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New Vision, Evangelicals to Hold West Virginia Day of Prayer for Creation Care

July 29, 2013 – **New Vision Renewable Energy** and the **Evangelical Environmental Network** and many others will host the first West Virginia Day of Prayer for Creation Care on **Tuesday, July 30, 2013** in Morgantown, WV. The day will begin with a prayer breakfast and be followed by a press conference featuring local Christian Music Artist Linda Biery, representatives of the Evangelical Environmental Network, New Vision Renewable Energy, and area ministry leaders.

The West Virginia Day of Prayer for Creation Care will focus on the biblical obligations of Christians to be stewards of God's creation, the impact of stewardship on human life, especially children and future generations, and how the Lausanne movement founded by Billy Graham is calling the church back to our original mandate to be good stewards of God's world.

Water pollution is a significant problem in West Virginia. The West Virginia Department of Health [has issued mercury, selenium, and dioxin fish advisories](#) for several West Virginia waterways and lakes. Up to 1 in 6 unborn children are born with too high levels of mercury in their blood. West Virginia is also home to some of the finest forests and rivers in the nation. Common sense approaches to protecting our home for current and future generations just makes sense.

Pro-life evangelical Christians believe that the protection of children, the unborn, and those yet to be born is at the heart of who we are. As such, climate change, forest and river conservation, and environmental toxins should be non-partisan issues.

What: Creation Care Prayer Breakfast

When: 8:30 am Tuesday, July 30, 2013

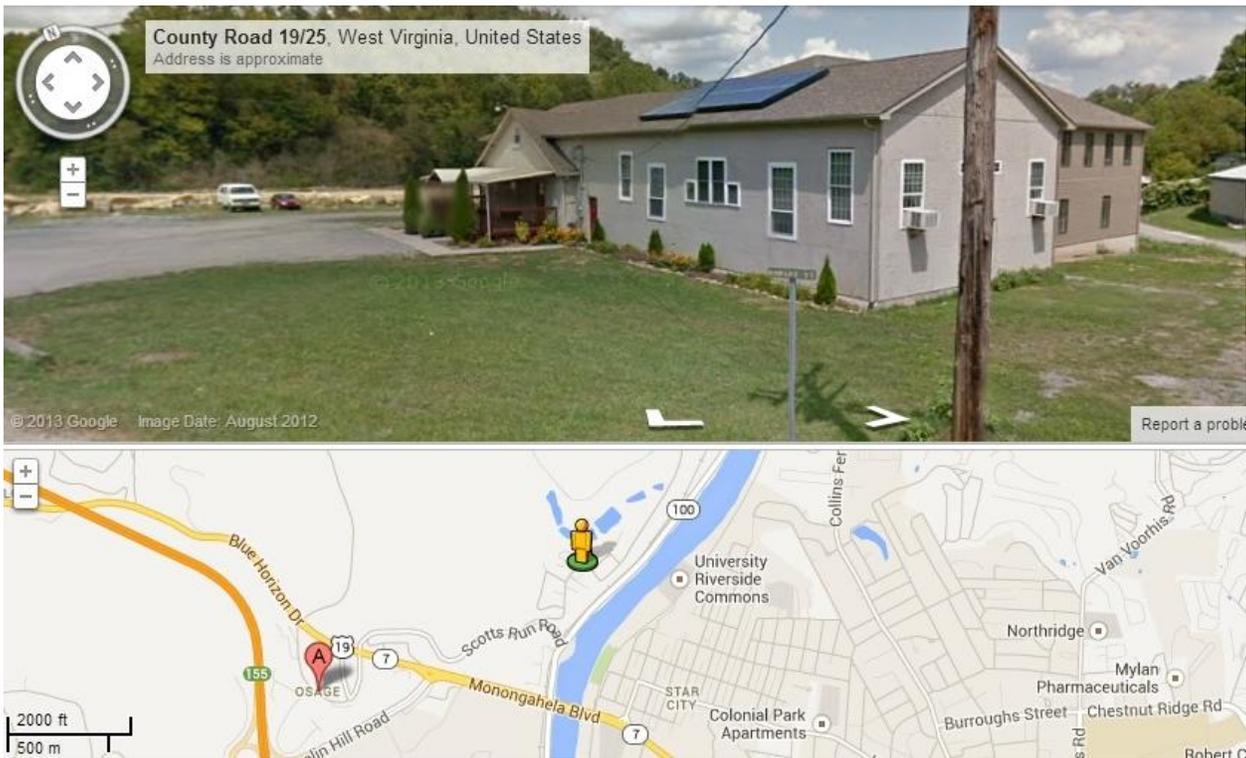
Where: Chestnut Ridge Community Church, 2223 Cheat Road, Morgantown, WV 26508

The breakfast will be followed by a press conference with area ministry leaders:

What: Press Conference

When: 11 am Tuesday, July 30, 2013

Where: The Storehouse of God 147 Howard Street, Maidsville, WV (near 182 Country Road, 19/25, Osage, West Virginia, in front of an old sign that says Howard Street.)



You can find more about the day <http://prayerforcreationcare.org>

ABOUT NEW VISION:

New Vision Renewable Energy is a nonprofit 501(c)3 organization launched in Philippi, West Virginia in 2009 as a grassroots Christian Community Development organization working to ReEnergize Communities to implement renewable energy solutions in their own neighborhoods through hands-on community development efforts. New Vision is an educational and innovation movement focusing on applicable technologies with renewable solutions and serves as a hub of collaborative discussion, training and invention bringing together green innovators, community leaders, youth, companies, organizations as well as public and private partners. As a member of the United Nations Foundation Energy Practitioners Network, New Vision helps to eradicate the effects of poverty in the developing world. Visit www.NVRE.org or find us on Facebook at New Vision Renewable Energy for more details. For more information, contact Pamela O'Brien at POBrien@NVRE.org.