

Care for Creation Team Plan 2021

Education:

- o Workshop in late January: “Reversing Global Warming: Project Drawdown Introductory Workshop”. Presented by Nancy Kelley of the Pachamama Alliance. Co-sponsoring with the PAX Community. 2-hour Zoom workshop. – (Gloria Mog)
- o 3 Film & Discussion events – Zoom or in-person – winter, spring, fall – (Judy Christofferson)
 - “Wasted: The Story of Food Waste” - 2017
 - “Ice on Fire” – 2019 – Leonardo DiCaprio bringing visionaries and scientists together to mitigate climate change.
 - “Kiss the Ground” – 2020 – Woody Harrelson – Regenerative Agriculture
- o PBS Special on Greta Thunberg (Jeanne Clarkson)

Advocacy:

- o Partner with Faith Alliance for Climate Solutions and join their efforts for legislative advocacy locally and in the state of Virginia (Kathy Scheimer)
- o Partner with Elders Climate Action and join their efforts for national legislative change. Request that NOVA support ECA with a monthly contribution of \$100. (Gloria Mog)
- o Support local chapter of Citizens Climate Lobby in their ongoing effort to pass the Energy Innovation and Carbon Dividend Act (David Mog)

Action:

- o Expand information on NOVA website regarding plastics, soap products, natural materials and other environmentally friendly products. (Markie Harwood)
- o Compile a list of actions and purchases that NOVA members have made to encourage others and serve as a resource for information – e.g. electric cars, composting, solar panels. (Linda Rosenberg)
- o Gather information and resources for home composting (Richard Urban)
- o Publish a digital cookbook of Nova recipes for a plant-based diet. (Carolyn Miller)
- o Work to increase number of Nova members buying the renewable energy option from Dominion Energy. (David & Gloria Mog)

Prayer and Inspiration:

- o Earth Day Liturgy in April (Kathy Scheimer)
- o Season of Creation – 5 liturgies in September
- o Retreat on “Creation Spirituality” September-October (Jeanne Clarkson & Gloria Mog)