



WHAT'S YOUR CARBON FOOTPRINT?

*If we want to stop Global Warming, we must **ALL stop putting carbon into the atmosphere.***

Monster storms, dying coral, extreme droughts and floods, disappearing icecaps and seacoasts, mass migrations – these are all being caused by carbon-induced global warming, mainly from our use of fossil fuels. What can be done?

Our church has committed to a “Carbon Neutral Plan” in the building upgrades we’re doing. It’s not just for us, it’s part of a “Just Future” for the planet. But what about our individual households? Can we ALL become carbon neutral? Is that even feasible? Doesn’t “our way of life” depend on burning fossil fuels?

Your EarthCare Team is hosting “**BECOMING CARBON NEUTRAL**” -- a study group to figure this out. We hope you’ll join us. Over a seven-month series, we will research and discover together:

- The links between carbon (and other gasses) and climate
- The impact of lifestyle choices (homes, transport, food, waste, etc.)
- Our individual household’s “carbon footprint”
- Carbon reduction opportunities, both short and long term
- How to calculate “carbon offsets” for emissions we cannot eliminate
- The financial cost of “net zero carbon” steps – less than you think!
- Ways to influence public / corporate policy

We’ll meet on the third Tuesday evening of each Month (October through April). There will be reading and research “homework” between sessions. We hope that a useful booklet can result from our combined efforts.

**Starts Tuesday, October 15, 2019, 7:00 to 8:30 pm
Geier Room, Mount Auburn Presbyterian Church**