

The Francis Effect:

Reflections on the Pope's Addresses To Congress and the United Nations Assembly

Saturday, October 17, 3-4:30 PM

**Evjue Board Rooms
Anderson United Way Center
2059 Atwood Avenue, Madison**



Speakers:

Congressman Mark Pocan on Congress' reception of the Pope's message and what citizens can do to support legislation to curb carbon emissions

Brother Edward van Merrienboer, O.P., director of Faith Formation at Blessed Sacrament Parish, on Catholic social teaching on care for the earth and the impact of the Pope's addresses on national and world leaders

Sister Maureen McDonnell, O.P., on her experiences in Washington as Rep. Pocan's invited guest to hear the Pope's address to Congress



Dr. Joe Elder of the Dane County Chapter of the United Nations Association on the potential impact of the Pope's address to the UN on the Climate Change Conference in Paris November 30 to December 11, 2015

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