As we observe the 20th anniversary of 9/11, we continue to grapple with the COVID-19 pandemic. Twenty years ago, it was the smoke, ash, and chemicals released by the raging fires in the wake of the destruction of the Twin Towers that threatened the health and safety of survivors. Today it is the invisible virus that continues to threaten us all, while police violence that cuts off their breath always threatens Brown and Black men and women.

All of us alive today will determine the future of life on this planet. What we do or fail to do will affect generations to come. And all of us, together, are the consequential last generation that can make a difference and ensure a livable future. What will be our legacy… will we have been Good Ancestors? Join our three globally-recognized youth activist leaders—co-hosts Xiye Bastida, Co-Founder of Re-Earth Initiative; Jerome Foster II, White House Environmental Justice Advisory Council, Exec. Director, OneMillionOfUs; and Alexandria Villasenor, Founder, Earth Uprising, and guests:

Emily Atkin, Climate Journalist, Founder of the climate newsletter, HEATED
May Bouve, Executive Director of 350.org
Dianna Cohen, Co-Founder, Plastic Pollution Coalition
Bill McKibben, Founder, 350.org; author
Sherri Mitchell, Founding Director, Land and Peace Foundation; Indigenous Rights Attorney, author
Jacqui Patterson, Founding Director, The Chisholm Legacy Project; former Director of NAACP Environment and Climate Justice
Sally Ranney, Founder, Arctic Angels and Global Choices
Mary Robinson, former President of Ireland, Chair of The Elders
Rabbi Jennie Rosenn, Founder and CEO, Dayenu
Avery Schlicher, Director, Sustainability Cloud and Go-to-Market; Salesforce
Harriet Shugarman, Co-Founder, Plastic Pollution Coalition
Karen Washington, Founder, Rise and Root Farm; food activist
Dr. Katharine Wilkinson, Co-founder, All We Can Save Project; former Vice President, Project Drawdown
Michelle Wyman, Executive Director, Global Council for Science & Environment

It’s the start of school, and we are reminded how important it is for this nation to address the issue of education—quality education for all, prioritizing ethics and true history to protect a true democracy. And then there’s the significance of climate change, an imminent threat worth every effort to address. Look for programs addressing both vital themes in this issue.
As I write this, in the wee hours of July 25th, I am about to begin the last leg of the journey that is taking me to NYSEC to be your newest Leader. It has been a long and winding road for both NYSEC and me to reach this point.

When Leader Emerita Dr. Anne Klaeysen announced her retirement in 2019, the Leader Search Team was activated, applicants were interviewed—Bada-bing, Bada-boom!—a new Leader candidate was found! But then the process was changed and came to a halt... and then it resumed.

Once more the Leader Search Team sprang into action, this time selecting three excellent candidates for the Board interview. Dates were set for them to come out with the expectation that the membership would ratify a new Leader in Spring of 2020. And then—Bada-bing, Bada-boom!—COVID-19 changed all plans. Once again, the search process was put on hold until such time as in-person meetings would be possible.

This past Spring, at long last, because of the availability of vaccines for the virus, it was deemed safe enough to bring the candidates out for weekend interviews and the opportunity to give a Platform for NYSEC. I can only speak for myself when I say how thrilling it was to meet in person the people whom I had only met over Zoom and to stand behind a podium for the first time in over a year, in front of an in-person and virtual assembly, to share my Platform with you.

I was, of course, equally thrilled to be named as the newest Leader of NYSEC.

I started traversing my own long and winding road 32 years ago today when I became a minister in Metropolitan Community Church. MCC is a queer Christian denomination and the first church I had ever joined. I served two congregations during my 20-year tenure as an MCC minister; first with MCC Long Beach, in California where I was a staff pastor, and then Pikes Peak MCC in Colorado Springs, where I was the solo pastor.

Then a funny thing happened on the way to seminary: I outgrew the box of Christianity and found a new home in Unitarian Universalism. A year after I received my Doctorate of Ministry, I became the settled Minister of All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church in Colorado Springs, entering an organization where I knew no one and had to learn a whole new UU vernacular, which was decidedly different from that of the MCC.

No matter; I knew I was being authentic to my growing, changing faith. I moved from faith in a deity to faith in humankind. And, in the course of the past 13 years, I have focused on how we can create room at the table of justice, of hope, of peace for all people.

