



# Loving Earth Back to Health

## A Festival of Cosmic Creation

**SATURDAY, MAY 28, 2011**  
**Centre Wellington Community Sportsplex**  
**550 Belsyde Avenue, Fergus, Ontario**  
**8:30 AM – 5:00 PM**

### **Bruce Sanguin**

#### **KEY-NOTE PRESENTER AT OUR FESTIVAL: with Alanna Mitchell and Mark Hathaway**

- **Rev. Bruce Sanguin**, writer of *Darwin, Divinity* and *The Dance of the Cosmos*, weaving together ecology, evolution, cosmology, theology and spirituality

Bruce Sanguin is a minister serving Canadian Memorial United Church in Vancouver, British Columbia. He has been an ordained minister for 25 years and has served Canadian Memorial since 1996. Canadian

Memorial is an open-hearted, open-minded congregation teaching and preaching ecological and evolutionary Christian Spirituality. Bruce is passionate about encouraging others to rediscover awe and wonder as we encounter new cosmological understandings that weave scientific knowledge of the nature of the universe together with biblical meta-narratives and frequently overlooked strands of the Judeo-Christian tradition.

*‘If we could truly see what is before our eyes, day in and day out, the sacred radiance of creation would drop us to our knees and render us speechless.’ (from Darwin, Divinity, and The Dance of the Cosmos)*

He believes that along with the rest of life, we need to creatively adapt to changing life conditions, or suffer the evolutionary consequences. This creative adaptation and innovation is driven by Spirit. Everything is involved in a sacred, evolutionary process, including the Christian faith. What might it look like for a church to consciously embrace and celebrate the “blessed unrest” that is coursing through us as a work of Spirit? He has more questions than answers at this point, and that’s part of the adventure.

On a personal level, Bruce plays guitar, practices hot yoga, plays golf whenever possible, and when his rotator cuff is fully healed he’ll be back on the tennis courts. He is an avid film buff and obsessed by Integral Philosophy and Spirituality. He is married to Ann Evans. His daughter, Sarah Carter, is a successful actor in Los Angeles.

He is the author of several books including *Darwin, Divinity, and the Dance of the Cosmos*; *The Emerging Church*; *Experiencing Ecological Christianity*; and *If Darwin Prayed*.

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