



THE *St. Francis Pledge:*

- ▶ **PRAY** and reflect on the duty to care for God's Creation and protect the poor and vulnerable.
- ▶ **LEARN** about and educate others on the causes and moral dimensions of environmental degradation and climate change.
- ▶ **ASSESS** how we — as individuals and in our families, parishes and other affiliations — contribute to climate change by our own energy use, consumption, waste, etc.
- ▶ **ACT** to change our choices and behaviors to reduce the ways we contribute to environmental degradation and climate change.
- ▶ **ADVOCATE** for Catholic principles and priorities in environmental and climate change discussions and decisions, especially as they impact those who are poor and vulnerable.



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