Climate Change, Christians and Nonviolence

Saturday 15th August, 1-4pm Quaker Meeting House, Lower Hall 119 Devonshire St, Surry Hills Gold coin entry

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Learn

Why nonviolent direct action in the tradition of Martin Luther King,
Gandhi and Desmond Tutu is a legitimate response to the climate crisis

about:

- The spirituality and theology of nonviolent direct action (NVDA)
- The power of NVDA
- How to get involved in potential actions

With:

- Justin Whelan, Pace e Bene Nonviolence Service
- Jonathan Moylan, Rising Tide
- Catherine Cresswell, Greenpeace
- Anne and Ian Hodgson, climate activists

Ordinary people around the world are participating in nonviolent direct action at coal infrastructure, government offices, carbon exchanges and more. Among them are Christians, who are moved by the urgency of climate change and the failures of the political process to address it, and by a long Christian legacy of nonviolence.

"We are now faced with the fact, my friends, that tomorrow is today. We are confronted with the fierce urgency of now. In this unfolding conundrum of life and history, there is such a thing as being too late." (Martin Luther King Jr.)