

FIHC Unum Omnes participates in announcement of the Laudato Si' Action Platform



Cardinal Peter Turkson, Prefect of the Vatican's Dicastery for Promoting Integral Human Development, has announced the creation of a [Laudato Si' Action Platform](#).

We're grateful to share that FIHC Unum Omnes plays a central role in the platform's development as a member of the Family Working Group.

The Laudato Si' Action Platform is a key Vatican initiative to empower the universal Church to achieve total sustainability in the holistic spirit of integral ecology. As storms grow more intense, seas rise, and deserts grow, the human family is facing ever-higher risks of hunger, sickness, and conflict. Sadly, it is the most vulnerable of our sisters and brothers who face the worst consequences.

For decades, the Church has taught us to urgently respond to this crisis. Unum Omnes has helped lead the response, in sensitizing its members towards caring for creation.

The Laudato Si' Action Platform builds on the foundation established by partner organizations. In creating a shared space for action, it offers new momentum to urgently and ambitiously address our ecological crisis. This is a key way to continue growing and developing as we work to build a better future together.

FIHC Unum Omnes is committed to the care of our common home and recognise that Laudato Si Action Plans will provide many opportunities to dialogue and energize communities in the implementation of what *Laudato Si'* calls us to do. We exhort our members to make the Laudato Si Action Plan a living reality using the opportunities presented to offer a teaching and evangelization tool for our Catholic faith community particularly for our youth.

Today's announcement launches the first phase of the initiative. The first phase is an opportunity for institutions, communities, and families to review initial information and consider their path forward.

The next phase of development will launch on 4 October, which is the Feast of St. Francis and the conclusion of the Season of Creation. FIHC Unum Omnes will contribute to the continued development of this initiative in the run-up to 4 October.

The Laudato Si' Action Platform is available at laudatosiactionplatform.org