Record Nr. UNINA9911018764403321 Autore Bartholomew Ecumenical Patriarch Titolo On Earth As in Heaven: Ecological Vision and Initiatives of Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew Pubbl/distr/stampa LaVergne,: Fordham University Press, 2025 New York: .: Fordham University Press. . 2011 ©2011 **ISBN** 1-5315-1283-6 Edizione [1st ed.] Descrizione fisica 1 online resource (343 pages) Orthodox Christianity and Contemporary Thought Series Collana Classificazione REL049000SCI026000 Altri autori (Persone) ChryssavgisJohn The Duke of EdinburghHis Royal Highness Disciplina 230 Soggetti Christianity - Orthodox Religion Lingua di pubblicazione Inglese **Formato** Materiale a stampa Livello bibliografico Monografia Note generali Title from eBook information screen... Nota di contenuto Cover -- Title Page -- Copyright -- Contents -- Foreword -- Preface -- Introduction -- The Green Patriarch -- Initiatives and Activities --Reading This Volume -- 1. Call to Vigilance and Prayer: Patriarchal Encyclicals for September 1st -- Messages by Ecumenical Patriarch Dimitrios (1972–1991) -- Messages by Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew -- 2. Orthodox Theology and the Environment: General Addresses -- Award Ceremonies -- Religion, Science, and the Environment Symposia -- Conferences and Events -- Articles -- 3. Nature and Cosmos: Beauty and Harmony of Creation -- Award Ceremony -- Symposia -- Events -- 4. Ecology and Ethics: Virtues and Values, Responsibility and Justice -- Conferences and Seminars -- RSE Symposia -- 5. Prayer and Spirituality: Transfiguration and Sacrifice -- Conferences and Seminars -- Religion, Science, and the Environment Symposia -- Publications and Reflections -- 6. Education and Economy: Conservation, Education, and People Over the past two decades, the world has witnessed alarming Sommario/riassunto environmental degradation--climate change, the loss of biodiversity,

and the pollution of natural resources--together with a failure to

implement environmental policies and an ever-widening gap between

rich and poor. As this new volume of his writings reveals, Ecumenical Patriarch Bartholomew has continually proclaimed the primacy of spiritual values in determining environmental ethics and action. For him, the predicament we face is not primarily ecological but in fact spiritual: The ultimate aim is to see all things in God, and God in all things. On Earth as in Heaven demonstrates just why His All Holiness has been dubbed the "Green Patriarch" by former Vice President Al Gore (recipient of the Nobel Peace Prize for his environmental activism) and the media. This third and final volume of the spiritual leader's selected writings showcases his statements on environmental degradation, global warming, and climate change. It contains numerous speeches and interviews in various circumstances, including ecological symposia, academic seminars, and regional and international events, over the first twenty years of his ministry. This volume also encompasses a selection of pastoral letters and exhortations--ecclesiastical, ecumenical, and academic--by His All Holiness for occasions such as Easter and Christmas, honorary doctorates, and academic awards. On Earth as in Heaven is a rich collection, essential for religious scholars, those looking for a deeper understanding of Orthodox Christianity, and anyone concerned with the environmental and social issues we face today.