

PEACE WITH CREATION

REFLECTION

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The question I chose was question number 1: What does peace with creation look like to you?

Peace with creation to me looks like caring for the world so people, animals and nature can live in harmony and peace. To care for the world to me is to not litter or waste electricity and to do actions that benefit our common home today. It's about recycling, saving water, keeping the land clean and enjoying the beauty of nature. Peace with creation is caring for the earth so future generations can enjoy it too.

I chose the following Laudato Si quote: Laudato Si' (Pope Francis, 2015):

"Each community can take from the bounty of the earth whatever it needs for subsistence, but it also has the duty to protect the earth and to ensure its fruitfulness for coming generations." (Laudato Si', 67)

How does this quote connect with what I created?:

This quote connects to the drawing I created because it shows what will happen if we don't take care of the earth vs if we do as the Laudato Si quote says if we take from earth we must take care of it in return. My drawing shows what will happen if we keep taking for it and not take care for it in return vs if we do.

How does looking after creation / care for creation connect with our college theme of hope

Looking after creation connects with your college theme of hope because caring for the environment shows that we believe in and are working towards a better future. When we protect the earth, we give hope to future generations that they will have clean air, water, and resources to live well. It also reflects hope in action—trusting that small choices today can grow into positive change for tomorrow.

My art piece connects to the catholic social teaching of 'stewardship of creation' that links to the and Laudato Si quotes I chose and my art piece I created.

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