flee, and people are forced to migrate due to the fires of injustice.

On the contrary, the fire that called to Moses as he tended the flock on Mt. Horeb did not consume or destroy the bush. This flame of the Spirit revealed God's presence. This holy fire affirmed that God heard the cries of all who suffered and promised to be with us as we followed in faith to our deliverance from injustice. **In this Season of Creation, this symbol of God's Spirit calls us to listen to the voice of creation.** We'll touch all [Seven Laudato Si' Goals](#).

Date	The 7 Laudato Si' Goals	What
Thu, Sept. 1	6 Ecological Spirituality	Opening Event for the Season of Creation 2022
Fri, Sept. 9	7 Community Resilience and Empowerment	Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 1 - Houston, Texas, 2022
Wed. Sept. 14	7 Community Resilience and Empowerment	Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 2 - New Orleans, 2022
Thu, Sept.15	3 Ecological Economics	How will Dr. Tony Annett's CATHONOMICS transform the way Economics is taught (w/ Guest Speaker)
Sat, Sept. 17	1 Response to the Cry of the Earth	Wetland Restoration on Kingman Island w/ AWS. Register here – ZOOM option here
Wed, Sept. 21	7 Community Resilience and Empowerment	Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 3 – West Virginia, 2022
Sat, Sept. 24	5 Ecological Education 6 Ecological Spirituality	Woodland Tree Discovery Walk with <i>Laudato si'</i> Stations Register here - ZOOM option here
Sun, Sept 25	2 Response to the Cry of the Poor	Bishop Mario Dorsonville celebrates Mass to Commemorate the 108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees at the Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle, Washington, D.C. For those you can't attend in person, we'll celebrate here .
Wed, Sept 28	4 Adoption of Sustainable Lifestyle	Sustainable Living: Tips for a more Sustainable Lifestyle
Tue, Oct. 4	6 Ecological Spirituality 1 Response to the Cry of the Earth 2 Response to the Cry of the Poor	Celebrating the Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

1 September, 8:30 A.M.-10:30 A.M. World Day of Prayer

Attending together the Vatican's **Opening Event** for the **Season of Creation 2022**

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81183038431>

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9 September, 12:00 P.M. (Noon) – 1:00 P.M.

Season of Creation Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 1 - Houston, Texas, 2022; Film Screening & Discussion

As we follow the toxic trail of the petrochemical industry, we hear from some of the bravest advocates who currently reside in Houston, Texas that are being exposed to these petrochemical toxins putting them at risk of losing their lives all for the monetary greed and profit of the oil, gas, coal, and petrochemical industries. "Big Oil's Last Lifeline" is a three-part documentary series sounding the alarm on the petrochemical industry's impact on Black, Brown, and Indigenous communities. There are environmental and climate injustices happening all over the planet, but particularly along the Gulf Coast of the Mississippi River and the Ohio River Valley. These injustices have strategically targeted low-income communities where the majority of black and brown U.S. citizens call home.

In this context remarkable: Dr. Friederike Otto: "In 2017, hurricane Harvey brought devastating rains & the reality of climate change to Houston & showed me that silence in the face of such events is really not an option anymore for scientists. I wrote my science story of Harvey in ANGRY WEATHER. Heat waves, Floods, Storms, and The New Science of Climate Change. Greystone Books: 2020."

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14 September, 12:00 P.M. (Noon) – 1:00 P.M.

Season of Creation Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 2 - New Orleans, 2022; Film Screening & Discussion

As we follow the toxic trail of the petrochemical industry, we hear from some of the bravest advocates who currently reside in New Orleans, Louisiana and the Cancer Alley that are being exposed to these petrochemical toxins putting them at risk of losing their lives all for the monetary greed and profit of the oil, gas, coal, and petrochemical industries.

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15 September, 6:00 P.M. – 7:00 P.M.

Creation Care **GREEN** Team of the Cathedral of St. Matthew The Apostle, Washington D.C., U.S.A., Monthly Meeting: *How will Dr. Tony Annett's CATHONOMICS transform the way Economics is taught?* (w/ Guest Speaker)

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86181574570>

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17 September, 9:00 A.M. - 11:00 A.M.

Wetland Restoration on [Kingman Island](#) with the Anacostia Watershed Society

Register [here](#) for in person action!

Livestream participation in our restoration actions: *Restoring native grasses and trash clean-up with AWS.*

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85732487605>

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21 September, 12:00 P.M. (Noon) – 1:00 P.M.

Season of Creation Film Luncheon – Big Oil's Last Lifeline: Part 3 - West Virginia, 2022; Film Screening & Discussion

As we follow the toxic trail of the petrochemical industry, we hear from some of the bravest advocates who currently reside in New Orleans, Louisiana and the Cancer Alley that are being exposed to these petrochemical toxins putting them at risk of losing their lives all for the monetary greed and profit of the oil, gas, coal, and petrochemical industries. The fossil fuel industry is dying out as we transition to clean energy and electric vehicles. But in order to hold on to dear life they are trying to make a big pivot to plastics as their new big business. Petrochemicals are the building blocks for plastics, pesticides, clothing, digital devices, and other common products. They are made from oil and natural gas, and contaminate air, water and soil. Emissions from petrochemical production account for 10 to 15 percent of the U.S.'s climate pollution.

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24 September, 10:00 A.M. - 12:00 P.M.

Woodland Tree **Discovery Walk** with *Laudato si'* Stations with live broadcasting

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88260324124>

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25 September, 11:00 A.M. Bishop Mario Dorsonville celebrates Mass to Commemorate the 108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees at the Cathedral of St. Matthew the Apostle, Washington, D.C.

Building the Future with Migrants and Refugees

For those who can't attend in person, let us participate together!

Read the Message of his Holiness Pope Francis for the 108th World Day of Migrants and Refugees: [English](#) | [Spanish](#)

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85473179064>

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28 September, NOON – 1:00 P.M. **Sustainable Living: Tips for a more Sustainable Lifestyle**

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82473157133>

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4 October, 12:00 P.M. (Noon) – 1:00 P.M. **Celebrating the Feast of St. Francis**

ZOOM: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83074068025>

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