

# Take TEN for St. Augustine's Green Team!

## Do TEN things from list to join St. A's "GREEN TEAM SUMMER HONOR ROLL"

1. Go on a nature hike
2. Watch this brief kid's video about Pope Francis and caring for creation:  
[https://www.youtube.com/watch?time\\_continue=66&v=o3Lz7dmn1eM&feature=emb\\_logo](https://www.youtube.com/watch?time_continue=66&v=o3Lz7dmn1eM&feature=emb_logo)
3. Create art related to God and the environment
4. Read three books about the environment (get suggestions at local library)
5. Learn about blackwater and greywater, then find three ways to cut water use at home by reusing greywater.
6. Watch a video on environmental justice: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dREtXUij6\\_c](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=dREtXUij6_c)
7. Read Genesis 1-3 (the Creation stories).
8. Find three ways to make your home more environmentally friendly
9. Visit an animal shelter or adopt a stray pet
10. Read 1 book or watch 1 video about one of the following: high cholesterol, diabetes, heart disease, or prostate cancer
11. Do a reduce, reuse or recycling project at home
12. Help beautify the St. Augustine grounds
13. Read Genesis 6:5 - 9:17 about God and Noah.
14. Participate in a mass or prayer service for the environment
15. Grow edible garden plants
16. Visit or volunteer at a local community garden
17. Learn to cook a delicious vegan meal
18. Talk to your parents how your family can take better care of the environment
19. Spend one week consuming only organic food and beverages.
20. Create a list of 10 famous people (athletes, actors, stars) who are vegans or vegetarians, or help the environment
21. Read *Laudato Si* by Pope Francis, or ask a priest or deacon what the Church teaches about the environment
22. Prepare or eat a meal using only locally grown ingredients (nothing that involves shipping).
23. Create and do your own green-themed activity not on this list

***All "GREEN TEAM SUMMER HONOR ROLL" youth will be recognized at the end of August!***

## My TEN Green Team Summer Activities

Name of Activity	Date Finished	Location of Activity (for example: library, my home, Chicago, etc.)	Description of activity (titles of books read, video watched)	Name, title and signature of someone to verify your participation in the activity.
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Also, any “GREEN TEAM SUMMER HONOR ROLL” participants (completed ten activities) who write a one page essay will become eligible for a drawing to receive \$25.00 at the end of August! Essay should answer these four questions: 1) What were your 3 favorite activities and why? 2) What did doing the ten activities teach you about taking better care of the world God created? 3) What will you do differently for your health and the environment after doing your ten activities? 4) What activities would you recommend or not recommend for next year’s list? Turn in to Dcn Mel at [mtardy@nd.edu](mailto:mtardy@nd.edu) by August 23.