

The Earth Care groups of  
Delmar, Westminster, and New Scotland Presbyterian Churches  
invite you to:



**The Climate Change Challenge**

Saturday, Nov 4  
5 pm dinner included



**Have Fun:** Role-Playing Exercise to Explore Climate Dynamics over the next 75 years

**Find Hope:** Identify Climate Change Policies to meet the 1.5-degree Celsius goal!

**Learn:** Work with the EN-ROADS online climate change simulator

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**When:** Saturday, November 4, 2023 at 5:00 PM  
Dinner with simulation starts at 5:50

**Where:** Delmar Presbyterian Church  
585 Delaware Avenue, Delmar, NY

**Who:** All ages are welcome!  
Can you beat the policy solution created by Delmar's Church School?

**What:** EN-ROADS is an internationally recognized climate change simulator built by Climate Interactive and MIT-Sloan ([En-Roads Simulator](#))

**Registration:** [Click here to register online](#)  
or call the DPC Church Office at 518-439-9252  
by Wednesday, November 1 (for meal planning purposes)

# The Climate Change Challenge

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*Then God said, “Let us make humankind in our image, according to our likeness; and let them have dominion over the fish of the sea, and over the birds of the air, and over the cattle, and over all the wild animals of the earth, and over every creeping thing that creeps upon the earth.”*

The Dominion Reading from the first chapter of Genesis makes it clear that God wants us to take responsibility for the Global Climate Crisis that we as a species have brought into existence. How should we respond to the current climate crisis? One response is to wish for the invention of some magic new technology (such as carbon sequestering technologies) that will save the day. A more common response is resignation. What can I, one small person, do about such a global crisis?

The **Climate Change Challenge** provides a third way to approach climate change—a pathway of Hope. The Challenge is a one evening hands-on exercise supported by a state-of-the-art, online science-based simulation. The En-Roads simulation ([En-Roads Simulator](#)) was developed by a team at Climate Interactive and MIT and it projects the outcomes of policy choices through the year 2100. In this session you will explore concrete science-based strategies that have the potential to halt and even reverse our current dangerous trajectory. There is hope out there and this session shows the way.

So, spend an evening. Do God’s work as we learn a lot about a wide range of policy options available to us on this planet. Learn a bit more about climate science. Join a team that can find a policy package that works! Feel some hope around these issues. Learn what we all can do to make these hopeful visions come to be. Enjoy fellowship with like-minded Christians. Stay for dinner.