Today, in just a few hours, I will take to the road with my son, Sam, as my co-pilot; my golden doodle, Rubi; and orange tabby, Wham! nestled in the back seat of my Jeep Cherokee, the rear filled with things too precious to be trusted to the movers.

As I drive to New York, I feel as if the long and winding road I’ve been on has always been leading to your door. I just wasn’t aware of it until September 2019 when I first read the description of NYSEC and applied for the Leader position.

Together, you and I will map out a new journey for NYSEC and for our world. Together, we will continue to journey on the long and winding road to justice for all, to mitigating the effects humans have had on our planet, to restoring hope and creating new ways of being.

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Unfortunately, as we all know by now, change doesn’t happen Bada-bing, Bada boom! It takes time; it requires patience; it needs commitment; it creates community. As we embark on this journey together, I am thrilled to be on this journey with you, and I can’t wait to see what good trouble we get into along the way.

See you soon!
Join us in-person at the Society! Weather-permitting, children will meet on the rooftop playground. You must RSVP to be notified by email of schedule changes.

No session on Sept. 5: HAPPY LABOR DAY!

Sept. 12 | 10:15 – 11am:
WELCOME NEWCOMERS & WELCOME BACK EVERYONE ELSE!
Please come 45 minutes early today to sign in at the YEE welcome table. We request and recommend that families make a commitment to come as consistently as possible throughout the season. Unique friendships of support develop from regular attendance. Parents are encouraged to participate in the children’s program and/or attend the Platform talks (See pp. 6-7).

11am – 12:30pm: SING-ALONG
Special guest song-leader Barbara Carlsen
We will be welcoming one another with interactive fun as well as learning and performing a presentation for Ethical NYC’s new Acting Leader, Dr. Nori Rost. Member families are invited to stay for the lunch celebration.

Sept. 19 | 11am – 12:30pm:
UNITED NATIONS’ INTERNATIONAL PEACE DAY
This international observance of this day is officially on September 21. YEE will learn about its history, imagine it’s future, and create its present. We will practice being Ambassadors of Peace, creating Peace Day posters to offer to our school and home communities, and we will contemplate the question, “Can every day be Peace Day?”

Sept. 26 | 11am – 12:30pm: PARACHUTES FOR PEACE
YEE will dive into a special project, creating “Parachutes for Peace.” This is an art project, so wear or bring a painter’s shirt.

1 – 3pm: ETHICAL EDUCATION & PARENTING FORUM
“It takes a village to raise a child” — Community members and parents are welcome to this meeting. It is an open discussion to look at how Ethical Culture’s community can best support families.

COMING UP: October 2
11am: ETHICAL PLAY DATE (only with rsvp)
1:30pm: 1st SUNDAYS for ALL
“PEACE THROUGH CHALLENGING TIMES”
Join us for our monthly intergenerational “show and tell” forum of Ethical learning.
ETHICAL OUTLOOK

ETHICAL ENRICHMENT

WEEKDAY PROGRAMS

Most of our programs are open to the public. Newcomers are always welcome. For an updated listing of all programs, visit https://ethical.nyc/live. We also email a Weekly Program Schedule, where, for applicable programs, you will find the topic and suggested reading of the week and other additional information.

The building will be closed Monday, Sept. 6. Happy Labor Day!

Beginning in September, several program times, and sometimes days, have changed. New programs will be introduced, and some “old” ones will return in coming months. While we transition from remote attendance to in-person participation at the Society, we will use the code letters I for in-person only, H for hybrid (in-person & Zoom), and Z for Zoom only.

MANAGING IN THE TIME OF COVID (Z)

COVID-19 has created challenges for all of us. Retired oncologist Carol Portlock will review recent articles including new science of interest. Clinical psychologist Frank Corigliano will address your concerns about managing day-to-day during this trying time.

Dr. Frank Corigliano moderates 1st & 3rd Mondays
Dr. Carol Portlock moderates 2nd & 4th Mondays

Mondays | 2 – 3pm (No meeting Sept. 6)

MIDWEEK MEDITATION (Z)

Midweek meditation for relaxing body and mind.

