

2022 "GOD'S WORK. OUR GREEN HANDS." September 11, 2022

- **Stream cleanup** - Keep American Beautiful - <https://www.keppabeautiful.org/programs/pick-up-pa/> **International Coastal Cleanup** in September.
 - **Erie County** cleanup events will be held on Wednesday, September 17th. They make it easy to join in. <https://eriecountypa.gov/departments/planning-and-community-development/programs/keep-erie-county-beautiful/international-coastal-cleanup/>. The central organizer for Erie County is Lynn Armel, *Sustainability Coordinator*, Erie County Department of Planning & Community Development, Phone: 814.451.7326, Email: larmel@eriecountypa.gov.
 - **Annual French Creek Watershed Clean-Up** will be held Saturday, September 10th, at the Cambridge Springs Fairgrounds, removing trash from the French Creek watershed. To register visit their website www.frenchcreekconservancy.org, Joshua Lewis, French Creek Valley Conservancy, 61485 Snow Alley Cambridge Springs, PA 16403, Email: josh@frenchcreekconservancy.org, Phone: (814) 337-4321
- **Roadside litter pickup** – Adopt A Highway <https://www.penndot.pa.gov/about-us/RoadsideBeautification/Documents/AAH%20Contacts.pdf>
- **ELCA's Season of Creation** - Observe the Season of Creation, September 1st – October 4th <https://seasonofcreation.org/resources/>
- **Organize a letter writing/email/phone campaign** to state and national leaders to show your support for legislation and funding that reflects creation care. Lutheran Advocacy Ministry in Pennsylvania (LAMPa) <https://www.lutheranadvocacypa.org/creation-care-education-and-housing-get-boost-in-state-budget/>
- **Plant native** trees, shrubs, flowers and grasses. Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR): <https://www.dcnr.pa.gov/Conservation/WildPlants/LandscapingwithNativePlants/Pages/default.aspx?eType=EmailBlastContent&eld=d47bc40f-c33a-48e8-a1db-fa821445f573>
- **NWPA Synod Green Team "Green Corner"** – Keep up to date with the Green Team on the Synod's website: <https://www.northwesternpasynodelca.org/nwpa-green-team.html> All issues of the "Green Corner" can be found here: <https://www.northwesternpasynodelca.org/the-green-corner.html>

2022 "GOD'S WORK. OUR GREEN HANDS." September 11, 2022

- **Stream cleanup** - Keep American Beautiful - <https://www.keppabeautiful.org/programs/pick-up-pa/> **International Coastal Cleanup** in September.
 - **Erie County** cleanup events will be held on Wednesday, September 17th. They make it easy to join in. <https://eriecountypa.gov/departments/planning-and-community-development/programs/keep-erie-county-beautiful/international-coastal-cleanup/>. The central organizer for Erie County is Lynn Armel, *Sustainability Coordinator*, Erie County Department of Planning & Community Development, Phone: 814.451.7326, Email: larmel@eriecountypa.gov.
 - **Annual French Creek Watershed Clean-Up** will be held Saturday, September 10th, at the Cambridge Springs Fairgrounds, removing trash from the French Creek watershed. To register visit their website www.frenchcreekconservancy.org, Joshua Lewis, French Creek Valley Conservancy, 61485 Snow Alley Cambridge Springs, PA 16403, Email: josh@frenchcreekconservancy.org, Phone: (814) 337-4321
- **Roadside litter pickup** – Adopt A Highway <https://www.penndot.pa.gov/about-us/RoadsideBeautification/Documents/AAH%20Contacts.pdf>
- **ELCA's Season of Creation** - Observe the Season of Creation, September 1st – October 4th <https://seasonofcreation.org/resources/>
- **Organize a letter writing/email/phone campaign** to state and national leaders to show your support for legislation and funding that reflects creation care. Lutheran Advocacy Ministry in Pennsylvania (LAMPa) <https://www.lutheranadvocacypa.org/creation-care-education-and-housing-get-boost-in-state-budget/>
- **Plant native** trees, shrubs, flowers and grasses. Pennsylvania Department of Conservation and Natural Resources (DCNR): <https://www.dcnr.pa.gov/Conservation/WildPlants/LandscapingwithNativePlants/Pages/default.aspx?eType=EmailBlastContent&eld=d47bc40f-c33a-48e8-a1db-fa821445f573>
- **NWPA Synod Green Team "Green Corner"** – Keep up to date with the Green Team on the Synod's website: <https://www.northwesternpasynodelca.org/nwpa-green-team.html> All issues of the "Green Corner" can be found here: <https://www.northwesternpasynodelca.org/the-green-corner.html>