2025 ENVIRONMENTAL EVENTS:

Below is a list of events being hosted by the following organizations in 2025:

- Repair Café North Carolina
- The Town of Cary's Environmental Outreach
- NC Catholics Caring for our Common Home



February 15 (1-5PM) - Cary Workshop

LOCATION: Kirk of Kildaire Presbyterian Church

200 High Meadow Drive

Free. Bring an item in need of repair. Registration recommended.



Lent (March 5 - April 19) - Greener Lent program

Participate in this program which involves prayer, fasting, and alms giving.

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March 8 (1-3PM) - Trail Maintenance (ages 16+)

Location: Hemlock Bluffs Nature Preserve

Signup: on RecTrac; search on Activity Number: VOLU0001-004



March 21 - Arbor Day in North Carolina
Save our trees and please plant native

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March 22

World Water Day - celebrates water; raises awareness of 2.2 billion without access to safe water

Earth Hour - spend one hour doing something positive for our Earth

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April 5 - Town of Cary Spring Litter Sweep Participate in one of 3 cleanups. Signup: on RecTrac

- Davis Drive Elementary School (ages 11+, 9-10:30am); Activity #: VOLU0003-001
- East Cary Middle School (ages 11+, 11:30am-1pm); Activity #: VOLU0003-002
- Swift Creek Ritter Park (ages 16+, 10am-noon); Activity #: VOLU0015-001



April 8 - 12 (various times) - Fire Station Garden Workday (ages 14+) This is an opportunity to help with our fire station gardens. Signup: on RecTrac: search on Activity Number: VOLU0007



April 22 - Earth Day - "Our Power, Our Planet"

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May 10 (10am-noon) - Trail Maintenance (ages 16+)

Location: Hemlock Bluffs Nature Preserve

Signup: on RecTrac; search on Activity Number: VOLU0001-005



May 17 (1-5PM) - Cary Workshop

LOCATION: Kirk of Kildaire Presbyterian Church 200 High Meadow Drive

Free. Bring an item in need of repair. Registration recommended.



May 24-31 - <u>Laudato Si' Week</u> - 10th anniversary of Pope Francis' encyclical For an overview of the encyclical, click **here**

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August 16 (1-5PM) - Cary Workshop

LOCATION: Kirk of Kildaire Presbyterian Church

200 High Meadow Drive

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October 4 - Feast of St. Francis of Assisi

800th Anniversary of the Canticle of the Creatures

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October 25 (1-5PM) - Cary Workshop

LOCATION: Kirk of Kildaire Presbyterian Church

200 High Meadow Drive

Free. Bring an item in need of repair. Registration recommended.