**ECO-ACTION FOR THE WEEK**

April 23, 2021 – Actions for Our Own Dear Planet



**Agriculture and gardening** contribute either negatively or positively to greenhouse gases/climate change, racial equality, health, and wildlife protection.

* **Watch**this hopeful film about agriculture: *Kiss the Ground,*84 min., Netflix or link to [REGISTER](https://www.faithclimateactionweek.org/featured-film-kit/), (<https://www.faithclimateactionweek.org/featured-film-kit/>).
* **Learn** (use[ecosia.com](http://ecosia.com)**)**about at least oneof the following methods to protect and restore soil health: Regenerative Agriculture, Natural Ecosystems, Sustainable Farming, Diversified Farming, Soil Carbon Sequestration, Agroecology, Vertical Farming, and Companion Planting.
* **Increase your purchases of organic**produce each week**.**See ten reasons why: <http://www.onlyorganic.org/get-facts/top-10-reasons-to-go-organic/>.
* **Plant** native milkweed and nectar plants that butterflies require to survive. **Avoid** toxic products like Roundup. **Use** plants to repel pests, control weeds, and enrich the soil.
* **Recommended reading**: *Nature's Best Hope,* Douglas Tallamy, gives specific suggestions for turning yards into conservation corridors to provide wildlife habitats.

*Thank you to those who sent evaluations and suggestions!*

*You are welcome to send them any time.*

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