

# Chelmsford Circuit ECO NEWS

Nov 2021



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## COP 26

2021 United Nations  
Climate Change

Conference

Sun, 31 Oct 2021 – Fri, 12

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**COP 26 Please pray urgently**

That our leaders will:

- increase financial support to the world's poorest countries to confront the climate crisis
- take action to limit global temperature rises to 1.5C
- take action to stop the expansion of fossil fuel energy and to support clean energy.

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## GLOBAL DAY OF ACTION

Saturday 6th November 2021



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## CLIMATE SUNDAY

Climate Sunday is an initiative from Churches Together which is encouraging churches to hold a Climate Sunday annually where the worship is focused around caring for the environment.

The Chelmsford Circuit digital service is still available to watch here

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=BpZtpdDkkyM&list=UUrQavARuyJM1FsVUBI8I6Sw&index=5>

Many churches in the Circuit took the opportunity to focus on climate issues during the Harvest Festival. Why not do the same in your church?

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## SHARING NEWS

Has your church taken a green step this year? What did you do? Was it easier or harder than you thought. Send a brief (no more than 250 word) description and a picture to [sheridan@pengelly.info](mailto:sheridan@pengelly.info) and we can share good news stories.



## ECO COFFEE MORNING

The next Zoom coffee morning will be on **Saturday 11th December 10.30 - 12 noon.**

Do join us in worship, reflection and sharing experiences of the work of God in this way.

This time we will focus on the *community engagement* part of the ECO Church survey.

Contact [sheridan@pengelly.info](mailto:sheridan@pengelly.info) for the Zoom link.



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## CLIMATE CANARIES

The yellow canary is the perfect symbol to raise awareness about climate change. They need clean air to be able to fly high in the sky and far afield. In years gone by, they used to accompany coal miners into the mines and give warning signals when the air was too toxic to work in.

Craftivism is a movement that encourages the gentle art of protest and they are encouraging us to make a canary to send to our MP, local councillor, or anyone who has the power to make a difference to the climate. Find out more here

<https://craftivist-collective.com/blog/2021/08/canarycraftivists/> or email [sheridan@pengelly.info](mailto:sheridan@pengelly.info) for a knitting pattern or for a draft letter to send with your canary.