

NZC Webinars

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This series of webinars, organised by the three dioceses of Guildford, Portsmouth and Chichester, are to help churches move through the Net Zero journey, from audit to planning to action. All are welcome and attendance is free-of-charge, no booking needed. Use the QR code below for the links to join each Zoom session.

From Audit to Action

Monday 17 February, 1pm

How do we develop a plan to achieve Net Zero, and how do we put it into practice? This webinar will help us develop our churches' thinking on how, once we know what needs doing, we can take action towards our 2030 Net Zero goal.

Let there be (LED) light! Lowering energy use and our electricity bills

Wednesday 7 May, 1pm

Lighting specialist David Burch joins us to explore LED lighting, which has exploded in popularity in recent years. How much energy will they really save? When will we need to change bulbs, or whole light fittings? There will also be a chance to consider other energy savings measures useful in our churches.

Heating our churches 2: A 'heat the people' approach and Infra-Red heating

Wednesday 17 September, 1pm

In some settings radiant heating may be the best solution to our heating needs. This webinar explores the products on offer, their running costs, and where they are best utilised.

Green tariffs – what are they, and why should we switch?

Wednesday 19 March, 1pm

Our speaker, Sophie Phillips, from the Church of England's Net Zero team, will lead us through the latest thinking on green tariffs. What is truly green and what is just greenwashing? What are the cost implications of green energy? And is there really such a thing as green gas?

Heating our churches 1: Effective heating and Heat pumps

Wednesday 25 June, 1pm

Moving from gas and oil to electrically-powered heating systems is challenging, but the technologies exist. Energy specialist Matt Fulford will help us understand what heating system might be right for our church, and where heat pumps in particular may be the best solution.

Generating our own power: Photo-Voltaic (solar) panels

Wednesday 29 October, 1pm

Solar panels are a common feature of the English landscape in 2025, but how much energy do they generate, are they value for money, and will we get permission to install them in heritage contexts? Explore these and other questions in this webinar.



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