Larry Hurst moderates

Tuesdays | 5 – 5:45pm

POETRY CIRCLE (H)

Share poems of your choice. We’ll discuss a line, a word, an image. Send your poems in advance, so they can be shared on screen: ethicaloutlook@gmail.com.

Elinore Kaplan moderates

1st Tues. | Sept. 7 | 10:30am – 12pm

ETHICS IN THE NEWS (Z)

Join this lively give-and-take on compelling issues and current events. Weekly topics and suggested readings.

Joe Fashing moderates

1st & 3rd Tues. | 2 – 3pm

THOUGHT SALON (Z)

Do you love asking questions instead of taking things at face value? Do you want to become a more reflective thinker? We revive the lost art of conversation and fine-tune our critical thinking skills in a respectful and supportive space, opening our minds to new perspectives and possibilities! Dilemmas, brief readings, life’s questions, and personal experience are used as a catalyst for dialogue.

Limited to 20 participants; NYSEC members only. Email Maggie to join the group: mdetermann@nysec.org.

Sandi Sacks moderates

2nd Tues. | Sept. 14 | 10:30am – 12pm

CAMARADERIE & GOOD CONVERSATION ON ISSUES PHILOSOPHICAL & NEWSWORTHY (Z)

We aim to illuminate the philosophical concepts and values that underlie the contemporary issues on which we focus in our discussions.

Joe Chuman, Leader, moderates

3rd Tues. | Sept. 21 | 7 – 8pm

GREAT LITERATURE DISCUSSION

Read the selected works in advance and share your thoughts and observations.

Gunther Tielemans moderates

1st & 3rd Wed. | Sept. 1 & 15 | 7 – 9pm

9/1: Old Goriot, Honoré de Balzac (Z)

In his best-loved novel, Balzac explores the uses and abuses of money with the particularity of a poet. A shabby Parisian boarding house in 1819 is the setting where his colorful characters collide. The sprawling, vibrant, and turbulent Paris of the post-Napoleonic era is itself a major character in the novel, an emblem of the social upheaval that Balzac portrays so brilliantly.

9/15: Frangipani House, Beryl Gilroy (H)

Mama King, an elderly woman with an indomitable spirit, is placed in a rest home in Guyana by her children, who live in America. This claustrophobic experience slowly leeches away at her senses, and she delves into her memories in order to survive. Eventually, she gains enough lucidity to escape. This makes the family descend on the island to find their beloved mother.
WHAT PROGRAMS WOULD YOU LIKE TO MODERATE OR ATTEND?

Contact Deborah Goldstein or Carol Portlock, co-chairs of our Ethical Enrichment Committee, with your suggestions: demiago@gmail.com, carol.portlock@gmail.com.
women. On Sept. 10, 2001, no one would have imagined the devastation that occurred here and at the Pentagon; in December 2019, no one would have imagined how a virus would take the entire world hostage.

How do we catch our breath? What lessons can we learn from each of these catastrophic events? As we begin this new chapter of NYSEC, what actions can we take to ensure a more just, equitable world — one where everyone, regardless of race, religion, ethnicity, sexual orientation, gender identity, can breathe easy?

DR. NORI ROST has traveled a circuitous path in search of truth and meaning. She was a minister with Metropolitan Community Church (a queer Christian denomination) for almost 20 years before making a UU turn 12 years ago. Until coming to join us at NYSEC, she served the All Souls Unitarian Universalist Church as their settled minister for 13 years. Nori has been accepted by the American Ethical Union to complete course requirements to be certified as an Ethical Culture Leader.

Nori holds a Master of Divinity from the Iliff School of Theology in Denver, Colorado, and a Doctor of Ministry from the Episcopal Divinity School in Cambridge, Massachusetts. In addition, she holds a Certificate for Spiritual Direction from the Benet Hill Center in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

RICHARD KORAL has been a Leader at the New York Society for Ethical Culture since 2017. Richard holds degrees from New York University and New York Law School, and a Doctor of Ministry in interfaith pastoral counseling from the Hebrew Union College. He is the Leader Consultant to the Social Service Board and numerous committees in the Society. Active with the American Ethical Union, Richard served on its Board as president from 2012 to 2015. He also serves as part-time Leader for the Ethical Humanist Society of Long Island.

