



Reformation 500 Tree Project

Can you find a space on your church property to plant a tree, 5 trees, 25 trees, or more?

The DE-MD Synod's Creation Care Ministry is in the second year of our challenge to plant 500 trees on the 170+ congregations, retirement communities, camps, schools and other church properties around the Synod to celebrate the 500th anniversary of the Reformation.

Last year we planted 336 so we're well on our way! We have again received grant funding from the Chesapeake Bay Trust to plant trees in 2018. We also have funding to sponsor up to five spiritual and educational workshops with our teammates, Interfaith Partners for the Chesapeake.

There are a variety of trees and are all native to the region. They come in 5-7 gallon containers and range from 5-7' tall. And, they are **free** to you!

If you are interested in receiving trees or hosting a workshop please contact our coordinator, Laura Heller at lheller1@msn.com, or Charlie Bailey, landscape architect, at cbailey9598@gmail.com. Also, if you planted trees last year you are still eligible to receive additional trees this year.