

Climate Change and Climate Justice Resources

Listed below are some resources we have found helpful in learning about Climate Change and Climate Justice. Although there are many resources and organizations included here, there are many more available and more being created every day. Take some time to learn a little each day. Sign up for one of the newsletters and get current information on happenings delivered by email. Become informed yourself and talk to others and help them learn about what is happening. Together, we can make a difference.

Books

[Soil Not Oil](#) - by Vananda Shiva (North Atlantic Books/Penguin Random House Publishers 2015, 160 pages, \$14.95 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[The Story of More](#) - by Hope Jahren (Vintage/Penguin Random House Publishers 2020, 224 pages, \$16.00 paperback) (Schlow has)

[The Future We Choose](#) - by Figueres & Rivett-Carnac (Vintage/Penguin Random House Publishers 2021, 240 pages, \$16.00 paperback) (Schlow has)

[Climate Justice-Hope, Resilience, and the Fight for a Sustainable Future](#) - by Mary Robinson (Bloomsbury Publishers 2018, 176 pages, \$23.40) (not in Schlow)

[Climate Crisis and the Global Green Deal- The Political Economy of Saving the Planet](#) - by Noam Chomsky & Robert Pollin (Verso Publisher 2020, 192 pages, \$13.26 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[How to Avoid a Climate Disaster- The Solutions we Have and the Breakthroughs we Need](#) - by Bill Gates (Knoph/Penguin Random House Publishers 2021, 272 pages, \$26.95) (Schlow has)

[Merchants of Doubt](#) - by Naomi Oreskes, Erik M. Conway (Bloomsbury Publishing 2011, 368 pages, \$19.00 paperback) (Schlow has)

[Storming the Wall](#) - by Todd Miller (City Lights Books 2017, 272 pages, \$16.95 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[The End of Nature](#) - by Bill McKibben (Random House Trade Paperbacks 2006, originally published in 1989, 224 pages, \$13.49 paperback) (not in Schlow)

From the Yale Climate Connections book list

[Being the Change: Live Well and Spark a Climate Revolution](#), by Peter Kalmus (New Society Publishers 2017, 384 pages, \$21.99 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[An Inconvenient Sequel: Truth to Power: Your Action Handbook to Learn the Science, Find Your Voice, and Help Solve the Climate Crisis](#), by Al Gore (Rodale / Penguin-Random House 2017, 320 pages, \$25.99 paperback) (Schlow has)

[Cooler Smarter: Practical Steps for Low-Carbon Living](#), by The Union for Concerned Scientists (Island Press 2012, 336 pages, \$22.00 paperback) (Schlow has)

[Diet for a Hot Planet: The Climate Crisis at the End of Your Fork and What You Can Do About It](#), by Anna Lappe (Bloomsbury 2010/2014, 336 pages, \$17.00 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[The Soil Will Save Us: How Scientist, Farmers, and Foodies Are Healing the Soil to Save the Planet](#), by Kristin Ohlson (Rodale / Penguin-Random House 2014, 256 pages, \$23.99) (not in Schlow)

[The Carbon Farming Solution: A Global Toolkit of Perennial Crops and Regenerative Agriculture Practices for Climate Change Mitigation and Food Security](#), by Eric Toensmeier (Chelsea Green 2016, 512 pages, \$75.00) (not in Schlow)

[Burn: Using Fire to Cool the Earth](#), by Albert Bates and Kathleen Draper (Chelsea Green 2019, 288 pages, \$24.95) (not in Schlow)

[The Urban Fix: Resilient Cities in the War Against Climate Change, Heat Islands, and Overpopulation](#), by Douglas Kelbaugh (Routledge 2019, 308 pages, \$39.95 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[Greenovation: Urban Leadership on Climate Change](#), by Joan Fitzgerald (Oxford University Press 2020, 320 pages, \$29.95) (not in Schlow)

[Climate of Hope: How Cities, Businesses and Citizens Can Save the Planet](#), by Michael Bloomberg and Carl Pope (St. Martin's Press 2017, 272 pages, \$26.99) (Schlow has)

[Drawdown: The Most Comprehensive Plan Ever Proposed to Reverse Global Warming](#), edited by Paul Hawken (Penguin Books 2017, 256 pages, \$23.00 paperback) (Schlow has)

