

ECO CHURCH

OUR JOURNEY TO NET CARBON ZERO



WORSHIP AND TEACHING

- Have an annual service where caring for God's earth is celebrated (e.g. Creation Time, Environment Sunday, Rogation Sunday etc.)
- Choose hymns and songs (and liturgies if used) that enable your church to periodically celebrate creation
- Pray regularly in church for environmental issues
- Preach, at least annually, in church about caring for God's creation
- Host guest speakers from other Christian environmental organisations to talk about environmental issues
- Have caring for creation as a theme in the church's work with young people
- Have caring for God's earth as a theme for the church's children's work
- Feature environmental issues and caring for creation as a focus of small group study within the church
- Use your social media to reach out to your community and talk about the ways in which you are caring for creation, or ways in which individuals can do things from home (e.g. newsletters, service sheets, magazines, social media etc.)
- The leadership of your church have made a formal commitment to improving the environmental credentials of our church by endorsing the undertaking of work towards an Eco Church Award.

