LAUDATO SI' **MOVEMENT**

formerly Global Catholic Climate Movement

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"I do not want to write this Encyclical without turning to that attractive and compelling figure, whose name I took as my guide and inspiration when I was elected Bishop of Rome. I believe that Saint Francis is the <u>example par</u> <u>excellence</u> of care for the vulnerable and of an integral ecology lived out joyfully and authentically." (LS 10)





GCCM LAUNCHED DURING POPE'S PHILIPPINES TRIP

We announced the launch of our movement on January 14th, 2015, by releasing a statement which Cardinal Tagle presented to Pope Francis during his Philippines trip on January 15th.

Who we are?

"Laudato Si' Movement seeks to be a Spirit-led movement that brings Catholics together to fulfill its stated mission. The movement brings together a wide range of Catholic **(1) organizations and (2) grassroots members** from around the world. These members walk together in synodality and communion with the universal Church on a journey of ecological conversion.

Seeking **unity in diversity**, organizational and grassroots members come together to pray, collaborate and mobilize in response to the "cry of the earth and the cry of the poor." Guided by a spirit of subsidiarity, when the time and context are right, they co-create or engage with local Laudato Si' **Circles and Chapters** and connect with the global movement on a wide range of initiatives to bring Laudato Si' to life."



"To inspire and mobilize the Catholic community to care for our common home and achieve climate and ecological justice."





Who we are?



Laudato Si Animator

Laudato Si' Animators are local leaders who strive to live Laudato Si' in their own lives while inspiring and motivating others in their communities to bring Laudato Si' to life as well.







LSM

PROGRAMS

otal numbers include all years

GENERAL OVERVIEW

Choose Region

Certified Laudato Si' Animators





Member

Organizations

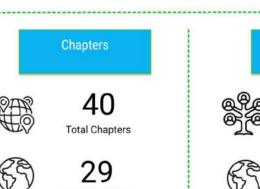
Total Countries

837

Total Member







Laudato Si' Animators

24,137

Total LSA

160

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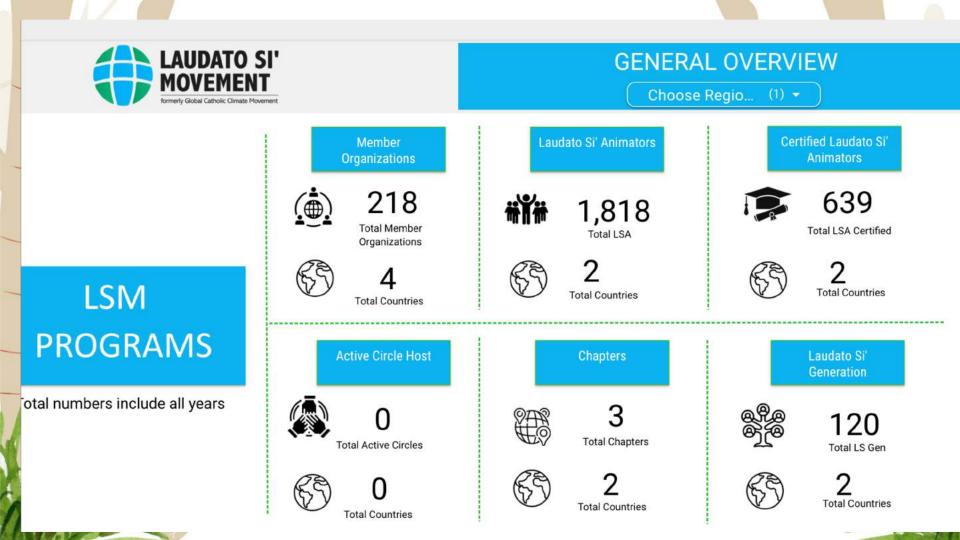


14 **Total Countries**

Laudato Si'









LSM work with Interfaith Groups

Challenge for LS in North America



Mining, drilling and burning of fossil fuels that lead to health problems, toxic air & global warming pollution, ocean acidification.

Green Faith & InterFaith Power and Light



<u>Advocacy</u>

Line 3 Faith 4 Climate Justice



Laudato Si Generation



LSM Key Events

Season of Creation 2021

A home for all? Renewing the Oikos of God

https://seasonofcreation.org/



https://laudatosiweek.org/

LAUDATO SI' WEEK 2021

"for we know that things can change"

(LS 13)

16-25 May 2021





A true ecological approach always becomes a social approach that must integrate justice in debates on the environment, so as to hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor. **#SeasonOfCreation**

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Healthy Planet, **Healthy People** Petition **State of our** common home

Our common home and common family are suffering. The climate emergency is causing rising seas, a warmer planet, and more extreme weather. It's devastating the lives of our poorest sisters and brothers.

At the same time, biologists estimate that we're driving species to extinction at a rate of 100 to 1,000 times their usual rate. "We have no such right" (Laudato Si' 33). Two UN conferences. One opportunity for Catholics worldwide to listen to Pope Francis and act out our faith.

SIGN THE PETITION

The year 2021

We have an opportunity like no other.

At the UN Biodiversity Conference (COP15) in October, world leaders can set meaningful targets to protect creation.

In November, at the 26th UN Climate Change Conference (COP26), countries will announce their plans to meet the goals of the Paris agreement.

Ahead of those meetings, it is our responsibility as Catholics to lift up the voices of the most vulnerable and advocate on their behalf. We must act now.

CCC & LSM Differences

- Laudato Si Animators program
- Advocacy focus on divestment, insurance, biodiversity campaigning (e.g. <u>HealthyPeople</u>, <u>HealthyPlanet</u> campaign)
- International
- Monthly prayer services/ prayer resources
- Closer collaboration with Dicastery
- Comprised of member/ partner organizations inside and outside of US
- Open to partnerships with groups like 350.org and Stop the Money Pipeline
- Engages in climate strikes
- Predominantly online oriented work

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