[The Climate Solutions Consensus: What We Know and What To Do About It](#), by National Council for Science and the Environment 2009 (336 pages, \$35.00 paperback) (not in Schlow)

[Designing Climate Solutions: A Policy Guide for Low-Carbon Energy](#), by Hal Harvey with Robbie Orvis and Jeffrey Rissman (Island Press 2018, 376 pages, \$25.00 paperback) (not in Schlow)

Films/Videos

The Wisdom to Survive - <https://www.pbs.org/video/the-wisdom-to-survive-aheqvm/>

2040 - <https://togetherfilms.org/2040-home-entertainment-us/>

About the film 2040 - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=-2q6sAZ-R8I>

TED talk - The Power of Multisolving for People and Climate - Elizabeth Sawin <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=prF8trTallQ>

The Work of Quaker Earthcare- QuakerSpeak- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5GBZUEeX1M0>

Why Climate Change is an Issue of Faith: Quakers Lobby Congress- QuakerSpeak- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e1ISWAAveSo>

How do Quaker Approach Sustainability Work- QuakerSpeak- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=yUK3ZkYtOpg>

What Quakerism Teachers about Connecting to Nature- QuakerSpeak- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=s4dhJRVxhN0>

"Pollution is Segregated" Says the Father of Environmental Justice | Amanpour and Company- Rober Bullard- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gU-D3YkOe-w> .

Climate Justice Can't Happen Without Racial Justice –TED talk by David Lammy- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EklpeO1r0NI>

Climate Justice and Human Rights Violations- I'm Just the Messenger- <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=z4Q4Ge3Q0k8>

Educational presentations/Activities

En- Roads: <https://en-roads.climateinteractive.org/scenario.html?v=2.7.39> & En-Roads Student Assignment

Climate Change Theatre Action: <http://www.climatechangetheatreaction.com/>

Penn State's Sustainability Institute: <https://sustainability.psu.edu/> - Newsletter with news on Penn State activities around sustainability, and a calendar of events and educational opportunities through Penn State. Often has info on speakers and webinars about climate topics.

Climate Justice/Action Organizations

*Starred organizations often provide Take Action links that provide quick ways to communicate with your legislators on current legislation

Earth Centered

- ★ **Bioneers**: <https://bioneers.org/>: Restorative Food Systems, Biomimicry, Rights of Nature, Indigeneity, Women's Leadership and Youth Leadership. Many interesting and provocative articles on a variety of environmental and climate change topics.

Faith Based

- ★ **EarthBeat**: <https://www.ncronline.org/earthbeat>: Stories of climate, action and faith. Weekly newsletter from the National Catholic Reporter. Excellent source for up-to date information and links to many news sources on national and international climate news. Often offers inspiring stories about climate action and projects from around the world. Some information is targeted for Catholics.
- ★ **Pennsylvania Interfaith Power and Light**: <https://paipl.us/> - Communities of faith responding to climate change. Newsletter and website provides information about events in PA as well as News, Analysis, and Actions for PA. Interfaith Power and Light is also a national organization.

- ★ **Quaker Earth Care Witness**: <https://quakerearthcare.org/> - Works to inspire Spirit-led action toward ecological sustainability and environmental justice. Quarterly newsletter, Befriending Creation, provides general information about environmental issues and events from a Quaker, and sometimes spiritual perspective.
- ★ **United Church of Christ**: <https://www.ucc.org/what-we-do/justice-local-church-ministries/justice/faithful-action-ministries/environmental-justice/> - UCC environmental justice blog, The Pollinator. General information on climate justice and environmental justice, mainly from a UCC perspective.
- ★ **UU Ministry of Earth**: <https://www.uumfe.org/> - Climate change action, organizing and education for members of the Unitarian Universalist church.
- ★ **GreenFaith**: <https://greenfaith.org/faiths4climatejustice/> - Because the Earth and all people are sacred and at risk, GreenFaith is building a worldwide, multi-faith climate and environmental movement; works internationally. Website with information about their international work.
- ★ **Earth Quaker Action Team**: <https://www.eqat.org/> - Earth Quaker Action Team is a grassroots, nonviolent action group including Quakers and people of diverse beliefs. They work on specific projects. Their website includes a newsroom and a blog and you can sign up for email alerts.
- ★ **Green the Church**: <https://www.greenthechurch.org/> - Website with articles and information. Green The Church is a sustainability initiative designed to tap into the power and purpose of the Black Church Community and expand the role of churches as centers for environmental and economic resilience. As The Environmental Organization of the Black Church, we strive to teach faith communities, environmental organizations, and individual practitioners how to work in concert in order to “Green” The Black Church.

