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Actor will speak at Ban Ki-moon climate summit, where leaders gather next week to curb greenhouse gas emissions



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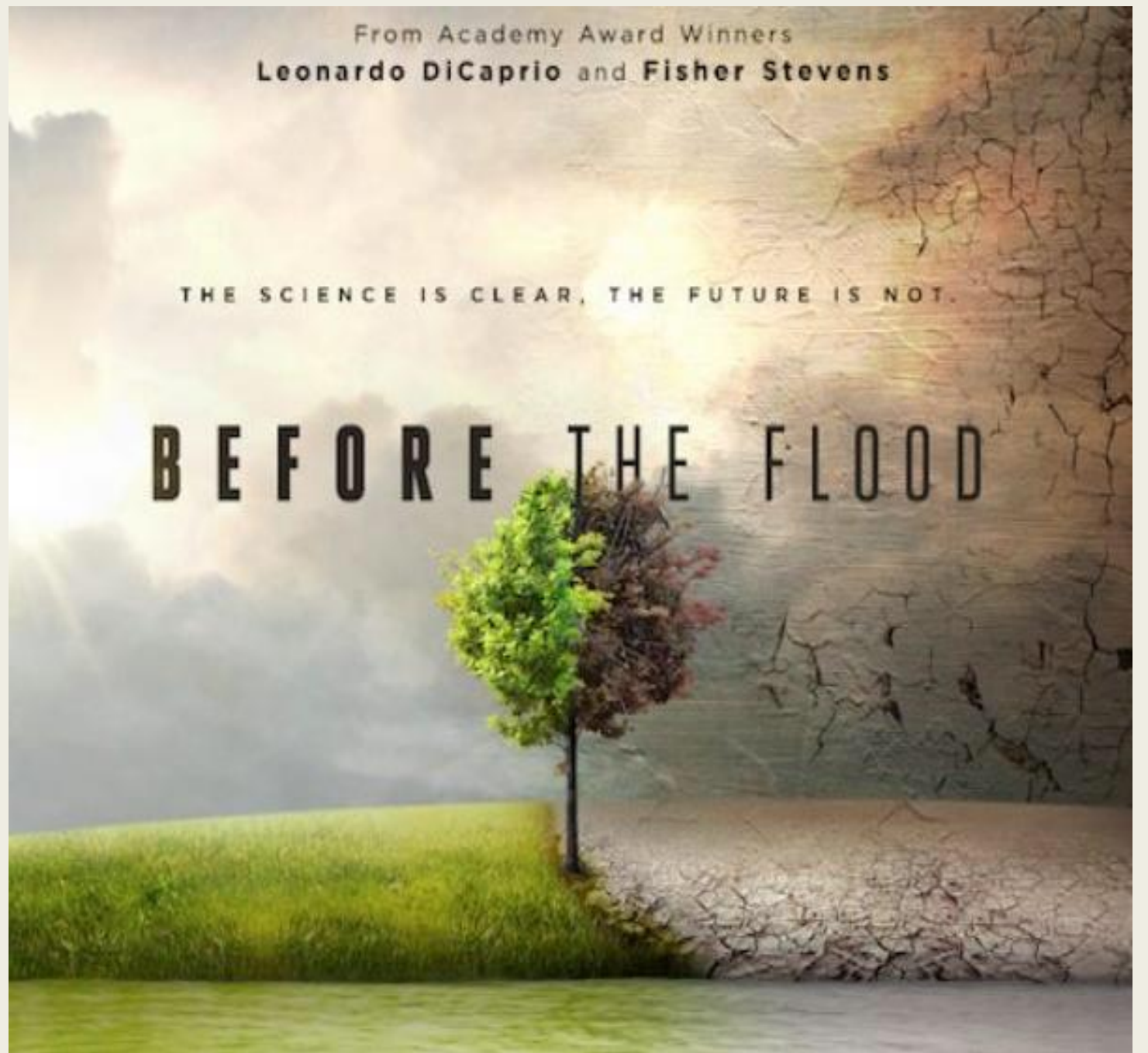
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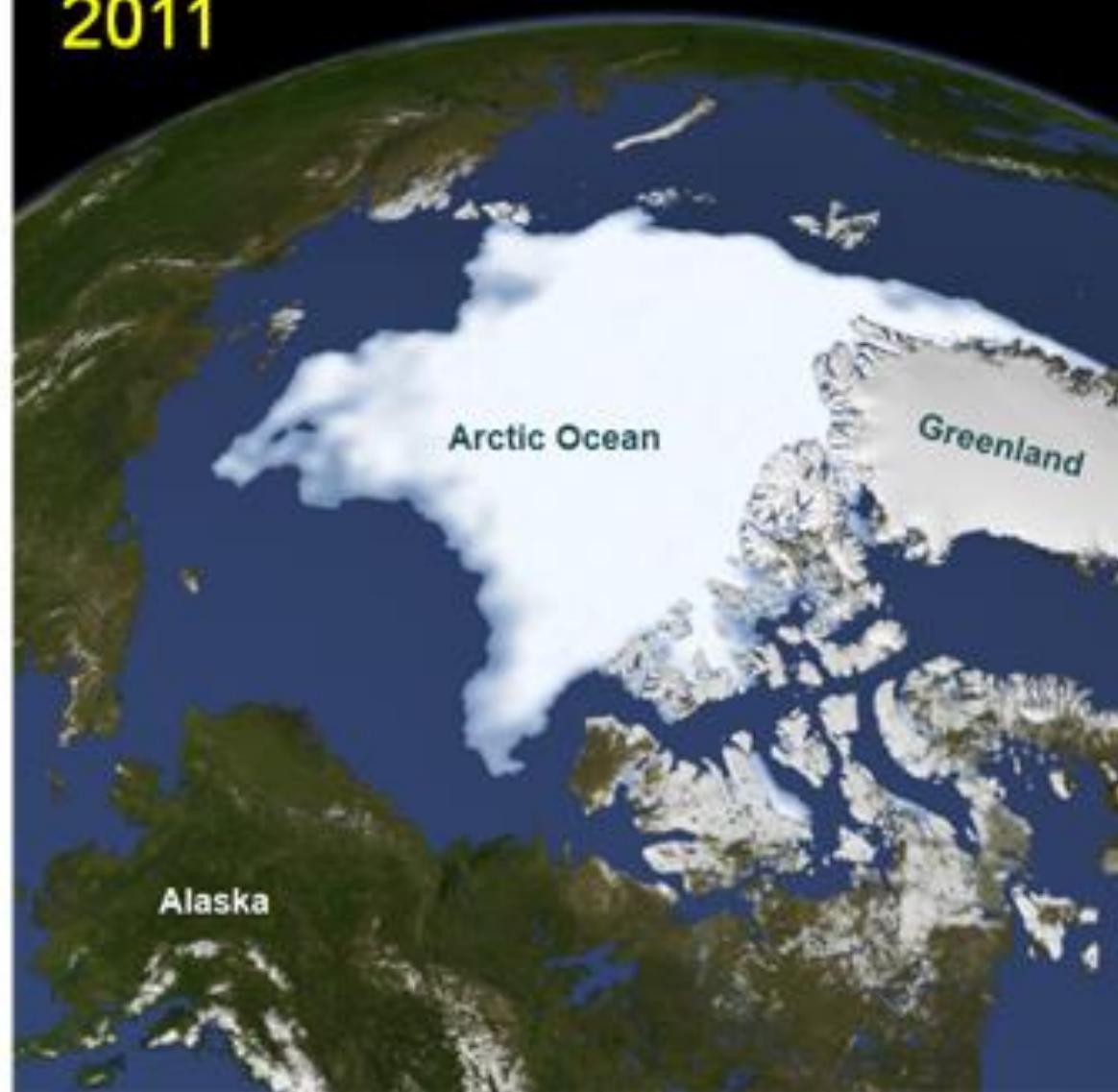
Loss of sea water and ice water



