



**A WOMAN'S PERSPECTIVE
ON THE CLIMATE EMERGENCY**

3rd November

9.30 – 4.30pm

Quaker Meeting House, Edinburgh

Speakers will be

Dr. Nontando Hadebe

International Co-ordinator of Side-by-Side for gender justice.

and

Kathy Galloway

Ordained minister, writer and former Head of Christian Aid Scotland
and the Iona Community.

In the afternoon

Margery Bray and piper Allan MacDonald

will dig deep into the landscape of Scotland's ancient songlines, to search for the authentic voices of women in the transformation of grief and to return them to Mother Nature's embrace.

The event will also be on Zoom. Entry free only by Eventbrite.

*This event is organised by Quakers in West Scotland Area Meeting, the concern for Gender-based Violence Group
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PROGRAMME

9.30 **Gathering**

9.45 **Silent worship**

10.00 **Dr Nontando Hadebe**

The cry of the Earth is the cry of Women: Ecofeminism
... a true ecological approach always becomes a social approach; it must
integrate questions of justice in debates on the environment so as to
hear both the cry of the earth and the cry of the poor.

Small group discussion after questions.

We will consider a diagram on Sexism and Misogyny and ask how they
arise, fuelled at some point with tea and coffee, or something more
ecological!

11.30 **Kathy Galloway**

Women, the Environment and the Need to Change the
Economic Mind-set

Small group discussion after questions.

We will consider how we use words such as consumer,
economic growth, paying for care, etc. What is our vision of a
future world?

1.00 LUNCH

2.00 **Margery Bray and piper Allen MacDonald**

A musical Odyssey rebalancing masculine and
feminine, looking at women's history in the sacred,
seeking to restore the relationship with Mother Earth
through Scottish song , poetry and music and story
telling.

4.00 **FINISH with tea/ coffee**