

All Saints' Springfield Eco Church Questionnaire – 2024

How Green is our Lifestyle?

Please help us by filling in this year's short Eco Church questionnaire, to see the kinds of things that people at All Saints' may already be doing to help the environment, and to share ideas on things we could try in the future.

When you have completed the questionnaire please

- put it in the box in the church porch or at the entrance to the church centre
- or post/hand deliver it to Roger McFarland, 79 Humber Road, CM1 7PF

Please return your completed questionnaires by **Thursday 31st October**. *Thank you!*

1. I see living a 'green' lifestyle as an important part of my Christian faith. Yes No
2. I try to reduce, to re-use, or to recycle my waste as much as I can. Yes No Sometimes
3. I enjoy visiting green spaces and being in the countryside. Yes No
4. I am interested in the natural world and how I can help wildlife. Yes No Sometimes
5. I usually walk or cycle to church services and events. Yes No Sometimes
6. In my household I/we have the following car or cars (*please tick all that apply*):
No car
1 petrol or diesel car 2 or more petrol or diesel cars
1 electric car 2 or more electric cars
1 hybrid car 2 or more hybrid cars
7. I try to reduce my car use when I can. No car Yes No Sometimes
8. I try not to use more energy at home than I need to (eg by switching off lights and appliances when not in use). Yes No Sometimes
9. I use LED bulbs in my lights at home. Yes No Some
10. My home electricity is renewable. Yes No Don't know
11. I have solar panels at home. Yes No
12. I have changed my diet to be more plant-based (*less meat and dairy*). Yes No Sometimes
13. I like to buy Fairtrade goods where possible. Yes No Sometimes
14. I try to buy British/locally-grown or organic food when I can. Yes No Sometimes

15. I take part in activities to help the environment (e.g. litter picking, volunteering, member of an environmental group). Yes No Sometimes

16. My garden has a water butt, compost heap, vegetable growing area, tree, bird feeder and bug hotel. Most of these Some None No garden

17. I support a charity which cares for the environment (like the National Trust or Essex Wildlife Trust). Yes No

18. I have completed a check to measure my own 'environmental footprint' within the last year. Yes No

19. My bank and/or savings accounts are with 'ethical' organisations which generally don't fund activities that harm the environment. Yes No Some Don't know

20. Which of the following Eco Church activities have helped you in living a more environmentally friendly lifestyle? (*tick all that apply*):

- Sermons and talks
- "in touch" magazine articles
- Environment Sunday service
- ECO event days
- Church social media posts (Facebook)
- The church website
- None of these

21. And would you like to tell us a bit about yourself?
(*or leave this bit blank*)

I am aged: under 21 21-40 41-60 Over 60

I often go to All Saints' services

- in the Church
- Sunday Special
- Children-in-Church
- Online
- Other/none

Do you have any other comments or questions?

Thank you for taking the time to complete this questionnaire.