Part 1

“An Introduction to Using Native Plants in the Garden and Their Importance to Our Environment”
Presented by Janine Catchpole, interpreter & landscaper at Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie

The Midewin National Tallgrass Prairie near Wilmington is the first U.S. national tallgrass prairie. About 20,000 acres of farmland and industrial land are being restored.

Part 2

“Leaving the Planet in Better Condition Than How We Found It: A Look at Gardening Through the Eyes of Permaculture”
Presented by Bill and Becky Wilson of Midwest Permaculture

Next Green Happenings event: Wednesday, Aug 24 • 6 p.m – “The EPA’s Initiative to involve Faith Based Communities in Increasing the Awareness of Environmental Issues,” presented by Brian Sauder from Faith In Place.