



CHRISTIANS · IN · SCIENCE

Bristol Local Group 2018-19

# Our Fragile Planet

## – a Christian Perspective

This series of lectures will look at the Biblical mandate for caring for our world and the science that lies behind the challenges we face. The intention is that the lectures should not only inform us of the objective facts and controversies, but also look at how God's people can respond both as individuals and corporately, and in a manner that balances the needs of individuals with the need to safeguard the future of our planet.

### Creation Care and the Kingdom of God

The biblical mandate as to why we should care for our planet and how this links with Kingdom Theology?

**Dr Hilary Marlow**

Friday 19th January 2018, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Caring for the Atmosphere

Including a consideration of greenhouse warming, pollution and climate change.

**Prof Euan Nisbet**

Friday 23rd March 2018, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Caring for the Oceans 1

Looking at the changing ocean dynamics including temperature, acidity, salinity, sea levels and ice melt.

**Prof Meric Srokosz**

Friday 15th June 2018, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Caring for the Oceans 2

Looking at marine biological aspects including coral bleaching, biodiversity and sustainable fish stocks.

**Dr Robert Sluka**

Friday 28th September 2018, 7pm for 7.30pm

## Venue

Redland Church Hall,  
Redland Green Rd,  
Bristol BS6 7HE  
nearest train Redland  
Station; nearest bus  
no. 9; free parking on  
nearby roads.

### Caring for the Earth 1

Species conservation: a summary of progress and challenges for the future.

**Prof Simon Stuart**

Friday 23rd November 2018, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Caring for the Earth 2

Sustainable agriculture issues in relationship to population increases and the effects of climate change.

**Dr Martin Hodson**

Friday 25th January 2019, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Caring for the Earth 3

Sustainable energy including renewable resources, nuclear and fracking.

**Revd Dr John Weaver**

Friday 15th March 2019, 7pm for 7.30pm

### Beliefs, values and commitments

Why science alone cannot solve the problems we face.

**Revd Dr Chris Sunderland**

Friday 21st June 2019, 7pm for 7.30pm

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