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Dear Colleague,

From around the world, 250 people are converging on Hamilton, Ontario, this week for our annual meeting. For the first time, we are joining both CSCA and CiS for a broad-based program with five plenary talks and about 80 contributed papers.

If you are one of the fortunate ones to attend, we look forward to seeing you there. If you aren't able to come, we would appreciate your prayers and thoughts. Try the experiment with live streaming (see sidebar at right) or check our [recording page](#) where we will be posting audio and/or video recordings as they become available. And follow events on twitter #asa3org.

Please pay special attention and check the live stream during the business meeting, Sunday evening at 6:30pm EDT. We will be making a surprise announcement!

If you have a smartphone, you can download and install the Ustream app and then open the link at the right to watch on your phone.

Odds and Ends

When you shop at Amazon, don't forget to start with smile.amazon.com where ASA will get 0.5% of any purchase.

Would your pastor consider signing this [clergy letter](#) on climate change?

LIVE STREAMING!

This year we will experiment with live streaming of the plenary sessions and possibly one of the parallel sessions of the ASA/CSCA/CiS 2014 annual meeting. We can't guarantee it will work but give it a try and let us know if it worked for you and if you found it worthwhile.

During the times listed in the [program](#) when a plenary or contributed session is in progress, go to the following URL:

<http://www.ustream.tv/channel/asa-tv>

but do NOT click on "Log in/Sign Up" unless you wish to enter the chat room. You should be able to view the video when it is active as indicated by the small tab "Live" at the lower right of the video screen. It will show "off air" when inactive. There will be initial ads for 20-30 seconds which the provider inserts to help reduce our costs. If you want to submit comments, you need to sign up for an account and log in.

Check the "video" feature on Ustream to see any recordings that we may post.

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