

# Eco update#12

This Eco Update arrives as COP27 is in full flow. We are sharing daily prayers for the conference on our Facebook page and church WhatsApp group. If you are not on this WhatsApp group and like to be added, please ask Polly on 07977 230175 or [admin@tringbaptistchurch.co.uk](mailto:admin@tringbaptistchurch.co.uk).



Polly is involved with a new local initiative to bring together groups and individuals who want to help develop our community in a sustainable way. If you would like to be added to the mailing list, let her know on [pollyeaton5@gmail.com](mailto:pollyeaton5@gmail.com).

The Sustainable Tring Thing

This local group has gained many new members in recent weeks. If you would like to borrow puzzles, just let Nicky know! (01442 822005)



## What goes where?!

**Stamps** - To RNIB (BMS World Mission no longer collecting)

**Plastic bottle tops and corks** - <https://www.bouchonsdamour.com/les-bons-bouchons>

**Old writing implements** - Terracycle (collected by post office Berkhamsted)

**Batteries/Phones** - go to Municipal/Tesco/Council

**Bras** - <https://www.againstbreastcancer.org.uk/>

**Blister packs** – to Superdrug, Hemel for recycling.



## Prayer for COP27

Creator God, Lord and lover of all you have made, we bring to you creation's lament and pain and our own yearnings and fears of what may be.

At this crucial time for people and planet, we offer you our prayers for COP27 in Sharm-el-Sheikh, Egypt.

For activists and observers from civil society, we pray they are able to participate safely, and that they may have access and ability to engage meaningfully in the talks.

For conference delegates and governments, including our own, we pray they truly grasp the urgency and scale of the climate crisis and that they are able to work together to collaborate on global climate solutions.

For those coming from countries in the Global South we pray that their voices are properly prioritised, platformed and truly heard by wealthier nations in talks.

Amen.

To read this prayer in full, and more from A Rocha visit: <https://arocha.org.uk/aruk-activities-during-cop27/>



## FREE Webinar COP27: what's been happening and what happens next?

JRI president and IPCC lead author Dr Mike Morecroft is currently attending COP27 and this webinar will take place shortly after his return to the UK. Mike will share a little about the COP process and the progress of the meetings at COP27 before giving over the majority of the session to a question and answer time. Organised by The John Ray Initiative, an educational charity with a vision to bring together scientific and Christian understandings of the environment in a way that can be widely communicated and lead to effective action. To book, go to: [https://jri.org.uk/book\\_events/cop27-whats-been-happening-and-what-happens-next/?fbclid=](https://jri.org.uk/book_events/cop27-whats-been-happening-and-what-happens-next/?fbclid=)

