The Entry into Force of the Paris Climate Agreement, November 4, 2016 coincides with the launch of a new Parliament of the World’s Religions Climate Change Task Force. Read the statement from Executive Director Dr. Larry Greenfield and Parliament Climate Change Task Force Chair David Hales here.

The Parliament co-sponsored “Faith and Environmental Justice: More Than Simply Loving the Earth” with Chicago Theological Seminary, an esteemed panel featuring the Executive Director of GreenFaith, as well as program representatives from Program T’ruah and Green Muslims.

For International Day of Peace: the Parliament co-sponsored a major session at the UN on Sustainable Development moderated by Jonathan Granoff, the Parliament’s Special Ambassador for Nuclear Disarmament. The forum featured keynotes from Nobel Laureates Leymah Gbowee, Shirin Ebadi and Tawakkol Karman.

Parliament Executive Coordinator Austin Sisson was selected to attend the the GreenFaith convergence conference in Louisiana for an intensive training for young religious and interfaith leaders at “ground zero for climate change” in the United States. His blog post, which was published and cross-promoted by GreenFaith is here.

The Parliament endorsed the Interfaith Climate Change Statement presented to Secretary General Ban Ki-moon at the adoption of the Paris agreement ceremonies.