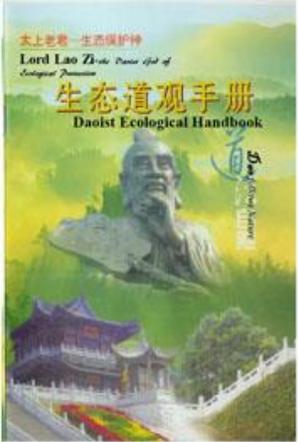
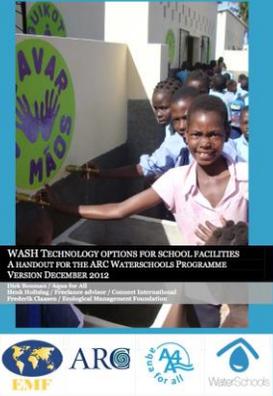
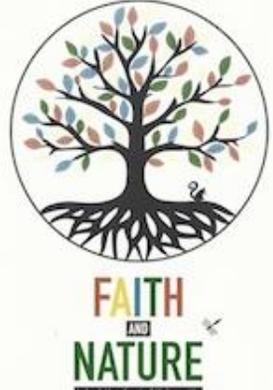


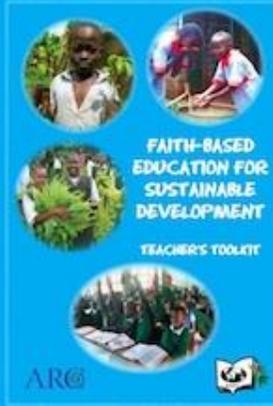
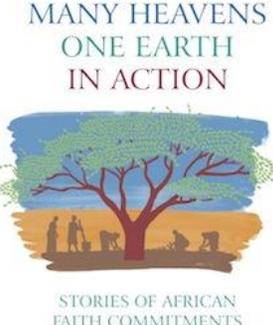
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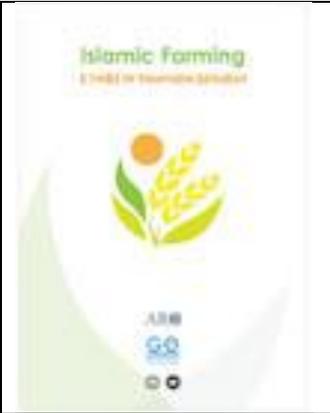
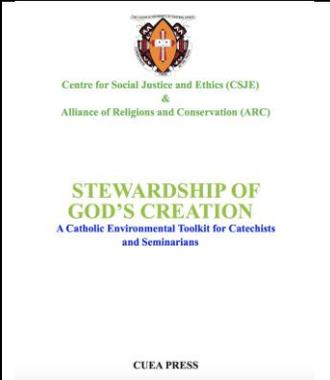
A wide range of informative publications about faith-based environmental action have been produced by the Alliance of Religions and Conservation (ARC) and partner organisations around the world. These are available to download free using the links in the table below

	<p>Daoist Ecological Handbook for Temples (2011)</p>	<p>A handbook for Daoist temples in China about how - and why - to go green has now been translated into English. It makes for inspiring reading. It includes case studies, quotes, prayers for morning, afternoon and evening, and simple advice on how to take care of nature.</p> <p>Download it here.</p>
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 <p>WASH TECHNOLOGY OPTIONS FOR SCHOOL FACILITIES A HANDBOOK FOR THE ARC WATER SCHOOLS PROGRAMME VERSION DECEMBER 2012</p> <p>EMF ARC WASH WaterSchools</p>	<p>WASH solutions for schools handbook (2012)</p> <p>Dick Bouman Henk Holtslag Frederik Claasen</p>	<p>A comprehensive and practical guide to techniques and resources to help schools in developing countries achieve clean and safe water and promote hygiene and sanitation to prevent disease.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>
 <p>FAITH AND NATURE</p>	<p>Faith and Nature (2014)</p> <p>Farheen Mukri & Sofia Jamil</p>	<p>Comprehensive eco-Guide is an attractively designed booklet intended to be a manual for Muslim individuals and faith organisations in Singapore wanting to “implement change progressively”.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>

 <p data-bbox="191 570 485 656">The Hidden Forest</p>	<p data-bbox="518 245 827 347">Hidden Forest (story version) (2013)</p> <p data-bbox="518 386 768 415">Jahnavi Harrison</p>	<p data-bbox="980 245 1898 521">Entertaining and informative story written with secondary school children in mind about three generations of Hindu women making a sacred pilgrimage. Their experiences on the way shows up the contradiction between the reverence shown to Hindu deities and the disrespectful exploitation of nature that even pilgrims can be part of, but they also rediscover traditional ways of pilgrimage that can contribute to cleaning up sacred sites and the world beyond.</p> <p data-bbox="980 565 1247 594">Download it here .</p>
 <p data-bbox="191 1002 485 1088">The Hidden Forest Story script</p>	<p data-bbox="518 677 905 779">Hidden Forest (play script version) (2013)</p> <p data-bbox="518 818 768 847">Jahnavi Harrison</p>	<p data-bbox="980 677 1898 920">Drama adaptation of the entertaining and informative story written with secondary school children in mind about three generations of Hindu women making a sacred pilgrimage. While essentially written for a small, mostly (or all) female cast, the dramatised version has plenty of scope for building a multi-dimensional performance, including dance/movement, singing and music, that could involve many more students.</p> <p data-bbox="980 964 1247 993">Download it here .</p>

	<p>Faith-based Education for Sustainable Development (teachers' toolkit) (2013)</p>	<p>Created in partnership with East African Muslim and Christian organisations the toolkit offers a cross-curriculum approach that integrates faith values about caring for creation with teaching on the environment in primary schools.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>
	<p>Many heavens one earth in action (2013)</p>	<p>A collection of inspiring stories showing how faith organisations across sub-Saharan Africa are acting to promote the environment in line with their religious traditions.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>

	<p>Islamic Farming: a toolkit for conservation agriculture (2014)</p>	<p><i>Islamic Farming: A toolkit for Conservation Agriculture</i> is a training curriculum for farmers developed in East Africa that integrates Qur’anic scriptures and teachings about caring for the Earth as a religious responsibility with practical training in conservation agriculture: a proven form of sustainable agriculture that has been shown to double crop yields in less than five years while also protecting the environment for future generations.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>
	<p>Stewardship of God’s Creation: a Catholic environmental toolkit for Catechists and Seminarians (2014)</p>	<p>Produced in partnership with the Centre for Social Justice and Ethics at the Catholic University of Eastern Africa this is a comprehensive curriculum covering the use of land, water, biodiversity and other environmental issues from a Catholic perspective.</p> <p>Download it here .</p>

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