

The Roman Union Ursulines of the United States

Hearing the call of our 2019 General Chapter to choose new life by intentionally assuming our personal and corporate responsibility to care for our common home, we commit ourselves to embark on this seven year Laudato Si journey toward integral ecology.

The cry of the earth and the cry of the poor sound an urgent call that impels us to deeper personal and communal ecological conversion and responsible advocacy as a part of this global effort of transformation.

Angela Merici, our foundress, calls us to be artisans of change: "Act, move, believe, strive, hope, cry out to God with all your heart, for without doubt you will see marvelous things."

Recognizing our interconnectedness with all life, we rise to the challenge of widening our tents and our hearts to include all creation as we take practical and hopeful steps in nurturing the beloved community in our common home.

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