

**Jesus was of the earth, earthy!**

**When Jesus emerged from the Jordan, he was the "*Christ With Muddy Feet!*"**

**Jesus was down to earth, and he loved the earth and saw it as a primary source for parables. Today the spilled seed and the mustard seed which grew into a large tree.**

**Pope Francis walks in his footsteps.**

**The Vatican is launching a program to put Laudato Si into action. "to create the future, we want a *more inclusive, fraternal, peaceful, and sustainable world.*"**

***And he Pope is considering* a visit to the next climate summit in Glasgow Scotland in Novembr.**

**So today Jesus praises fertility which is challenged by CLIMATE CHANGE.**

**This Sunday it will be 111 degrees in Scottsdale.**

**An appropriate Sunday to meditate on threatened fertility.**

**and so we pray:**

**Come Holy Spirit, Renew the face of Our Earth/**

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