

INTRODUCTION

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WOUNDED EARTH WOUNDED HUMANITY

God's call for climate justice

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LOVE

- ▣ Love God
 - ▣ Prayer and Worship
 - ▣ Interconnectedness with ALL the Creation
- ▣ Love Neighbor
- ▣ Love Self



LOVE



JUSTICE

- ▣ On Earth as it is in Heaven
- ▣ Right Relationship
- ▣ Beloved Community
- ▣ Politics



WOUNDED EARTH

Wounded Earth
by C.K. Williams

It is as I suspect not that rare for you to be
wounded ravaged stripped of so much
of what you wore with seeming pride

your seething glittering oceans your forests
nothing new for you meteors comets
volcanoes extinctions the battering ice ages

so perhaps we shouldn't psalm *poor earth*
for truly we moan and despair for ourselves
cast into that future we dread while the time

in which we sorrowed you'll not have regretted
because how can earth not have a past
and how can earth even with a past so fouled

not notice how we departed leaving our heirs
to mourn this patch this sherd of existence
we'd been so confident we'd cherish forever

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WOUNDED HUMANITY

- ▣ SCRIPTURAL THEMES
 - ▣ BROKEN RELATIONSHIP
 - ▣ DEBT/INHERITANCE
 - ▣ STEWARDSHIP/DOMINATION
 - ▣ HEALING AND FORGIVENESS
 - ▣ DEATH AND RESURRECTION



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- A Place to Connect
- A Time to Listen

