



## Be Part of this Ministry

Presbyterians for Earth Care invites individuals and congregations to participate in the growing earth care movement within PC(USA). Members receive regular updates, earth care resources, connection to a Regional Representative, and a vote and voice within PEC. Make a donation and become a part of this earth-caring ministry by scanning the QR code.



*For the creation waits in eager expectation for the children of God to be revealed. –Romans 8:19*

## What Our Members are Saying about PEC

*As the chair of my church's Earth Stewards Committee, I would be lost without you! I am thankful for your good work! –Ruth*

*At PEC, every day is Earth Day. When people of faith love the Creator, they love all of creation every day. PEC puts that love into action. –Scharmell*

*I love that PEC works to inform and empower people to make real changes, in all sorts of ways, depending on our own capacities, interests, and sense of call. –Susan*

## What Our Members are Saying about PEC Conferences

*I will say here that I was astonished, as a first-time participant, in the depth and complexity of issues addressed at the conference. The serious nature of the content was deeply moving, and appropriate for people engaged in faith-based consciousness raising.*

*This lived up to potential to be a Christ-centered experience in which we see Earth Care as part of our commission as Christians and Presbyterians.*

*I loved every minute and every place. Most moving conference in a long time.*



AN ECO-JUSTICE NETWORK

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*The earth is the Lord's, and everything in it, the world, and all who live in it.*

–Psalm 24:1

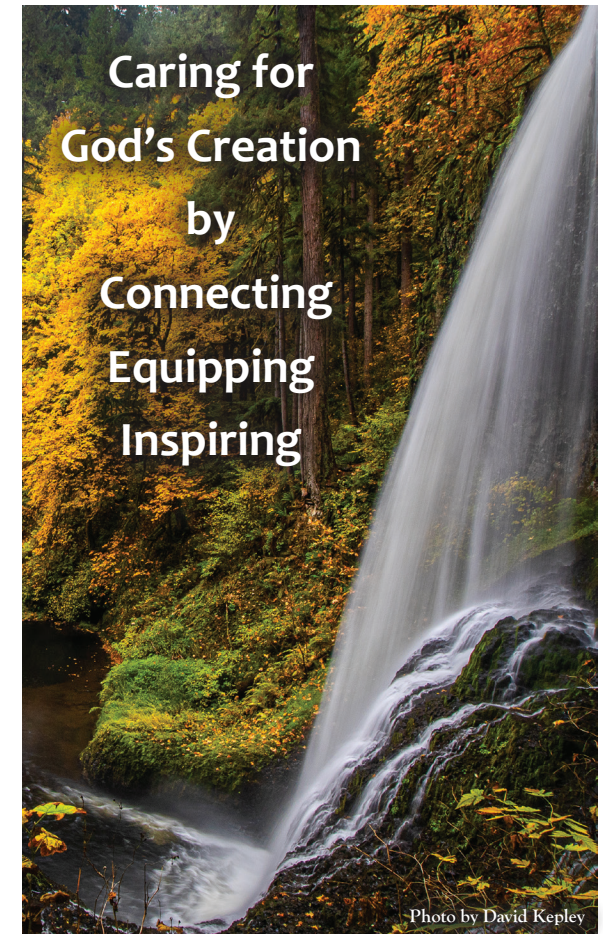


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God's Creation  
by  
Connecting  
Equipping  
Inspiring**

*"Servants of Christ and stewards of God's mysteries."*

1 Corinthians 4:1b

## Reaching Out to All Presbyterians

Presbyterians for Earth Care (PEC) is a national eco-justice network that cares for God's creation by connecting, equipping, and inspiring PC(USA) Presbyterians to make creation care a central concern of the church.

Founded in 1995 to help the denomination educate and energize church members to address environmental concerns, it works in partnership with PC(USA)'s **Presbyterian Hunger Program** and the **Office of Public Witness** to promote eco-justice with a biblical and theological base.

PEC is governed by a volunteer Steering Committee including six Regional Representatives. A paid part-time coordinator serves the committee and the membership. Active volunteer committees are essential to PEC's work, and members are welcome to participate in the Program, Advocacy, Communications, and Organizational Development Committees.



## Caring for God's Creation by...

**Connecting** through a grassroots network that gives voice to the faith dimension of earth care, takes action, and advocates in the church and in the public square.

**Equipping** through webinars and a website for sharing resources about greening churches, worship, training, ideas and information for earth care ministry.

**Inspiring** through conferences, earth care stories of congregations and individuals, and sharing theological perspectives on eco-justice issues.

## How We Network

- Provide opportunities for members to interact at national and regional conferences on timely eco-justice issues.
- Partner with PC(USA) **Sustainable Living & Earth Care Concerns** to promote Earth Care Congregations.
- Partner with the **Presbyterian Camp and Conference Center Association** to help young adults explore their

faith and environmental stewardship through the Eco-Stewards program.

- Prepare and promote earth care overtures through presbyteries for consideration at General Assembly.
- Provide models of earth care ministry by honoring individuals, congregations, and institutions with annual awards.
- Offer opportunities to share earth care thoughts and accomplishments through social media.
- Connect members to fresh ideas with news, success stories, and reflections through a quarterly e-newsletter (EARTH) and Advent and Lenten devotionals.

*I now establish my covenant with you and with your descendants after you and with every living creature that was with you—the birds, the livestock and all the wild animals, all those that came out of the ark with you—every living creature on earth. —Genesis 9:9-10*

