

**SATURDAY, 28TH SEPTEMBER**

**MASS OF CREATION - 5.45PM ST WALBURGA'S CHURCH, KIRKGATE, SHIPLEY BD18 3LU**

**SUNDAY, 29TH SEPTEMBER**

**YOUTH MASS OF CREATION - 9.15AM AT ST WALBURGA'S CHURCH**

**HARVEST MASS - 11AM AT ST AIDAN'S, BAILDON RD, BAILDON BD17 6AQ**

**CELEBRATION OF OUR COMMON HOME - AN HOUR OF PRAYER WITH TIME FOR SILENCE AND PERSONAL REFLECTION - 4-5PM AT ST WALBURGA'S WITH REFRESHMENTS AFTERWARDS (CONTACT DAVID JACKSON FOR DETAILS OR TO OFFER A REFLECTION ON 01274 581094).**

**MONDAY, 30TH SEPTEMBER**

**REST! 'WE NEED TO TAKE AN ANCIENT LESSON - THAT LESS IS MORE.'**  
(POPE FRANCIS, LAUDATO SI)

**TUESDAY, 1ST OCTOBER**

**WALK AROUND NORTHCLIFFE CONSERVATION AREA WITH BRIAN GRESSWELL - MEET AT 1PM AT THE MAIN GATES OF NORTHCLIFFE PARK. A ONE HOUR, EASY WALK. FOR FULL DETAILS CONTACT BRIAN GRESSWELL ON 01274 580474.**

**GOD'S WORLD - OUR RESPONSIBILITY! - 7-9PM (REFRESHMENTS FROM 7PM) IN ST WALBURGA'S PARISH ROOM. READ, LISTEN, SHARE, DISCUSS. AN EVENING BASED ON THE WRITTEN WORD: BRING ALONG YOUR POEM, PIECE OF PROSE, BIBLE READING OR YOUR OWN CREATIVE WRITING TO ILLUSTRATE THE JOYS OF GOD'S CREATION AND HOW WE SHOULD BE CARING FOR IT. WITH WINE, SOFT DRINKS AND NIBBLES TO HELP THE IDEAS FLOW. FOR MORE INFORMATION CONTACT JO BUCK ON 07884 027404.**

**WEDNESDAY, 2ND OCTOBER**

**SHRINKING AMAZONIA - THE EFFECTS OF CLIMATE CHANGE ON THE PERUVIAN AMAZON RAINFOREST AND ITS PEOPLES. A TALK BY FR GERRY HANLON IN THE PARISH ROOM AT ST WALBURGA'S AT 7PM. FR HANLON'S OVER 55 YEARS SERVING IN PERU WITH THE LEEDS DIOCESAN MISSION ARE REFLECTED IN HIS RECENT BOOK 'PERU REMEMBERED'. IT CAN BE PURCHASED FOR £16 (CASH ONLY) AT THE TALK. TO BOOK A PLACE, PLEASE CONTACT DAVID JACKSON ON 01274 581094 OR AT DANDT43@GMAIL.COM**

**THURSDAY, 3RD OCTOBER**

**THE POLITICS OF CLIMATE CHANGE - WHY HAS IT TAKEN SO LONG TO RESPOND? A TALK BY PAUL ROGERS, EMERITUS PROFESSOR OF THE SCHOOL OF PEACE STUDIES, UNIVERSITY OF BRADFORD. 7.30PM IN ST AIDAN'S CHURCH HALL. TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE CONTACT DAVID JACKSON.**

**FRIDAY, 4TH OCTOBER**

**A CONCLUDING MASS OF CREATION ON THE FEAST OF ST FRANCIS OF ASSISI. 7PM AT ST AIDAN'S CHURCH.**

**CONCLUSION: A CELEBRATION SHARED MEAL- ITALIAN STYLE (PLASTIC FREE). 8PM AT THE PARISH HALL, ST AIDAN'S. PLUS SHORT DISCUSSION - REVIVING OUR COMMON HOME. CONCLUDING WITH THREE WAYS TO DO SO. TO BOOK A PLACE AND/OR TO CONTRIBUTE FOOD PLEASE CONTACT ELLY FIDDLER ON 07746 832164.**

**ALL EVENTS ARE FREE AND OPEN TO ALL BUT PLEASE DO BOOK A PLACE WHERE IT IS INDICATED.**

CELEBRATIONS

PRAYERS

WORSHIP

REFLECTION

THANKSGIVING

**PARISH OF ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS**

**Saturday, 28th September - Friday, 4th October 2019**

# OUR COMMON HOME

**JOIN US FOR A WEEK OF EVENTS CELEBRATING AND  
GIVING THANKS FOR GOD'S CREATION AND  
TAKING PART IN DECIDING HOW WE CAN  
BEST PRESERVE OUR COMMON HOME**

- A CAFOD PETITION TO THE PRIME MINISTER WILL BE AVAILABLE IN THE CHURCH PORCHES TO SIGN THROUGHOUT THE MONTH
- A PLEDGE WALL WILL BE AVAILABLE IN BOTH CHURCH PORCHES FOR YOUR 'POST-IT' IDEAS FOR ANY ACTION YOU CAN PLEDGE TO TAKE WHICH CELEBRATES AND REBUILDS OUR COMMON HOME

*'CREATION IS THE ORDER OF LOVE. GOD'S LOVE IS THE FUNDAMENTAL MOVING FORCE IN ALL CREATED THINGS.'*

*'MANY THINGS HAVE TO CHANGE COURSE BUT IT IS WE HUMAN BEINGS ABOVE ALL WHO NEED TO CHANGE.'* (POPE FRANCIS, LAUDATO SI)

SUPPORTED BY THE PARISH OF ST TERESA BENEDICTA OF THE CROSS,  
CAFOD LEEDS, J & P LEEDS AND SHIPLEY CHRISTIANS TOGETHER. THEIR MEMBERS, AND MEMBERS OF  
CHURCHES TOGETHER IN BILDON ARE WARMLY INVITED TO ATTEND ALL EVENTS.

**SEE OVERLEAF FOR PROGRAMME OF EVENTS**