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UPDATE

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*44th Annual*

## Multifaith Service & Conference for Peace

*Sunday, November 12, 2023*



**Archbishop Wester**  
will also be speaking at  
the Conference for Peace

### Multifaith Service for Peace

11:00 a.m. at Princeton University Chapel

Preaching will be

#### Archbishop John C. Wester

of the Roman Catholic Archdiocese of Santa Fe,  
and a wide range of faith leaders will help lead the service.

*Attend in person or via livestream.*

### Hybrid Afternoon Conference for Peace

1:30 - 4:30 p.m. at Christ Congregation

50 Walnut Lane, Princeton

(at the intersection with Houghton, adjacent to Princeton High School)

*Attend in-person or on Zoom.*



**Elena Perez**  
Senior Policy Associate,  
March for Our Lives



**Prof. Frank von Hippel**  
Nuclear Weapon Expert,  
Princeton University



**Medea Benjamin**  
Co-Founder of  
CODEPINK

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on page 2,  
and registration  
on back page! >>>

# 44th Annual Conference for Peace

Sunday, November 12, 2023

**1:30 to 4:30 PM at Christ Congregation**

There is a fee to attend (free for students) in-person or on Zoom.

**Registration is required.**

Register online at <https://bit.ly/2023Conf4Peace>  
or use registration form on the back of the newsletter.

**Archbishop John C. Wester** was ordained as a priest on May 15, 1976. He was then consecrated and installed as the auxiliary bishop of San Francisco, as well as appointed vicar general, on September 18, 1998. On January 8, 2007, he became the Bishop of Salt Lake City, and on June 4, 2015, he was installed as the twelfth Archbishop of Santa Fe. He has been a strong advocate for global nuclear disarmament, despite his archdiocese having more nuclear weapon facilities than any other.

**Medea Benjamin** is the co-founder of the women-led peace group CODEPINK. She has been an advocate for social justice for 50 years. Described as "one of America's most committed -- and most effective -- fighters for human rights" by New York Newsday, and "one of the high profile leaders of the peace movement" by the Los Angeles Times, she was one of 1,000 exemplary women from 140 countries nominated to receive the Nobel Peace Prize on behalf of the millions of women who do the essential work of peace worldwide.

She is the author of ten books, including *Drone Warfare: Killing by Remote Control*, *Kingdom of the Unjust: Behind the U.S.-Saudi Connection*, and *Inside Iran: The Real History and Politics of the Islamic Republic of Iran*. Her most recent book, coauthored with Nicolas J.S. Davies, is *War in Ukraine: Making Sense of a Senseless Conflict*.

**Frank von Hippel** is highly regarded as a senior research physicist and professor of public and international affairs emeritus at Princeton's Program on Science & Global Security, which he was instrumental in establishing. He is also a Board of Sponsors member for the Bulletin of Atomic Scientists and co-founder of the Physicists Coalition for Nuclear Threat Reduction. In addition, von Hippel presently sits on the National Advisory Board for the Center for Arms Control and Non-Proliferation, which is the research division of the Council for a Livable World, and is a member of the International Panel on Fissile Materials.

**Elena Perez** is a New Jersey native who started organizing when she was just 13 years old. Her advocacy centered around promoting mental health awareness before she got involved in gun violence prevention. She started her gun violence prevention advocacy in March For Our Lives as a NJ chapter lead, State Director, and eventually became the Mid-Atlantic Regional Organizing Director before transitioning into her current role as March For Our Lives' Senior Policy Associate. She is passionate about advocating for common sense gun laws as well as advocating and raising awareness around mental health specifically regarding young people. Currently, Elena is a Senior at Rutgers University-Newark, where she studies Non-Profit and Public Administration. She appeared on NJ-PBS 13's *Metrofocus* in June, 2022.

## Conference Co-Sponsors as of this Printing

Christ Congregation, Princeton; Clear Faith Publishing; Nakashima Foundation for Peace;  
Nassau Presbyterian Church; New Brunswick Friends (Quakers);  
New Jersey Synod, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America; Princeton Clergy Association;  
Princeton Friends Meeting; Princeton University Chapel; Sacred Heart Peace Community, Camden;  
St. Anthony of Padua Roman Catholic Church, Hightstown; St. Paul Roman Catholic Church, Princeton;  
The Ribbon International; Trenton Friends Meeting; Unitarian Universalist Congregation of Princeton;  
United Nations Association of Bucks County

**If your organization would like to co-sponsor, complete the form on the back.**

# SAVE THE DATE

## Annual Holiday Peace Gathering

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14

### **Vigil on Palmer Square**

5:00-6:00 p.m.

### **Potluck Dinner**

6:00- 7:00 p.m.

### **Program**

7:00-8:30 p.m.

### **Nassau Presbyterian Church**

61 Nassau Street, Princeton NJ

*Attendees can join any or all of this three-part event!*



At the Program,  
**Irene Etkin Goldman**  
will be honored for her  
20 years of outstanding  
service as  
**CFPA Board Chair**

**2023 CONFERENCE FOR PEACE MAIL-IN REGISTRATION WITH CHECK PAYMENT**  
*Please print all information below.*

Name(s) \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_  
Email \_\_\_\_\_

**IN-PERSON ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION**

(MUST BE MAILED BY NOV. 3)

Reserve \_\_\_\_ in-person seats at:

- \$15 per CFPA member     \$20 per non-member  
 \$10 limited income     FREE for students  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL

**ZOOM ATTENDANCE REGISTRATION**

(MUST REGISTER BY 12:00 NOON EST NOV. 3)

Reserve \_\_\_\_ viewing units at:

- \$20 per CFPA member     \$25 per non-member  
 \$15 limited income     FREE for students  
\$ \_\_\_\_\_ TOTAL

**CO-SPONSORSHIP**

My organization wants to co-sponsor this event. Enclosed is our contribution of \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
*(Suggested contribution of \$100, more or less welcome.)*

**Name of Organization**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Signature of Person Authorizing Listing**

\_\_\_\_\_  
**Position in Organization**

**PAYMENT INFORMATION**

**TOTAL ENCLOSED: \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**CHECKS PAYABLE TO:**

Peace Action Education Fund, or PAEF

**MAIL TO:**

40 Witherspoon Street, Princeton NJ 08542

**If you would like to register and make payment**

**with credit card, please do so**

online (preferred) at:

<https://bit.ly/2023Conf4Peace>

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or by phone (not preferred) at:

609-924-5022

M-F between 10:00 AM and 3:30 PM

**CONTRIBUTION & MEMBERSHIP**

I would like to renew my **2023** membership:

- \$1000 Lifetime  
 \$80 Household  
 \$50 Individual  
 Limited Income/Student

I can't come, but enclosed is a tax deductible donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**REGISTER NOW FOR 44TH ANNUAL MULTIFATH  
SERVICE & CONFERENCE FOR PEACE  
NOVEMBER 12!**

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