

BECOME AN EARTHCARE PARISH

Step 1: REGISTER

Register via the survey at <https://catholicearthcare.org.au/earthcare-parishes/> to receive your Earthcare Parish Certificate and your first star! You will also receive the Earthcare Parish Audit based on the 7 Laudato Si' Goals. From here you're part of the Earthcare Network and will receive news, support and opportunities to exchange ideas. To help promote you as an Earthcare Parish, Earthcare Parish Poster are provided.

Step 2: AUDIT

Using the Audit, review your parish's current contributions towards sustainability and care for our common home. You can celebrate where you're at and begin to see where you might go on the journey toward these goals. Email the completed document to our Earthcare Team at catholicearthcare@caritas.org.au. You will be awarded a second star and receive the Earthcare Parish Action Planner to help take your next steps. Again, this planner resource is based on the 7 Laudato Si' Goals showing you which actions work towards which goals.

Step 3: ACT

Plan your actions using the Earthcare Parish Action Planner and the 7 Laudato Si' Goals to guide and inspire your people, place and practice towards integral ecology. Email your completed Action Planner to our Earthcare Team at catholicearthcare@caritas.org.au. You will be awarded a third star in celebration of your commitment to ecological practice.

For any assistance with any of the above, please contact Jillian, Caritas Australia Diocesan Director – Ballarat, email at caritas@ballarat.catholic.org.au

