

SEEDS OF JUSTICE AND HOPE FOR PALESTINIANS / ISRAELIS: What Is Required of US?

Friday

Saturday

8:00 Registration

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9:15 – 10:15 **Plenary** – *The abuse and misuse of the Bible in the Israel/Palestine conflict* – Rev. Nam Hyeek

9:15 – 10:30 **Plenary** – *Religious traditions and the Palestinian justice issue* – Rev. Brian McLaren, Rabbi Lynn Gottlieb, Shakeel Syed, Mark Braverman (moderator)

10:15 – 11:15 **Plenary** – *Sundown Towns and Anti-Miscegenation Crusades: The Peculiar Institutions of Israel* – Max Blumenthal

10:30 – 11:15 **Plenary** – *Beyond Zionism: Hope for Freedom & Democracy in Palestine* – Mike Preber

11:30 – 12:30 **Workshops / Seminars / Introducing:**

Youth and the Movement for Justice in Palestine – Pamela Olson and Cindy and Craig Corrie

Nonviolent Civil Resistance – Mazin Qumsiyeh

Mobilizing local Muslim communities on Palestine / Israel issues – Speakers TBA

Gaza and the Siege – Mads Gilbert MD, Donna Boyd RN

Does the debate over Israel and apartheid help or hinder the pursuit of justice. – Chris McGreal, Max Blumenthal

Challenging U.S. Complicity in Israel's Oppression of the Palestinians – Josh Ruebner

The Stones Cry Out – Film by Yasmine Perini introduced by Claire Anastas

Anti-Semitism, Zionism & Palestine Solidarity Movement – Rabbi Lynn Gottlieb, Ned Rosch

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Activism now and in the future – Peter Miller, Rabbi Lynn Gottlieb

The Halls of Power – Pamela Olson

Nonviolent Resistance – Mazin Qumsiyeh, Claire Anastas

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Follow up – Current status of Peace Talks – Phyllis Bennis, Zaha Hassan

Challenging U.S. Complicity in Israel's Oppression of the Palestinians – Josh Ruebner

The Question of Christian Zionism – Rev. Don Wagner, Rev. Dick Toll, Rev. Brian McLaren, Mark Braverman (moderator)

Entebbe – Sumner City – Jamal Lahr Lewis, Claire Anastas, Kelly Lynn

Does the debate over Israel and apartheid help or hinder the pursuit of justice? – Chris McGreal, Max Blumenthal

Special Youth Program for middle and high schools

Open UBA

8:00 – 8:30 Lunch

8:30 – 9:00 **Plenary** – *Christians and the Peace Process* – Phyllis Bennis, Zaha Hassan, Josh Ruebner

9:00 – 9:30 **Workshops / Seminars / Introducing:**
Redeeming and Freeing Israel – Cindy and Craig Corrie, Ed Akers

The Unholy Wars – Pamela Olson

Why Christians cannot do "Pro Life" work – Why women of Peace do change hearts – Wanda Chawarzynski, Rev. Martin West, Rev. Don Wagner, Rev. Dick Toll

Anti-Semitism, Zionism and the Palestine-Solidarity Movement – Rabbi Lynn Gottlieb, Ned Rosch

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9:00 – 9:30 **Plenary** – *Palestine and the Christology of John the Evangelist* – Mike Preber

9:30 **Plenary** – *2000 Synagogue Bombing*

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8:30 – 9:00 **Plenary** – *Anti-Semitism of Christians* – Michael Lerner, William Pineda, Zaha Hassan

9:00 – 9:30 **Plenary** – *Why, why, why was the genocide in Christian responsibility for Palestinian justice* – Rev. Brian Dickson

9:30 – 9:00 **Challenging** – *Should we have more? Peace and Spring*

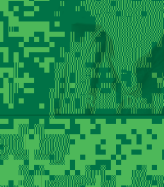
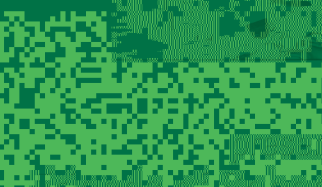
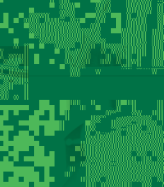
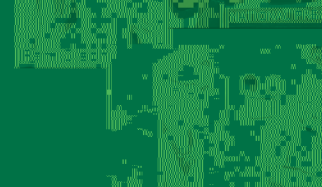
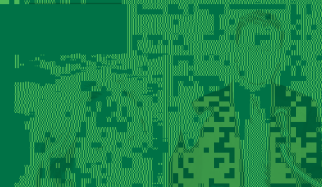
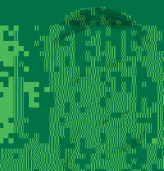
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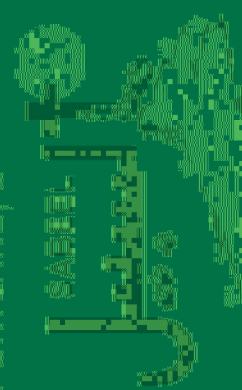
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Sabeel, Arabic for 'the Way', was founded by theologian Naim Ateek. Sabeel is an organization that works on behalf of justice for all Palestinians, through nonviolence in the Holy Land.

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