Humanists often see their beliefs in opposition to religion. Religion is the foil. It is superstitious, irrational, given to authoritarianism, and politically too often a purveyor of misogyny, homophobia, and xenophobia. It often at times serves as a justification for violence. All these things are too often true. But I contend that religion is far more than that. After all, Ethical Culture was founded as a religious movement, though on the far-left end of religion.
There is also a side to religion, the more philosophical side, that speaks to the sublime. It asks questions about life’s deepest meaning and points to values that lie beneath the superficial manifestations of our consumer-driven lives.

We live in fraught times, filled with polarizing ideologies, political tribes, and “political correctness.” These dynamics suffuse our political world and are spoken in a secular idiom. Yet, I would argue that those religions at their best provide values and a vocabulary that are much needed but seldom employed in our political and secular world. Among the values I am thinking of are forgiveness, repentance, atonement, and even versions of the sacred.

I contend that we humanists would be better off if we adopted such values that people look for in religion but not often in the secular realm. We will explore these values and how our lives would be enriched if we were to embrace them.

DR. JOE CHUMAN has been a part-time Leader of the New York Society for Ethical Culture since 2008. He recently retired as the Leader of the Ethical Culture Society of Bergen County, a community he served since 1974. As an activist, Dr. Chuman has worked on behalf of human rights and civil liberties, and in opposition to the death penalty, as well as on many other progressive causes. He founded the Northern New Jersey group of Amnesty International in 1974, and currently serves as president of the Bergen County Sanctuary for Asylum Seekers, founded by the Ethical Culture Society of Bergen County. This coalition of religious and human rights organizations provides services for asylum seekers released from federal detention.

NYSEC On the Sidewalks of NYC
Street fairs are an everyday occurrence throughout the city. This month Ethical Culture will have a presence at two of them. Stop by—and bring a friend.

Sept. 5: Columbus Avenue, from W. 66th – W. 72nd Street
Sept. 26: Broadway, from W. 60th – W. 61st Street

The first rule of guerilla warfare is to know your terrain and use it to your advantage. The political landscape of today is one of signs and symbols, stories and spectacles. Since 2010, the Center for Artistic Activism has trained grassroots activists around the world in how to navigate this terrain. They teach social-change agents how to map their cultural landscape and apply artistic methods and aesthetic perspectives in order to design more captivating tactics and more effective strategies. And, as imagination is critical in this endeavor, they utilize Utopia, not necessarily as a goal to be reached, but as a dream to guide. In this participatory presentation, the rationale behind artistic activism will be explained, examples provided, and techniques demonstrated.

STEPHEN DUNCOMBE TYLER is a lifelong political activist and co-founder of the Center for Artistic Activism, a research and teaching institute that trains activists to think more like artists and artists to think more like activists. He is Professor of Media and Culture at NYU and the author and editor of six books, including Dream: Re-Imagining Progressive Politics in an Age of Fantasy and The Art of Activism. He is also the creator of Open Utopia, an open-access, open-source, web-based edition of Thomas More’s Utopia.

The Ethical Action Committee has been spearheading a Food Insecurity Initiative for the past nine months. SNAP (Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program) does not cover toiletries or paper goods. That means diapers and baby wipes are some of the most requested items from food pantries.

There are two ways to contribute to the “Diaper Drive.” You may donate on the NYSEC website or order diapers directly from a store (e.g., Costco, Walmart, Target) and have them shipped to NYSEC.
Each month you will find within the pages of *Ethical Outlook* a boxed item headed “Ethical Affiliations” with a list of these groups. (See box on right.) They are organizations with which the Society shares a common mission, values, or purpose and where there is mutual regard and a desire to support one another and strategize together. To qualify, a group needs to reflect the Society’s values and the work that our committees and Leaders are engaging in to advance our ethical mission.

Specifically, the Society partners with organizations that identify with our commitment to education, advocacy, and action in the pursuit of social justice and environmental stewardship. By making these relationships known in our literature and on our website, we increase our voice and exposure in the city and further open the door to membership.

How does a potential affinity arise? It generally happens in an organic way, for example when the Society finds itself interacting and collaborating with a particular group and there is prospect for joint programming or a sharing of space for talks or events. It can also arise and become nurtured as a result of particular Ethics in Action initiatives undertaken by the Society, or in meeting a group’s need for a safe environment in which to gather. Existing affinity groups are reviewed periodically.

