

## Laudato Si

We are responding to Pope Francis' call to pray as a whole church, throughout September and until St Francis' Feast day October the 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Pope Francis is encouraging us all to take urgent action against the injustice of climate change and the ecological crisis, to protect the poor and future generations.

We have a very active team within our Tree of Life project – “The Working with Nature Group”.

This group, and the Children's Liturgy group, need a little support from the whole Parish Family. You can safely be part of this from your home by keeping in touch by e-mail and reading the bulletin regularly to find out what has been happening.

There are 4 actions.

Choose one or more things to do in this special month.

1. Sponsor a plant or bulbs for the newly renovated Front Flower bed of our Church Garden.

Details to follow.

2. Help build our Bug hotel; we need a variety of items as detailed on the poster.

3. Have you 2 matching flowerpots 3ft/90cm wide and 3ft/90cm tall which need a new home? Yes, pretty large, but the Nature group have shrubs to fill them!

4. If you can spare 5 minutes, read the **Tree of Life page** on the Parish website [www.ssfishermore.co.uk](http://www.ssfishermore.co.uk)

Lots of pictures of all the action this Summer!

Sue, Frances, Keith, Mary. The working with Nature group / Children's Liturgy group.

**An invitation to the Children of the Parish Family:**

We hope to be making a bug hotel soon to put in the church grounds.

(Possibly during October Half-term).

Items needed to help make this are:-

- old wooden pallets,
- bamboo tubes/canes,
- twigs, pinecones, bark,
- old terracotta pots, pipes,
- old roofing slates and tiles.

Please start collecting these now and let me know if you would like to help.

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**WANTED**

**For the Tree of Life project!!!**

**2 x 3ft by 3ft plant pots,**  
**(ideally terracotta or painted pots)**

New homes for 2 large shrubs to be relocated near to the Church Hall doors.

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