

## **Actions to live simply**

Main action: Create a pledge board in each of our churches where individual parishioners are invited to make a pledge to live more simply during the year ahead. Leading this action: Doug, Anne-Marie, June and Julia.

Other activities:

1. Encourage more cycling to church and car sharing. Hold a 'walk to Church Sunday' for those able to do so. Leading this action: Finbarr.
2. Encourage people to consider meat free days in addition to Fridays. Leading this action: Fr Tom

## **Actions to live sustainably with creation**

Main action: Creation of a 'Mary garden' as a space for prayer and contemplation within the church grounds. Leading this action: Simon

Other activities:

1. Actively support CAFOD campaigns and encourage people to sign up to these. Leading this action: Stan
2. Introducing recycling containers in the Taunton Catholic Centre. Leading this action: Fr Tom

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## **Actions to live in solidarity with the poor**

Main action: To support the 'Open Door' project supporting the homeless through raising awareness of their work, collecting donations of items for them through a permanent donation box in the church porch. To create a Jesse Tree to collect for them, with this project led by the junior choir. Team leading on this action: Anne-Marie, Doug and Stan.

Other activities:

1. To coordinate with other local churches and look at supporting joint projects. Taking a lead on this action: Liz
  
2. To have a regular stall that would sell fairly traded items as well as homegrown plants/food with any profits supporting charities. Leading this action: Julia

Name and diocese of parish / community: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature of parish priest: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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