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Five Solomon islands swallowed by the sea

By Angela Dewan, for CNN

Updated 9:38 AM ET, Tue May 10, 2016



Photos: Solomons: A paradise at threat

Communities in parts of the Solomon Islands have been forced to move to higher volcanic islands as they watch their coastline recede, pushing seawater into their homes. Photo taken

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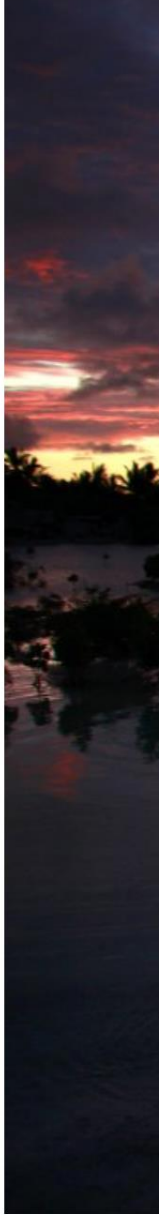
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As the climate warms, sea ice and the ice sheets in Greenland and the Antarctic continue to melt. These and other factors lead to increases in sea level and further warming of the Earth. Climate change will manifest in many many ways, including changes in weather patterns and more extreme weather events.

For some, though, [rising sea levels](#) may



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Kiribati Island erosion. The

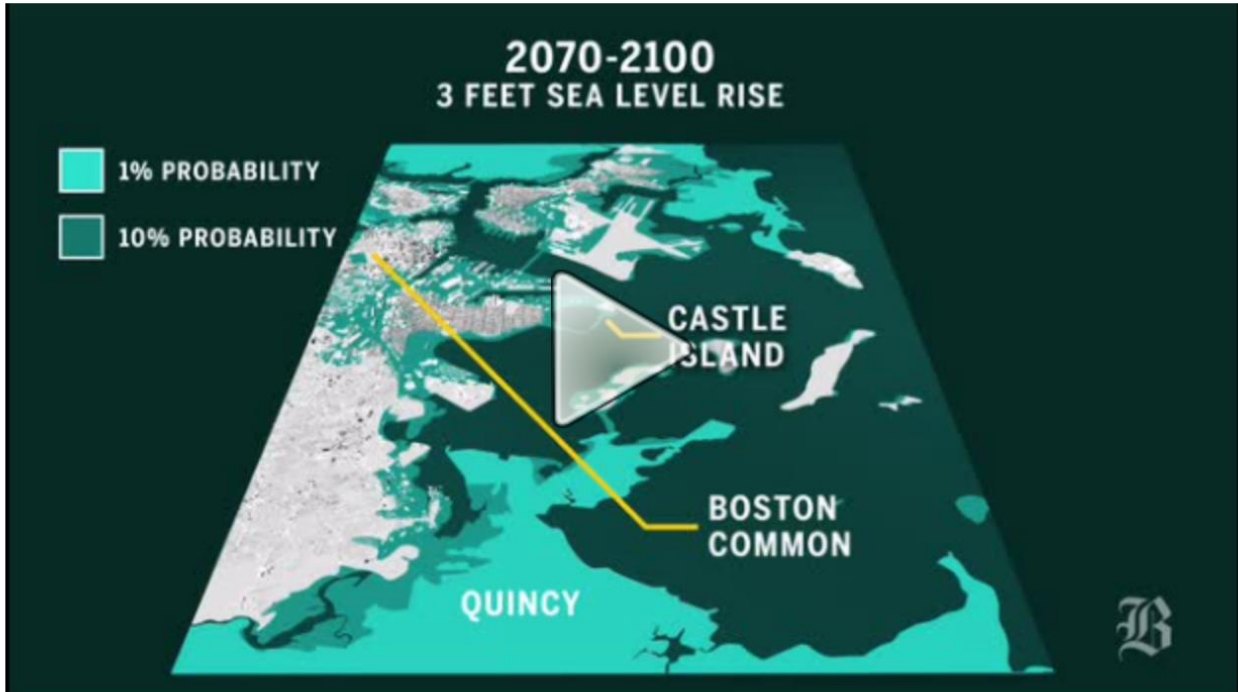
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The seas are rising fast — and even faster in Mass.



