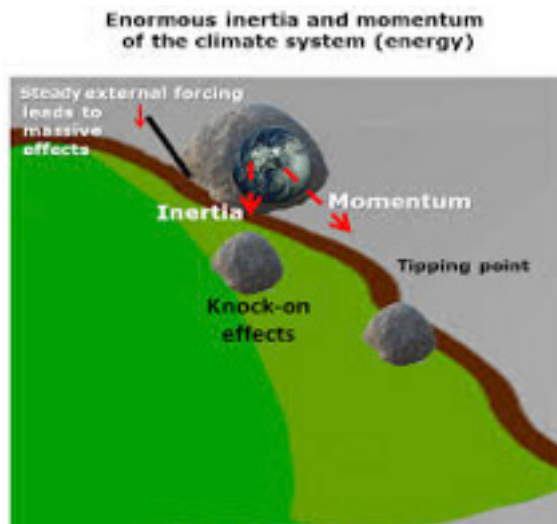


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Message From Reclaiming Earth Committee



“It is impossible to truly care for human beings while at the same time destroying the natural environment as the very foundation of life, essentially undermining the future of humanity.”

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You might remember the name of Patriarch Bartholomew as being quoted in various papers and talks written/given by our Popes in relationship to the environment. He also writes: “Every form of abuse and destruction of creation, along with its transformation into an object of exploitation, constitutes a distortion of the spirit of the Christian gospel ... It is vitally important that you emphasize action on the local level.”

From the United Nations we read: “The United Nations warned last month that the acceleration impacts of climate change – ‘already clearly visible today’ – have triggered an unpredictable wave of natural disasters – including extreme heatwaves, wild fires, storms, and floods during the course of this year ... If we do not change course by 2020,” cautions UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres, “We risk missing the point where we can avoid runaway climate change, with disastrous consequences for people and all the natural systems that sustain us.”

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We continue to hear the same news from many differing sources: faith, scientific, moral, ethical, political and more. If this is inaccurate reporting, much of the world must be in on it.

Where are you with this topic?

