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GREEN APOSTLE NEWS SOUTHERN SYNOD

Eco Resources for Churches

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Eco Church online prayer forum
on 23 February
12 -1pm

Join Eco Church for their first prayer gathering of 2023, to reflect, share, and pray together and connect with the wider Eco Church community.

A Rocha UK's churches team will lead us in prayer, and you will be able to pray with others in the Eco Church community in breakout groups - for the work of caring for creation in our churches and for each other.

All are welcome, whether you are new to Eco Church or an old hand. [Register here.](#)

Eco-Lenten Resource

Take time to connect with our Creator and God's creation this Lenten period with Eco Churches new Lenten resource to use as a church, as a family or as an individual.

[It is available here](#)

Get Involved in Nature Counts in 2023:

Count on
Nature
Saturday 3rd
to Sunday 11th
of June 2023
[For more info](#)



The Big Butterfly Count
begins on Friday 14th
July 2023 and will run
until Sunday 6th
August. [For more info](#)



'THE BIG ONE'

**DEMONSTRATE FAITH
IN A CRITICAL MASS OF PEOPLE
TO CREATE A MOMENT
THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE TO IGNORE.**

CHRISTIAN CLIMATE ACTION, EXTINCTION REBELLION AND OTHER CLIMATE GROUPS ARE INVITING ALL WHO CARE ABOUT OUR PLANET TO BE PART OF

A PROTEST IN PARLIAMENT SQUARE, WESTMINSTER, TO CALL ON THE UK GOVERNMENT TO TAKE MORE ACTION ON ITS ENVIRONMENTAL COMMITMENTS.

**MORE INFORMATION AT
EXTINCTIONREBELLION.UK**

**CLIMATE PROTEST
WESTMINSTER, FROM 21 APRIL**

7 WAYS TO JOIN IN 'THE BIG ONE'

- COME TO LONDON FOR A DAY**
E.G. SAT 22 APRIL
BRING A POSTER/PLACARD TO HOLD
- FIND OUT IF OTHERS IN YOUR AREA ARE COMING AND TRAVEL WITH THEM**
FRIENDSOFTHEEARTH.UK/NEAR-ME/
- ORGANISE A GROUP TRIP TO LONDON FOR THE EVENT**
- OFFER YOUR CHURCH CAR PARK AS A PARK-AND-RIDE HUB FOR OTHER ATTENDEES**
- ORGANISE A SPECIAL CHURCH SERVICE OR LOCAL GATHERING IF IT'S TOO FAR TO COME TO WESTMINSTER**
- SHARE NEWS OF THE EVENT WITH OTHERS**
BIT.LY/XRSHA RINGTIPS
- LET THE ORGANISERS KNOW YOU'RE COMING**
EXTINCTIONREBELLION.UK/

**CLIMATE PROTEST
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FROM 21 APRIL**



Fairtrade Fortnight
is taking place
27 February – 12 March
2023
[More Details here](#)



Get ready for
Great Big Green
Week 2023
taking place between
10th and 18th June
[More info](#)