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Sea Level Rise

What is Expected for New York

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- New York has experienced **at least a foot of sea-level rise since 1900**, mostly due to expansion of warming ocean water.
- New York's coastal marine counties are **home to more than half of New Yorkers**.
- **By 2100, scientists project sea levels 18 to 50 inches higher than today** along New York's coastlines and estuaries, though a rise as high as 75 inches could occur.
- **Sea-level rise is locked in for centuries**, or even millennia, by heat-trapping greenhouse gases already in the atmosphere. Continuing or increasing emissions will speed up the rise to higher levels.
- **Energy, land use and infrastructure decisions made now will determine how vulnerable our children and grandchildren will be to rising sea-levels.**



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Miami Beach property values may fall as sea levels rise: experts

The ocean could rise two feet by 2060, putting western half of Miami Beach under water

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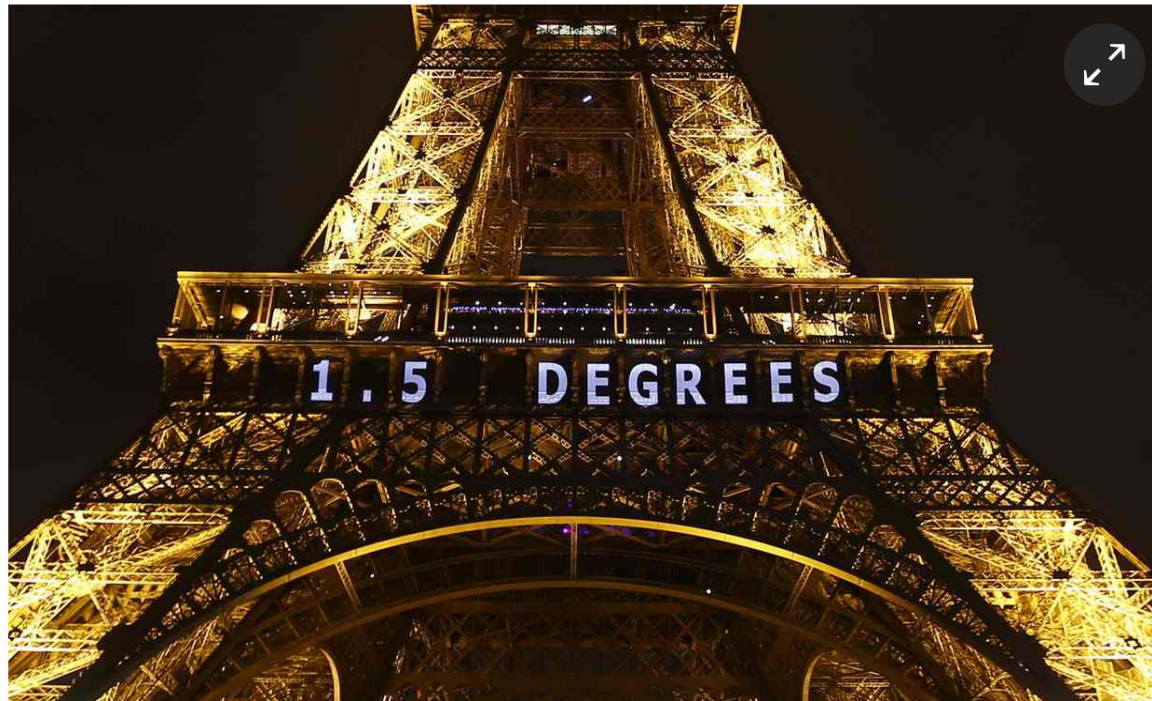
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Paris climate agreement

Paris climate change agreement enters into force

Environment groups hail 'momentous occasion' but warn governments need to cut carbon emissions more steeply to avoid dangerous global warming



📷 The Eiffel tower lit up during the Paris climate talks, referencing the 1.5C target that governments have agreed to pursue efforts to hold temperatures to. Photograph: Francois Mori/AP

Fiona Harvey

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Also religious leaders unite against climate change.



THE BLOG

Amidst Hottest Year on Earth, Faith Leaders Unite and Call for Climate Action

🕒 Oct 22, 2015 | Updated Oct 22, 2016



Yonatan Neril Rabbi Yonatan Neril founded and directs the Interfaith Center for Sustainable Development, which promotes sustainability through the active leadership of faith communities.

