

Here are some ways your congregation can participate

- Get an energy audit of your building(s) to identify energy waste and the potential financial savings of energy related improvements.
- Make energy efficiency improvements to your building(s).
- Encourage your congregants to make energy efficiency improvements to their homes.
- Purchase clean, “green,” renewable energy for your buildings.
- Educate your congregants on energy production and use in relation to global warming and other environmental impacts.
- Support public policies that prevent power plant pollution and global warming.

Make a tax-free contribution

NYIPL does not charge any fee to participating congregations, but donations help us continue our work and are gratefully accepted.

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*Our mission is to support
congregations of all faiths
in their actions to curb
global warming and protect
the sacredness of the earth.*



Is energy a religious issue?

- As Psalm 24 tells us, “the earth is the Lord’s and all that is in it.” We do not own it, but are to care for it as a sacred trust. Global warming and power plant pollution will hurt God’s creation.
- As God’s people, we are “our brothers’ and sisters’ keepers” and are to attend to the well-being of our neighbors. Global warming and power plant pollution will hurt God’s people.
- Doing unto others as we would have done to ourselves impels us to protect and restore the world our neighbors inhabit as we would want it protected for ourselves.
- God requires us to “do justice, to love mercy, and to walk humbly...” We of the industrialized nations have created much of the increase of greenhouse gases and pollution, so we have a special responsibility to do something about it.

What is New York Interfaith Power & Light?

We are part of a national network of congregations of all faiths concerned about global warming and power plant pollution on the peoples of the world today, on future generations, and on all of God’s creation.

Our mission is to promote faithful and just stewardship of God’s creation through energy conservation, energy efficiency, and the use of renewable energy.

We’re on the web at www.nyipl.org.

Check out our resources on taking action in your house of worship and other facilities, in your worship services, in your education and activities for adults and children, in policy advocacy, and much more!

We can also help put you in touch with other congregations in your area that are working on environmental stewardship.

Email us at NYIPL@earthlink.net.

Get an energy audit

The first step in conserving energy and using energy more efficiently is to find out where it’s now being wasted. In most areas of New York State, congregations can take advantage of NYSERDA’s energy audit.

We can help direct you to those resources and provide examples of congregations that have done it.

It’s easy to become a member

We welcome all congregations to join our efforts to prevent global warming and power plant pollution. Please send the following information if you’d like to become a member.

Congregation: _____

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