

Climate Solutions: Meeting the Challenge
***Concord Steps up to the Climate Challenge
Town, School, and Faith Perspectives***

***Friday, April 29, 7:30-9:30 PM
Sanctuary, West Concord Union Church, 1317 Main St***

Join us at an exciting community forum where local leaders will share their diverse perspectives on the action required to address the urgent crisis of advancing climate change. We will start off with featured presenters, as follows:

- **Alice Kaufman, Chair of the Concord Select Board**, will talk about the Select Board's new Energy Task Force, charged with developing a plan to meet the future energy needs of the Town.
- **Peter Nichol, Environmental Science Teacher at CCHS**, will share his ideas about how schools can educate and inspire a new generation of climate activists.
- **A Concord-Carlisle student in the Environmental Science program** will describe how he/she and other students view the challenge.
- **Father Austin Fleming, Pastor of the Holy Family Church**, will offer a faith perspective on climate action.

Other invited guests will speak more briefly, including representatives of the agricultural, business, housing, and other sectors.

Following presentations, there will be a moderated discussion. Join us and bring your own ideas for action on climate. We will collect them and share them via email with all participants. The doors at WCUC will open at 7; the program will begin at 7:30; and we will move to a reception in the Parish Hall at 9-00 PM.

The "Climate Solutions: Meeting the Challenge" Speaker Series is an informal coalition of local organizations that have come together due to their common belief that solving the climate crisis is the most important challenge of our times and critical for the survival of all life on this planet. This coalition now includes eight organizations, including: ConcordCAN!, the League of Women Voters of Concord-Carlisle, First Parish in Concord, Mothers out Front, Musketaquid Arts and Environment, Trinitarian Congregational Church, Trinity Episcopal Church, and West Concord Union Church.