In light of new evidence that 2015 will likely be the [hottest year ever recorded](#), Muslim, Hindu, Christian, Jewish, Buddhist and other religious leaders joined together at the Parliament of World Religions pledging faith-based action to combat climate change. The event took place in Salt Lake City, and brought together over 8,000 people from scores of faiths and nations.

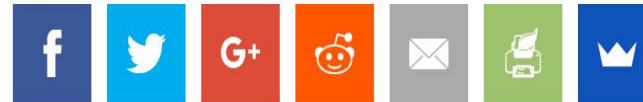
The Parliament of the World's Religions Celebrates Entry Into Force of the Paris Climate Agreement

PARLIAMENT BLOG | Posted In: CLIMATE ACTION | 11. 04. 2016 | By  Larry Greenfield



World's religions unite for New York climate summit

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A promotional banner for a museum exhibit. It features a traditional German crèche (nativity scene) on the left. The text on the right reads: "Crèches of Germany", "Tradition & Faith", and "KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS MUSEUM".



Pope Francis speaks at the climate change and modern slavery workshop in Rome, Italy on June 21, 2015. Credit: L'Osservatore Romano.

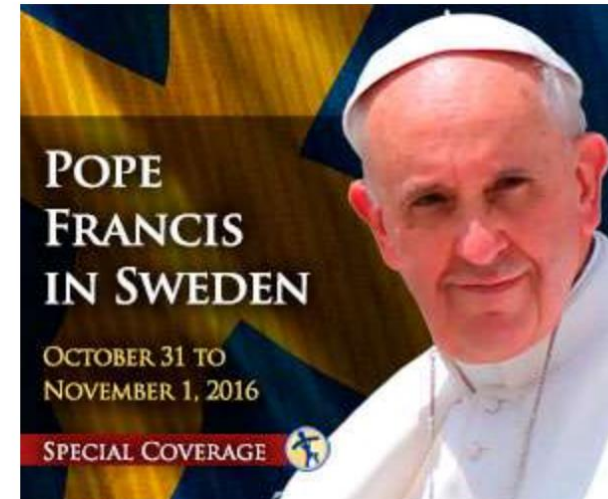



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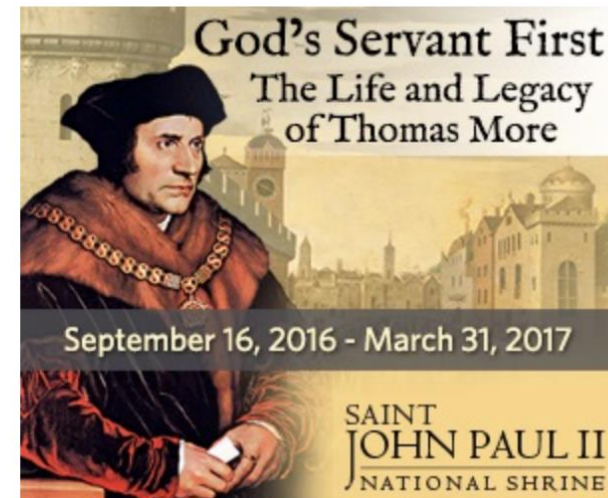
Vatican City, Jul 26, 2015 / 06:03 am ([CNA/EWTN News](#)).- Drawing dozens of mayors from major cities worldwide to discuss the link between slavery and climate change, this week's Vatican conference showed how secular leaders are responding to Pope Francis' lead in protecting the environment – and, more importantly, the vulnerable.

'Protect our common home', world's bishops ask climate change conference

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Pope Francis Tells Jesuit Congregation: 'The World is Our Home'

[Gerard O'Connell](#) | Oct 24 2016 - 10:00am | 4 comments

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“The world is our home,” Pope Francis told the 36th General Congregation of the Society of Jesus this morning. The first Jesuit pope addressed the supreme governing body of the order now meeting in Rome and spoke about what he considers the most important work Jesuits are called to do in the 21st century.

After being welcomed by the newly elected superior general, Arturo Sosa, S.J., and warmly applauded by the delegates, Francis made clear that the mission of the Jesuits is “to be in the world,” and this means they should take “the paths of consolation, of



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