



# BEE THE CHURCH

Save the bees! Care for the earth.  
Embrace biodiversity. Love nature.  
Save our planet. Share resources.

## 3 Easy Steps To Better Bees

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### 1. Help parched bees hydrate.

Put a shallow container of water in your garden so that the bees have a place to re-hydrate. Add some twigs and pebbles to give them a place to land.

### 2. Banish pesticides.

Pesticides and herbicides contain chemicals that are very harmful to bees and other beneficial insects. Avoid chemical sprays on your plants and yard. Do some research and try some natural, bee-friendly alternatives.

### 3. Go natural.

Let a portion of your yard go back to its roots. Allow dandelions and clover to grow again (two of bees' favorite delicacies!). Not only will you spend less time mowing your lawn, the bees will thank you for it.

### About Bee the Church

The Bee the Church campaign is an invitation to care for our earth by creating environments in which our bees can thrive. Churches are encouraged to put up "Bee Hotels" and plant pollinator-friendly vegetation on their grounds. It's simple, inexpensive, and vitally important stewardship work that's sure to cause a buzz!