

## ECO-PALIAN PROGRAMS THIS SUMMER

Summer at Church of the Redeemer is stewardship of creation season. Like last summer, the Eco-palians have a number of programs planned. Unless noted otherwise, they will take place in the Parlor following the 10:00 am Sunday service (approximately 11:15 am):

- **June 6: Composting and Vermiculture**

Led by parishioners Joan Burrow and Emily Bond.

- **June 20: Book discussion** — *Simpler Living Compassionate Life*

- **June 27: Fair Trade and Products from Recycled Materials.**

Guest presenter, Connie Bruins, from Ten Thousand Villages.

- **July 25: "Mountain Mourning" presented by Christians for the Mountains**

A video and discussion about Mountain Top removal led by parishioner Kyle Roberts. We will also be joined by youth who will have been on the Mountain TOP mission trip in Appalachia earlier in the summer.

- **August 1, 15:** Book discussion — *Simpler Living Compassionate Life*

- **August 8: The Power of Community, How Cuba Survived Peak Oil**

A video presentation.

- **TBD : The Work of Heifer Project in Africa**

Led by parishioners Jolene Struebbe and Jim Miller.

There will also be an **informal book discussion** on Sundays (June 20, August 1, 15) when other programs are not scheduled. The group will be reading and discussing the book *Simpler Living, Compassionate Life: A Christian Perspective*. Edited by Bill McKibben and Michael Schut, the book includes contributions from Bill McKibben, Wendell Berry, Richard Foster and others. Co-editor Michael Schut is the new Economic and Environmental Affairs officer of the Episcopal Church. The first two book discussions will be **Sundays June 20 and July 18** with future dates to be determined by the group. Books are available for purchase for \$16 in the church reception area. ALL are welcome. For more information, contact Nancy Hopkins-Greene ([nancy@redeemer-cincy.org](mailto:nancy@redeemer-cincy.org)).

Stay tuned for information on Eco-palian field trips. Plans are underway for tours of Rumpke's recycling and landfill centers. All programs offered by the Eco-palians are open to anyone interested, on an ongoing or one-time basis. Please join us!

