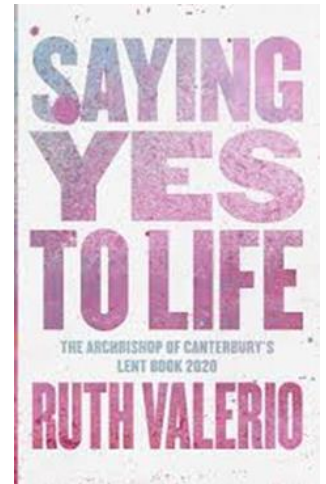


## Why not attend our 2020 **Lent Courses** – updated, 17 March

**Main Course:** Monday evenings, 7-9pm, St Cuthbert's Community Hall

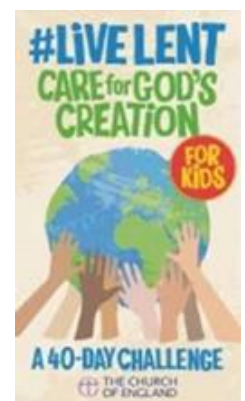
This 6-week series is based on Dr Ruth Valerio's, 'Saying Yes to Life' (this year's Archbishop of Canterbury's Lent Book). This year's Lent theme across the Church of England focusses on God as Creator and Sustainer of the world around us, and on our shared responsibility as his people to do everything we can to avert the approaching climate crisis.



Dr Ruth Valerio, Global Advocacy and Influencing Director at **Tearfund** (the international Christian relief, development & advocacy charity), is a respected theologian, environmentalist & social activist. The six sessions include discussion, video interviews between Ruth and various individuals actively engaged in climate-related science or politics, and a short time of worship & prayer. For further details and interviews:

<https://spckpublishing.co.uk/saying-yes-resources>

**Lent Lunches & short reflection:** To be used alongside this, the Church of England has produced some thought-provoking **#LiveLent** booklets with 40 daily prayers, reflections and challenges. There are two versions: for adults & for children. These can also be accessed via the **#Live Lent App** for IOS & Android.



**Please note:** Following Church of England guidance about the risks surrounding catering, the PCC has decided with regret to suspend these lunchtime gatherings, so as to prevent possible COVID-19 viral spread. *For now*, the Monday evening Lent Course *will* continue.