

Season of Creation 2022

Inter-diocesan Seminar:

Enhancing Ecological Stewardship in Catholic Schools

Date

Friday 26th August 2022
9.00am to 12.30 pm

Where

Online – link forwarded to registered participants

Who should register

Suitable for primary and secondary school leaders and teachers with an interest and/or role in sustainability, ecological education and enhancing Catholic Identity across the curriculum (discipline areas and capabilities)

Cost

No cost to participants

How to register

Participants are asked to register via the CEVN website <https://cevn.cecv.catholic.edu.au> in the [Online Professional Learning \(OPL\)](#) application by **Monday 22nd August**

Activity Code: 22SCI130A.

Overview

Pope Francis calls us to join in the Season of Creation, which he says is

“...a season to reflect on our lifestyles, and how our daily decisions about food, consumption, transportation, use of water, energy and many other material goods, can often be thoughtless and harmful... Let us make an effort to change and to adopt more simple and respectful lifestyles!”

(Pope Francis, World Day of Prayer for the Care of Creation, 1 September 2019)

Description

The Cross Diocesan Environmental Sustainability Advisory Committee invite you to an online event aimed at enhancing your capacity to explore the intersection of Catholic Identity and Sustainability within your school context as an introduction to the 2022 Season of Creation. The Church's teaching on the environment has been reaffirmed with Pope Francis' ground-breaking encyclical, *Laudato Si'* (On Care for Our Common Home) and serves as the inspiration for our inter-diocesan event featuring:

Guest speakers:

- Maria Fracalossi (Joesphite Mission) – Eco-spirituality (Fr. Julian story)
- Dr Karl Braganza (National Manager Climate Services, BoM) – Communicating Climate Change with Hope (facts and actions)

Choice of Workshops (30 mins):

- Beekeeping for Education
- Integrating Sustainability through Catholic Earthcare Schools
- Living *Laudato Si'*: Catholic Social Teaching in Action

Register for this activity in OPL via the CEVN website

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