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April 11, 2015 9:00 am - 4:00 pm

An interactive conference to address common barriers to climate change action and galvanize community efforts to address them.

## Highlights of the Conference

We're shifting the conversation from, "Is climate change real?" to "How do we work together on solutions ensuring climate justice for everyone?" Keynote presentation by The Climate Reality Project will focus on overcoming barriers to action.

Jerome McDonnell, host of WBEZ's global affairs program Worldview, will moderate a panel of experts who are leaders in the environmental movement, organizing, politics, and business.

In workshops we will take actions focused on positive results and discuss how to sustain action into the future through a new online community collaboration tool: [www.ConnectionsForAction.Solutions](http://www.ConnectionsForAction.Solutions). A session on how to avoid burn out and how to stay hopeful in the face of such daunting challenges will also be held.

We will focus on individual and collective actions to reduce money's influence in our democracy, to build public momentum, and to more effectively communicate with our communities about the importance of action.

## Come Hear and Talk With Leaders From:

Faith in Place—Rev. Brian Sauder  
Illinois State House—Rep. Elaine Nekritz  
Illinois Solar Energy Association—Lisa Albrecht  
Natural Resources Defense Council—Rebecca Stanfield  
Corporate Sustainability Officer—Dana Miller  
The Climate Reality Project—Dan Huntscha  
The Sierra Club—Barbara Hill

### Co-Sponsors:



### Host Location and Information

Countryside Church Unitarian Universalist  
1025 N. Smith St, Palatine, IL

Sign-in begins at 9:00 AM.

A **\$10 donation**, payable at the door on the day of the conference, is requested to help cover an on-site luncheon.

Registration is due by April 4<sup>th</sup>. Walk-ins are welcome on the day of the event but the complimentary luncheon options might be limited for those attendees.

Questions? Call: (847) 485-9468.

### Registration Information

Registration can be completed at:  
<https://ClimateAction411.eventbrite.com>

You can register for a combo ticket at a discount for both the Climate Action 411 Conference on April 11th and the Wild & Scenic Film Festival being held on April 10th for \$12.00. Tickets for the Wild & Scenic Film Festival only are \$5.00. If you register for the combo ticket, you save \$3.00

For information regarding the Wild & Scenic Film Festival, visit:  
<http://www.connectionsforaction.solutions/events/>