

ENCYCLICAL LETTER

LAUDATO SI

OF THE HOLY FATHER

FRANCIS

ON CARE FOR OUR COMMON HOME

WHAT IS HAPPENING TO OUR COMMON HOME

- I Pollution and climate change
- II The issue of water
- III Loss of biodiversity
- IV Decline in the quality of human life and the breakdown of society
- V Global inequality
- VI Weak responses
- VII A variety of opinions

THE GOSPEL OF CREATION

- I The light offered by faith
- II The wisdom of the Biblical accounts
- III` The mystery of the Universe
- IV The message of each creature in the harmony of creation
- V A universal communion

VI The common destiny of goods

VII The gaze of Jesus

THE HUMAN ROOTS OF THE ECOLOGICAL CRISIS

I Technology: creativity and power

II The globalization of the technocratic paradigm

III The crisis and effects of modern anthropocentrism

INTEGRAL ECOLOGY

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II Cultural ecology

III Ecology of daily life

IV The principle of the common good

V Justice between the generations

LINES OF APPROACH AND ACTION

I Dialogue on the environment in the international community

II Dialogue for new natural and local policies

III Dialogue and transparency in decision making

IV Politics and economy in dialogue for human fulfilment

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ECOLOGICAL EDUCATION AND SPIRITUALITY

I Towards a new lifestyle

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III Ecological conversion

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VI Sacramental signs and the celebration of rest

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