

Connecting the Sunday Sparkle at Hearsall Baptist with the Daily Dust of Life

Welcome

- If friends from afar are visiting, where in Coventry and its environs do you like to show people?
- What do you love about the world you live in?

Worship

- Read Psalm 24
- Share any thoughts this Psalm might have inspired in you
- Offer a prayer of thanksgiving to God.

Word

Read Genesis 2: 1 - 3 & 15 - 20.

- “Human beings are partly nature, the part which is conscious of itself.” What does that say about our relationship with the rest of nature?
- Should Christian Aid involve itself in particular political action, including telling people how to vote? How far should it go?
- “The earth is the Lord’s and the fullness thereof; the world and all who dwell therein,” says Psalm 24. Does this mean that “all the earth belongs to all the people”? If so, how can we make sure it becomes a reality?

Response

- Our care for the planet God has given us is of course a matter of practical action, not fine words. Try to come up with **at least one action** you could take to help care for our world.
- Share with one another what that action might be. Encourage each other to put this into practice.