DELAWARE INTERFAITH POWER & LIGHT

OUR MISSION:
To work through faith communities and community partners to address the causes and consequences of climate change. To scientifically inform and spiritually deepen our understanding of our relationship with the natural world, and with each other, and to act on those understandings.

WE BELIEVE:
In the interconnectedness of all life; that we are responsible to care for the wonders of Creation; that in caring for Creation, we are caring for ourselves and honoring the Creator.

A MORAL IMPERATIVE:
Our member congregations - each in their own way, inspired by their own faith - share and embrace this moral imperative.

They participate in preach-ins, form green teams, become learning centers, secure energy audits, upgrade energy systems, install solar panels, plant pollinator gardens, have veggie potlucks, host climate conversations, explore eco-systems, and advocate for a safer and healthier, more just and equitable, future for their children, for ALL children, and the generations to come.

2019-2020 HIGHLIGHTS

ADVOCACY

SB 250/SB 33: Extensive efforts to support legislation increasing the Renewable Portfolio Standard (RPS) and expanding community solar opportunities, making it more affordable and accessible, [https://delawareipl.org/wp/faith-leaders-urge-support-for-community-energy-authorities-act/](https://delawareipl.org/wp/faith-leaders-urge-support-for-community-energy-authorities-act/). The bill did not make it to the floor but now a new version to increase the RPS passed both houses and a separate bill to address community solar is being drafted. Stay tuned!!

Property Assessed Clean Energy (PACE): Administered by the Sustainable Energy Utility to facilitate and provide a new financing mechanism for commercial energy efficiency projects through a voluntary assessment on property tax bills.

PLEASE SUPPORT OUR CLIMATE WORK