

RESPONSE: We give thanks for the earth and her creatures.

We acknowledge our complicity in the causes of climate change
We recognize our responsibility as people of action and reflection
We humbly pray for the success of the upcoming climate negotiations

RESPONSE: We join hands in a spirit of humility.

To refresh and clean the air
To purify the waters for our children
To safeguard plants and woodlands

RESPONSE: We join hands in a spirit of determination.

As advocates for peace and justice
As builders of a planetary community
As protectors of the beauty of each place

RESPONSE: We join hands in a spirit of hope.

As lovers of the birds and flowers
As companions of the animals
As singers of the songs of the heavens (continue next page)

RESPONSE: We join hands in a spirit of gratitude.

We commit to fostering a peace within which all can flourish
We commit to preserving our good earth
We commit to protecting all people, creatures, and plants

RESPONSE: We join hands in the strength of unity.

*Prayer composed and led by Carol Warren, a member of Yolo Interfaith Alliance
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