NORTHMINSTER PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

**Earth Month 2023: Our Pledges**

“Do One Thing” to be better stewards of our environment

**ACTION NAME**

Turn off the lights, re-use plastic storage containers Georgia

Use only cloth napkins and kitchen towels Leslie

(reduce paper waste)

Stop using Zip-Lock bags (reduce plastic waste) Jan

Help plant tree on Earth Day Liz

Work on “greening” the church

Compost, minimize waste, use recycled items Kathryn & Dan

Discover history. Eat local and in season foods

Unplug chargers when not in use Trisha & Bret

Take shorter showers

Walk to Golden Gardens once per week (drive less) Katy S.

Reduce cyber waste, send smaller attachments Dana

Check out the “Where Does It Go” site for recycling Keith

 guidance

Buy bulk flour, oats, coffee, and other staples Ali D.

Switch to plant-based milk Jeny

Plant my tree, think before buying Nancy

Stop using paper towels (use washable cloths) Carol

Try bar shampoo & conditioner (without plastic packaging)

Reduce saran wrap use

Unplug charges when not in use Jen

Turn off lights Elise

Buy bamboo toilet paper (renewable resource) Bronwen, Patrick

Unplug chargers when not in use Lisa

Figure out my soda stream machine Anonymous

Continue not to smoke

Turn off lights when not needed Isla & Rachel

Volunteer at recycling event Stacy

Exploring rainwater capture for NPC garden Martin & Garden Team

WHAT ELSE CAN WE DO? Keep the challenge alive!