The Society recently introduced a formal policy and procedure for the approval of any new affinity group. Part of the procedure requires that a committee chair or Leader recommend the group, and the proposal be formally considered. Our committees and Leaders are always open to member suggestions that could lead to fresh affinities.

The July edition of *Ethical Outlook* carried a full-page feature about one of our affinity groups, the Police Reform Organizing Project (PROP), which is dedicated to creating a city that is safe, fair, and inclusive for all New Yorkers. PROP founder and leader Bob Gangi is speaking here on Sept. 21 (See p.5). Pre-pandemic we hosted monthly programs by another of our affinity groups, the League of Women Voters, which will be meeting virtually this month (See p.2). And the annual Climate Week NYC event that will take place here on Sept. 20—“Together We Rise: The Power of Female Leadership to Help Solve the Climate Crisis”—involves at least three of our environmental affinity groups: 350NYC, Drawdown NYC, and the Climate Reality Project (See p.1).

Other groups will be featured from time to time. We urge you to attend their events and join us in supporting them.

**BOB GANGI, DIRECTOR of PROP (Police Reform Organizing Project)**

PROP contends that the everyday practices of the NYPD, as a matter of intentional policy, inflict harm and hardship on our great city’s most vulnerable populations: low-income persons of color, individuals struggling with mental illness, unhoused people, sex workers, street vendors, and homeless LGBTQ youth. Bob Gangi will describe PROP’s activities and strategies aimed at exposing and ending these abusive and racist practices and at creating a safe, just, and truly inclusive city for all New Yorkers.

Bob Gangi is a longtime member of Ethical NYC and sits on our Social Service Board.
SNAPSHOTS

YEE FAMILY TIME...Here are a couple of family favorites from these past few months. Send us yours!

JUST ROLLING ALONG...Daddy Gunther embraces son and daughter, Oberon and Ada, and mom, Sarah, on one of their typical family bike rides.

ONCE ON THIS ISLAND...Our Ethical Adventures’ band of Easy Walkers ventured to Little Island for their August outing.

SHIVER ME WHISKERS...Daughter and father, Marifer and Jesús, smile, undaunted by the giant cat behind them.
WELCOME
Welcome back to all vaccinated NYSEC members who have attended our Sunday Platforms. Having been apart from one another for so many months, it’s been a joy this summer as we’ve gradually returned to in-person meetings. Of course, we continue to play it safe—altering our safety measures as recommendations from the CDC change—but still, to be physically together again, talking, listening, laughing, commiserating—has been heartwarming and revitalizing.

CONDOLENCES
Condolences to the family and friends of Lucile Kleiman. A proud and devoted member of NYSEC for more than 60 years, Lucile passed away peacefully in her home on July 25. She was 91 years old. Lucile had been a teacher with Ethical Fieldston for many years before her retirement. As a teenager, Lucile had come to the folk dancing Friday nights at NYSEC. She was married at NYSEC, where she and her late husband, Ted, soon became active. Their daughter, Beth, attended Ethical Fieldston, where she met her husband-to-be, Alfred Blitzer. During her years at Ethical, Lucile served on the Board, the SSB, and numerous committees.

We are also saddened to share the news that Pat Malkin passed away on August 6. Pat, who hailed from England, was a member of Ethical since 2004. Pat could always be seen at our Sunday platforms. She was a talented artist who gifted the Society with a rendering of our building for the Centennial Celebration of the Meeting House.

If you'd like to give a donation to Ethical Culture in memory of Lucile, Pat, or someone else dear to you, here is the link: https://ethical.nyc/donate/.

NOTE: At the Donate section of our website, you will find several options. They include the Charity of the Month, Ethics and the Theater, contributions to the Society, annual pledges, memorial gifts, matching gifts, and more.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
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BARBARA MICHAELS.....9/6
MO MALEKSHAHI.........9/9
AARON HEISLER...........9/11
BARBARA SIMPSON.....9/12
MARGARETHA JONES and
BARBARA BERGSTEIN.....9/13
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CAROL ROST..............9/17
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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!
Thank you, Terry Perlin and Mary Houts, for your 2021 pledge. Members, we’re nine months into the year, have you made your pledge yet?

