

# Justice Endeavors

International Presentation Women - San Francisco

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***Bless us all that we may be truly one with the integrity of all Creation. Strengthen us as inhabitants of your magnificent garden, our sacred Earth, to speak up when it is being abused and misused, to stand firm in our conviction to be faithful contributors to the health of our common home.***

– Interfaith Power & Light

**International Mother Earth Day...** will be celebrated for the 49th year on April 22nd. The Catholic Climate Covenant has prepared resources to help people of faith explore this year's theme, *Restore Our Common Home*, by addressing the call to act not only to protect but restore God's gift of creation. Google *The Catholic Climate Covenant* (<https://catholicclimatecovenant.org/>) and see the amazing programs and actions they present.

**Earth Day Tribute...** Each year Sister Rosemary McKean, Sister Jackie and Sister Rosemary Campi have prepared an Earth Day prayer. Those of us who could would gather at Presentation Center and then at Moss Beach and pray the prayer together. Sister Rosemary created a beautiful Earth Day Prayer booklet and dedicated it to Sisters Jackie and Rosemary. **Thank you, Sister Rosemary!**



**Reduce Gun Violence...** Watch for petitions to sign to send to Congress to address these deadly forces.

**Interfaith Power and Light...** Our community belongs to this ecumenical group of churches throughout the US. It is a religious response to Global Warming. This year they are asking their members to examine how our food systems contribute to injustice and climate change. The Sisters here at the Motherhouse will be involved in a postcard signing action. We are asking our new Secretary of Agriculture, Sec. Tom Vilsack to create new opportunities for all farmers, especially new, indigenous and farmers of color. They will be delivered in early May to Secretary Vilsack.

