

Be part of the Season of Creation

Invitation to celebrate the Season of Creation:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1FZlgVt5dvh3nk5kDQ5WSDCzvQtOqQ3_1/view

Within this letter there are links to further resources

Novena

Start this Novena NOW in preparation for 1 September

<https://cathnews.com/cathnews/175-draft-14/38853-scripture-and-papal-leadership-inspire-retreat>

Season of Creation Prayer

https://drive.google.com/drive/u/0/folders/1Bu_tkrOHkvICCCbILMHVI0TFM0bd7RkV

For 1 September: World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation

<https://cafod.org.uk/News/UK-news/Celebrate-World-Day-of-Prayer>

Brisbane Archdiocese: Season of Creation Activities

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As part of our commitment to fostering awareness of the vision of Laudato Si', the Brisbane Archdiocese will be hosting a number of on-line events during the Season of Creation. These include:



***World Day of Prayer for Care of Creation,**

September 1, 2:00 – 3:00 PM

A time of prayer, dialogue and reflection with young people in Brisbane and Fiji and Archbishop Mark Coleridge and Archbishop Peter Loy Chong.

Event 1. Topic: World Day of Prayer for Care of Creation - Season of Creation launch
Registration link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_vKV3I0yqTJORYFKRyI-MJA

***Eucharist and Integral Ecology, September 11, 9:00 – 10:00 AM**

A dialogue between Archbishop Mark Coleridge and Dr Daniel Horan ofm on the

relationship between our celebration of Eucharist and our call to hear the cries of the earth and the cries of the poor.

Webinar 2. Topic: Eucharist and Integral Ecology Registration link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_d1O-Ps1TQh6XD0MKbA9YnQ

***Laudato Si' and the Maroonprint, September 14, 7:00 – 8:00 PM**

The Archdiocese of Brisbane is a member of the Queensland Community Alliance (QCA). Members of the QCA have developed a set of values and practical principles to guide decisions made by the Queensland Government in the reconstruction of our State when the pandemic ends. The Maroonprint addresses not only economic matters, but also concerns about the social and environmental resilience of Queensland in the long term. This webinar will offer an overview of the Maroonprint and look at some of the key principles contained in it. It will be a preparation for what is expected to be a large on-line assembly of members of the Archdiocese and of other member organisations with the Premier and Leader of the Opposition.

Webinar 3. Topic: Laudato Si' and the Maroonprint – QLD Community Alliance
Registration link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_GBgoZxTMTDK1wHDrTiRJbQ

***Protecting Queensland's Wildlife, Sept 23, 10.30am**

Wildlife Queensland and the Boomerang Alliance will share information on campaigns and work being done to protect wildlife in SE Queensland and to reduce plastic pollution which kills so many animals in our region. This webinar will give you ideas on what you can do to reduce plastic pollution and protect wildlife.

Webinar 4. Topic: Protecting the Platypus Registration Link:

https://us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_RGrU48QISmSxVcBgbDvvDA

***Mass of Creation, 4 October, 10:00AM, Cathedral of St Stephen**

Archbishop Mark Coleridge will celebrate a Mass of Creation at the end of the Season of Creation. Bookings can be made to attend this special Mass or you can watch it livestreamed from the Cathedral. Booking details tba.

Mercy Resources Season of Creation 2020: Jubilee with a Mercy orientation Contact sally.neaves@ismapng.org.au

The Season of Creation (1 September – 4 October) is a time to remember our place in the web of life, to be fully present to the Spirit at the heart of creation, and renew our commitment to be part of healing and restoring Earth. This year, amid crises that have shaken our world, we are awakened to the urgent need to heal our relationships with creation and each other. During this season, we enter a time of restoration and hope, a jubilee, a “time of favour” for Earth that requires radically new ways of living with creation. The Season of Creation unites the world’s 2.2 billion Christians around one shared purpose: prayer and action for our common home. Each week celebrates a particular theme: Forest, Land, Wilderness and Outback, River and Animals. The following are some ways to participate in Season of Creation 2020.

Prayer and Ritual resources, drawing on our Mercy and faith traditions, including a series of contemplative videos, designed for the themes of each week of Season of Creation 2020.

- The Mercy Hub celebrates Season of Creation: Wednesdays 10.30am AEST: A variety of guest speakers and opportunities for prayer from The Mercy Hub celebrating Season of Creation, including Adele Howard RSM, Angela Reed RSM, Denise Coughlan RSM, Angela Scarafino (Young Mercy Links, Melbourne) and Gaby Kinsman (Young Mercy Links, Adelaide) and others. More details to come. The dates for the Wednesday prayers are 2, 9, 16, 23 and 30 September.
- Weekly Friday Earth Prayer and Ritual: uniting us in prayer as Mercy in our region (for ISMAPNG, Parramatta, North Sydney, Brisbane and Aotearoa New Zealand). Zoom in each Friday for prayer at 12 noon AEST and hear a reflection from each of the leaders each week. Each session will be approx. 15 minutes.

Friday Earth Prayer Dates (all 12pm AEST):

4 September – reflection by Eveline Crotty RSM

11 September – reflection by Catherine Reuter RSM (Brisbane)

18 September – reflection by Mary Louise Petro RSM (Parramatta)

25 September – reflection by Sue France RSM (New Zealand)

2 October – reflection by Loreto Conroy RSM (North Sydney)

Catholic Earthcare

will be hosting an online convocation with the theme “Journey through the Season of Creation”. Go to <https://catholicearthcare.org.au/2020-convocation/>

Franciscan Resources Laudato Si Revolution

Their free course in English starts soon

<https://www.laudatosirevolution.org/online-courses/>