Update: 2021 Member Pledges

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Did you attend this summer’s AEU Assembly? This year it was an eight-week long event, June 9 – August 8, via Zoom. (No, there wasn’t an event every day, but there were a lot.) It culminated on Sunday, August 8 with an All-Society Sunday Platform, “Sources of Hope: Values from Our Past as We Build the Future,” with Dr. Anne Klaeysen, NYSEC Leader Emerita; Dr. Robert Berson, Leader, Northern Westchester Society; Elizabeth Collier, Chair, AEU Leadership Committee; and Greg Bonin, Christian Hayden, Louise Jett, and Sarah Tielemans, Leaders-in-Training.

You can watch much of what transpired on our YouTube channel, since many sessions were recorded, starting with the welcome by AEU President Sonja Kueppers and Executive Director Bart Worden, and the keynote address, “Empowering Us All Makes Our Demands Undeniable & Attainable,” by Egberto Willies. Among the speakers was our own Leader, Dr. Richard Koral, on “Ethical Culture: Its Place in Contemporary Humanism,” (click to view).

And there were several items and issues voted on by our delegates, including Resolutions, Bylaws revisions, and Board Candidates, including our Society President Liz Singer, who was re-elected vice president of the AEU Board.

ETHICAL ESSENTIALS QUIZ - ANSWER (See question on p.3)

A: Algernon Black. Having been a scholarship student at the Ethical Fieldston School, Dr. Black joined the staff of NYSEC in 1923, the year he graduated magna cum laude from Harvard. In 1934, Black was elected a Leader, and became a Senior Leader in 1955. Mayor John Lindsay named Black chairman of the new Civilian Complaint Review Board for the NYC Police Department in 1966. Dr. Black was a Leader at NYSEC for almost 40 years. During that time, he taught at the Ethical Culture Fieldston School and chaired their Ethics Department. Black was an activist with the NAACP, served on its board, and was its Vice President. He also founded the Encampment for Citizenship. Dr. Black was one of the founders of the National Committee Against Discrimination in Housing (predecessor to HUD). Ceremonial Hall has just been renamed the Algernon Black Ceremonial Hall.

TOGETHER WE RISE... (Continued from p.1)

We have the solutions. The science is clear; we must rapidly and radically take action to reshape society in this decade.

The climate crisis is also a crisis of leadership. This is the moment to embrace the fierce love of women and the proven effectiveness and values that feminine leadership, rooted in collaboration, creativity, connection, and compassion provide.

These qualities are not just the province of women and girls who have been missing at decision-making tables worldwide. All can embody them. The participation of everyone is needed to create the changes needed with the sense of urgency that the crisis demands.

Join us for an intergenerational, provocative, illuminating evening with women and men climate leaders who understand that leadership which is more characteristically feminine holds a powerful promise to solve the climate crisis.

• Be inspired by those at the forefront of the climate movement who are harnessing truth, courage and solutions to lead humanity forward. Be empowered by Ireland’s Former President Mary Robinson, Bill McKibben, Katharine Wilkinson, Sherri Mitchell, Sally Ranney, Lynne Twist, Emily Atkin and more!

• Hear from other global leaders: activists, journalists, scientists, indigenous leaders, business champions, farmers, and innovators in their own words about what they are doing and what YOU CAN DO!

• Discover or re-ignite your own unique agency in addressing the climate crisis.

This Climate Week NYC event is inspired by the recent collection of essays in All We Can Save edited by Ayana Elizabeth Johnson, marine biologist, and Katharine Wilkinson, named by Time Magazine as one of the fifteen women “who will save the world.” This evening will celebrate and amplify the unique voices and perspectives of women leading the climate movement as well as the men who recognize and manifest the powerful and practical difference a feminine perspective makes.

It is hosted by the New York Society for Ethical Culture in collaboration with 350NYC, Pachamama Alliance, Drawdown NYC and Climate Reality NYC.

Co-Sponsored by Salesforce + Accenture: A Partnership in Sustainability.

The event will be live and livestreamed. Information and link to reserve tickets are available on the Climate Week NYC website.

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We celebrate life’s joys, support each other through life’s crises, and work to make the world a better place.

Join us for hundreds of community and cultural programs where people meet to explore and embrace ethical living.

Learn more about us at our website, www.ETHICAL.nyc — or, better still, visit with us. You’re always welcome.