"Sustaining hope in the face of climate change: Faith communities gather"

St. John's , Lafayette Square, Washington DC

May 1-2, 2013

Wednesday, May 1

7:00-9:00 PM (Public event)

Keynote event: "Sustaining hope in the reality of a climate change" (St John's)

7:00-7:10 Presiding Bishop, opening remarks

7:10 – 8:05 Mary Evelyn Tucker, Yale Forum on Religion and Ecology, keynote address

8:05-8:25 Kevin Noone, Royal Swedish Academy of Science

8:25-8:45 Question and Answer

8:45-9:00 Archbishop –concluding remarks and prayer

Thursday, May 2

8:30—11:45 AM

- 1) lobbying on the Hill OR
- 2) alternative study visit for SK staff and roundtable participants

12:10-1:00 Eucharist , St. John's –(optional, if time allow)

1:00-2:00 Lunch (St. John's)

2:00- 5:00 PM Roundtable discussions (Public event)

2:00-2:10 – Welcoming , Presiding Bishop and Archbishop

2:15- 2:35- Kevin Noone, "The science of climate change"

2:40-3:35 "Envisioning hope: a faith based, international response to climate change"

Facilitator: David Crabtree

Participants: Bishop Julio Murray, Dr. Willis Jenkins, Mary Minette, Kevin Noone

3:35-3:45 PM break

3:45-4:45 PM "Responding in Hope: the local church's response to climate change"

Facilitator: David Crabtree; Participants: Reverend Dr. Margaret Bullit-Jonas, Rev. Henrik Grape, Cassandra Carmichael

4:45-5:00 Q&A, concluding prayer

7:00PM Dinner at the House of Sweden