



# WISCONSIN INTERFAITH POWER AND LIGHT

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## Welcome to our first monthly e-newsletter!

As you may know, Wisconsin Interfaith Climate and Energy Campaign has affiliated with the national [Interfaith Power and Light \(IPL\)](#) initiative to become [Wisconsin Interfaith Power and Light \(WIPL\)](#). We are excited about the possibilities this creates for collaboration among people of faith in Wisconsin and with 37 other state affiliates across the U.S.

Below you will find notices about upcoming opportunities to join us in informing, training, and activating people of all faiths and faith communities to take concrete steps in response to global warming.

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## Save the Date!

### WISCONSIN INTERFAITH POWER AND LIGHT LAUNCH EVENT!

SUNDAY, MAY 15, 2011, 3-5 P.M.

HOLY WISDOM MONASTERY, 4200 COUNTY HIGHWAY M, MIDDLETON, WI

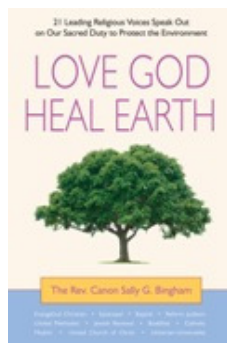
**Keynote Speaker:** [Rev. Canon Sally Bingham](#), founder, **Interfaith Power and Light**

Congregations that have signed and returned the [WIPL Congregation Covenant](#) and organizations that have signed and returned the [Partner Organization Covenant](#) will be publicly recognized at this event.

See <http://www.wisconsinipl.org/launchevent.htm> for more information.

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## LIMITED TIME OFFER



A FREE Copy of [Love God, Heal Earth: 21 Leading Religious Voices Speak Out on Our Sacred Duty to Protect the Environment](#), edited by the Rev. Canon Sally Bingham, will be given (while supplies last) to congregations that sign and return the Congregational Covenant and individuals or organizations that donate \$100 or more to Wisconsin Interfaith Power & Light. See the WIPL Join/Give page at <http://www.wisconsinipl.org/join.htm>. Quantities limited -- send in your Congregational Covenant or donation SOON to get your copy of this powerful and inspiring book!

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## **SHOW THE EARTH SOME LOVE**

**NATIONAL PREACH-IN ON GLOBAL WARMING** - February 11-13, 2011

WIPL joins Interfaith Power and Light in inviting religious leaders to preach a sermon on global warming on February 11-13, 2011, or any time during February. See

<http://www.interfaithpowerandlight.org/preachin> for information, resources, and to register your participation.

**SEND THE ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY A VALENTINE** - Visit

<http://www.weheartepa.org/> to sign a Valentine stating, "We love the EPA's role in protecting our water, air and health." The signatures will be delivered in person to the EPA on Feb. 14. Spread the word!

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## **SEVENTH ANNUAL WISCONSIN INTERFAITH EARTH MONTH POSTER CONTEST - APRIL 2011**

For All K-12 Students. Organized by WIPL and the Islamic Environmental Group of Wisconsin See <http://www.wisconsinipl.org/interfaithearthmonth.htm> for details and registration

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