General Information

- ★ ***Climate Action Network (CAN)**: <https://climatenetwork.org/> - A global network organizing in over 130 countries fighting the climate crisis and working toward

social and racial justice. Monthly newsletter provides information about their activities and action alerts._

- ★ ***Climate Reality Project***: <https://www.climateRealityproject.org/> - Started by Al Gore. General information. Mission is to organize people to fight climate change._
- ★ ***Queer Ecojustice***: <https://www.queerecoproject.org> - Climate justice action and information from a Queer perspective.
- ★ ***GRIST***: <https://grist.org/> - _American non-profit online magazine founded in 1999 that publishes environmental news and commentary. Grist's tagline is "Climate.Justice.Solutions." A nonprofit, independent media organization dedicated to telling stories of climate solutions and a just future.
- ★ ***The Climate Reality Project***: <https://www.climateRealityproject.org/blog/what-does-climate-justice-look-around-world> - Working toward global climate change solutions by making urgent action necessary.

Climate Justice and Racism

- ★ ***Black Environmental Network***: <http://www.ben-network.org.uk/> - Website: Information on working across diverse sectors for ethnic environmental participation.
- ★ ***Stand for Trees***: standfortrees.org - Stand For Trees projects fight climate change and also hold special certifications for protecting ecosystems and wildlife, reducing poverty, and creating sustainable livelihoods.
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Political/ Advocacy

- ★ ****Conservation Voters of PA***: <https://www.conservationpa.org/> - Conservation Voters of PA is the statewide political voice for the environment. We work to elect environmentally responsible candidates to state and local offices. We advocate for strong environmental policies and hold our elected officials accountable during the legislative session._

- ★ ****Citizens' Climate Lobby:*** <https://citizensclimatelobby.org/> - We empower everyday people to work together on climate policy. Together we're building support in Congress for a national bipartisan solution to climate change. Focused on specific carbon reduction national legislation._
- ★ ****EDF Action: Advocacy partner OF Environmental Defense Fund:*** <https://www.edfaction.org/> - Provides national policy and advocacy information._
- ★ ****Elders Climate Action:*** <https://www.eldersclimateaction.org/> - Up-to-date general climate information with an emphasis on policy and advocacy, with the perspective of elders._
- ★ ****Penn Future:*** <https://www.pennfuture.org/> - ***PennFuture*** is a nonprofit focusing on a clean energy economy and protecting air, water, land, and sustainable communities in Pennsylvania and beyond. The newsletter provides general information about environmental and climate issues, and take-action links, mainly in PA.
- ★ ***Third Act:*** <https://thirdact.org/> - Third Act is people over the age of 60 — “experienced Americans” — determined to change the world for the better. They muster political and economic power to move Washington and Wall Street in the name of a fairer, more sustainable society and planet. They back up the great work of younger people.

Newsletters

- ★ ***Eco-Justice News:*** <http://www.pym.org/eco-justice-collaborative/> - The Eco-Justice Collaborative (EJC) of Philadelphia Yearly Meeting of the Religious Society of Friends (Quakers) issues this monthly bulletin to provide Friends with time-sensitive information and resources to help in their ongoing work witnessing for social and climate justice. It includes links to news sources, information about events, general information and climate action alerts (CAN). Some information is targeted for Quakers.
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- ★ ***Friends Committee on National Legislation: Inside the Greenhouse newsletter***: <https://act.fcni.org/signup/sign-environment-energy-alerts/?source=greenhouse> - *(Quaker) A monthly update on FCNL's environmental advocacy and the emerging climate issues that impact their work.*

- ★ ***Yale Climate Connections***: <https://yaleclimateconnections.org/> - An independent, nonpartisan, multimedia climate news and information service that provides original reporting, commentary, and analysis on the issue of climate change. Daily newsletter; weekly newsletter with longer articles; radio program. An excellent source for unbiased and well researched information on a wide range of climate topics.

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- ★ ***National Geographic Planet Possible newsletter***: <https://www.nationalgeographic.com/pages/topic/planet-possible> - An excellent source for interesting, well-written, in-depth articles on a variety of climate topics.

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