

Welcome to the 2023 Lancaster County Climate Summit! Today, organizations and businesses around Lancaster County will celebrate Earth Day by sharing their expertise and services at the first-ever Lancaster County Climate Summit. This event, organized by climate-concerned citizens and action nonprofit RegenAll, is comprised of six venues in the downtown area within walking distance of each other. Each venue is specific to a sector category taken from Project Drawdown and thus each has its own thematic focus on the challenge of climate change. Sites, sectors and presentations are:

WARE CENTER - Climate Crisis Overview, Finances 42 North Prince Street

- 9:00 a.m. Opening Keynote: Eric Sauder, Founder and Executive Director of Regenall, *"The 2023 State of the Climate"*
- 10:00 a.m. Dr. Eve Bratman, Franklin & Marshall College, *"Climate 101"*.
- 11:00 a.m. Dr. Nadine Garner, Millersville University, *"Sustainability Efforts at Millersville"*
- 12:00 p.m. Rev. Dr. David Bushnell, *"Organizing Climate Action Neighborhoods"*
- 1:35 p.m. Mackenzie Snader, Everence Financial *"Investing and Divesting for a Clean Energy Future"*
- 2:25 p.m. Jaime Arroyo, Assets *"Incubating Climate Responsible Businesses"*
- 3:15 p.m. Video address, Pedro Rivera, President, Stevens College of Technology, *"A Green Economy, Jobs for the next Generation Workforce"*, and Q&A with Judd R. Pittman, Director: K-16 Initiatives
- 4:00 p.m. Closing Keynote: Dr. Daniel Wubah, President, Millersville University, *"The Role of Higher Education in Promoting Sustainability"*

TELLUS360 - Home Energy/Buildings & Cities/Materials 24 East King Street

- 11:30 a.m. Linford Good, Landis

Communities *"Climate Action at Landis Communities"*

- 1:00 p.m. Marcus Sheffer, Seven Group *"Climate Change is a Symptom of Misaligned Values"*
- 1:30 p.m. Steven Campbell, Director of Public Works, Lancaster City *"Climate Action in the City of Lancaster"*
- 2:00 p.m. Michael Musser, Numa Energy *"Home Energy Solutions"*
- 2:30 p.m. Ross Gibby, CRDC *"From Plastic Waste to Building Material"*
- 3:00 p.m. Monica Carey, Solar United Neighbors *"The Lancaster Co. Solar and EV Charger Co-op"*

HOLY TRINITY LUTHERAN CHURCH - Transportation/Faith Based Climate Action 31 South Duke Street

- 10:00 a.m. *"Beyond Creation, Reading the Bible for the Sake of the Planet"*, Dr. Julia O'Brian, Lancaster Theological Seminary
- 11:00 a.m. Rev. Dr. Christopher M. Rankin, *"Come Follow Me"*
- 11:00 a.m. Karl Graybill, Lancaster City, Lancaster's Active Transportation Plan
- 11:30 am. *"Little Things Make a Big Difference"*, Francine Firestine & Isiah Perry, Brightside Baptist Church
- 12:30 p.m. Tabler Round Robin
- 1:00 p.m. *"Intuitive Alchemy"*, Chynaah Ubuntu
- 1:00 p.m. Mike Jennings Electric Vehicles
- 2:00 p.m. Panel Discussion, **"Environment, Justice and a Faithful Response"**, Katie Ruth, PA Interfaith Power & Light, Moderator.
- 2:00 p.m. *"Books to Help You Grow in Awareness & Care"* Byron Borger, Hearts and Minds Bookstore
- 3:00 p.m. Mike Jennings *"Battery Electric Vehicles; the New Sustainable Transportation Paradigm"*

SAINT JAMES EPISCOPAL CHURCH - Food/Land 119 North Duke Street

- 10:00 a.m. Diana Smedley & Alex Wenger,

- Lancaster Gift Box Fermentation Process
- 11:00 a.m. Linda Ferich, Lancaster Conservancy *"Community Wildlife Habitat"*
- 11:00 a.m. Panel Discussion and Q&A: **"Sustainability and Resiliency in the Face of Climate Change"**, Honorable Danene Sorace, Mayor of Lancaster, Fritz Schroeder, President, Lancaster Conservancy, Jeff Swinehart, President & CEO, Lancaster Farmland Trust & Rev. Matthew Lenahan, Wittel Farm Growing Project.
- 12:00 p.m. Elizabeth Mills, One With Nature *"The Homegrown National Park & Connecting With YOUR Natural Habitat"*
- 12:10 p.m. Steve Groff, Cedar Meadows Farm *"Plant Base Health and Well Being"*
- 1:10 p.m. Andrew Phillips, Homefields Care Farm *"Regenerative Land Use Practices"*
- 1:10 p.m. Elise Jurgen, Waxwing Ecoworks *"Building Biodiversity in Your Backyard"*
- 2:15 p.m. Bethany Smith & Alexandra Neuman, Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay *"Helping Farms Adapt to Climate Change"*
- 2:20 p.m. Rev. Matthew Lenahan, Wittel Farm Growing Project, *"Regenerative Agriculture & Climate Solutions"*
- 3:00 p.m. Christa Choreman & Adam Barkafaski, Penn State Extension *"Making Space for Pollinators"*

