

**Prayer for our 'Caretakers of the World' Week**

God of all,  
you made the earth and saw that it was good,  
but like robbers we have stripped it of its treasure.

Now the earth cries out  
and your people hunger and thirst.

Open our eyes to see the pain of your creation  
and move us with compassion for your world.

Lead us to act as neighbours,  
who do not pass by on the other side.

So that together we may care for all that you have made  
and with all creation sing your praise.

**Open our eyes, Lord.**

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