The last year was not what any of us expected, and the future feels very uncertain. For many, the pandemic arrived on top of the existing crisis of climate breakdown. But 2021 offers a chance for us to tackle these challenges together. We can build a future that is healthier, safer and more just.

You can help by filling the year with prayer. Prayer that will transform us and our actions, shape our understanding, and help us start anew. Prayer that will act as a deep source of energy for the struggle ahead. Joining together with people around the world, we will bow our heads and lift our voices to build a better world.

In November, the UK Government will be hosting crucial United Nations talks on climate change. In the run-up, we need to fill every day with prayer for a world where everyone can flourish and creation can breathe easy again.

How can I get involved?

• Sign up as an individual to fill a time slot with prayer.
• Sign up your church community and start planning a prayer and action event.

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Together we STOP this climate crisis
2021 is crucial

The world’s poorest people have long been living with the impacts of climate breakdown. Families are torn apart by disaster, crops are ruined by drought and houses are lost to rising seas. For many of our friends and neighbours around the world, further inaction is a matter of life and death.

This year is a moment of urgent opportunity. Spurred on by the actions of our friends on the frontline of the changing climate and the school strikers, people are finally waking up to the severity of the crisis. We can fight this climate crisis, and we can do it in a way that will also tackle inequality and restore creation.

But we can only do this if we seize this moment and build a movement to sustain it.

This year, leaders will be making decisions that could set us on the path to a better, safer world. In November, the UK Government will host the United Nations’ key climate change talks, COP26. All eyes will be on the UK and the government will be keen to show its leadership. We have to ensure that leaders make the right choices.

Underpin the year in prayer and help make climate justice a reality.

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