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH - Water 140 East Orange Street

- 9:30 a.m. 12:00 p.m. & 4:00 p.m. Brian Gish, Chesapeake Bay Foundation, *"Rainwater Simulator"*
- 10:00 a.m. Mary Gattis, Lancaster City, *"Stormwater in the City"*
- 10:30 a.m. & 2:30 p.m. Dr. Elizabeth DeSanto, Franklin & Marshall College *"Sustaining Our Oceans"*
- 10:45 a.m. & 3:45 p.m. Keith Williams, Lancaster Conservancy, Lecture *"Riverlands Treasure: Life in our Rivers and Streams"*

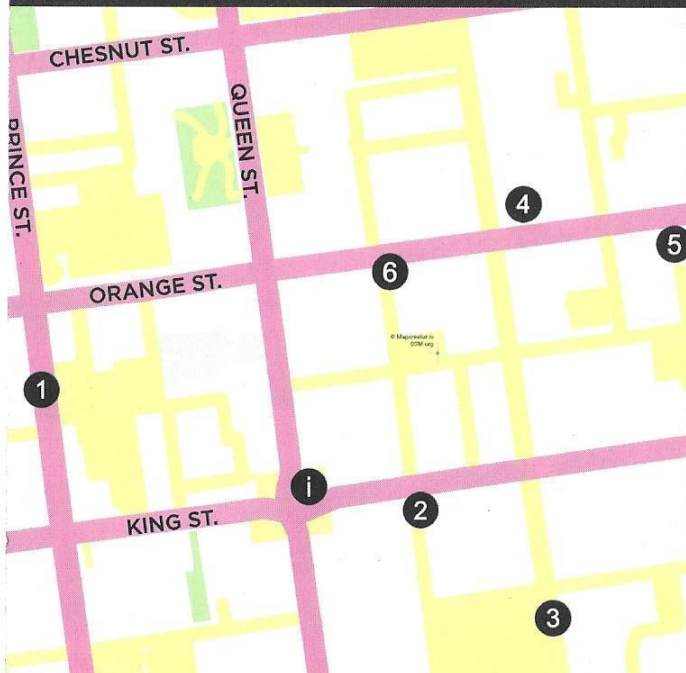
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LOCATIONS

- i Information Pop-Up/Talking Circle
Penn Square - Fulton Bank
- 1 Ware Center - Climate Overview, Finances
42 N. Prince St.
- 2 Tellus360 - Home Energy/Buildings&Cities/
Materials
24 E. King St.
- 3 Holy Trinity Lutheran - Transportation/Faith
Based Climate Action
31 S. Duke St.
- 4 St James Episcopal - Food/Land
119 N. Duke St.
- 5 First Presbyterian - Water
140 E. Orange St.
- 6 First Reformed UCC - Health, Climate Justice
40 E. Orange St.

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- 11:15 a.m. & 3:15 p.m. Jack Howell, SACA Elm Street Project, *"The Conestoga River and Lancaster City"*
- 11:30 a.m. & 3:30 p.m. Jim Lewis, Penn State Extension *"The Chesapeake Bay Watershed"*
- 12:30 pm. & 4:00 p.m. Rev. Steve Verkouw, Interfaith Partners of the Chesapeake
- 9:45 a.m. & 12:15 p.m. Emily Broich, Alliance for the Chesapeake Bay *"Stormwater Management and the Chesapeake Bay"*
- 1:00 p.m. Keith Williams, Lancaster Conservancy *"Hidden Rivers"* FILM

FIRST REFORMED UCC - Public Health/ Environmental Justice

40 East Orange Street

- 11:00 a.m. Dr. Alan Peterson *"Climate and Public Health"*
- 12:00 p.m. Matt Johnson *"Climate Change and the Refugee Crisis"*
- 1:00 p.m. Panel discussion and Q&A:
Pennsylvania Environmental Rights Amendment - Policies and Practice
John C. Dernbach, Esquire, David K. Foster, PhD, Malinda Clatterbuck, Honorable P. Michael Sturla. Randolph Harris, Moderator.
- 2:00 p.m. Jim Sandoe *"The Pentagon, Climate Change and War"*
- 3:00 p.m. Rev. B. David Smith *"The Problem with Plastics – It's NOT Fantastic"*

PENN SQUARE - Information Pop-Up

- On the hour 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m., Kip Adams, Climate Talking Circle

▶ OTHER ACTIVITIES -

In addition to the presentations listed, there will be displays, exhibits, and demonstrations at the venues and many of the participating organizations will be manning tables throughout the day so representatives can talk with visitors about the work of their organizations and environmental issues.



CLIMATE SUMMIT

LANCASTER COUNTY SAT. APRIL 22, 2023



The Lancaster County Climate Summit is a community-focused event for everyone to come together to advance climate awareness and take action in Lancaster County.

