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REMINDER

"Searching for Peace: A Conversation about Race, Justice, Trust and Community"

June 5, 2020 at 10 AM - New York time zone (EST)

Greetings from UPF International,

We are pleased to announce this week's 'Peace Talks' Webinar, scheduled for **Friday, June 5, 2020 at 10:00 AM** New York time zone (EST).

TOPIC: "Searching for Peace: A Conversation about Race, Justice, Trust and Community"

BACKGROUNDER: Many cities in the United States are in turmoil, facing a mix of peaceful, demonstrations, civil unrest, and occasional violence, arising out of the horrific killing of George Floyd by a police officer in Minnesota several days ago. Most demonstrators are outraged by what they believe to be a pattern of racism within the law enforcement and criminal justice system, if not society at large, a pattern that unfairly targets people of color. Others emphasize a wider context of economic inequality. To complicate matters further, citizens throughout the country, and world are stressed by the lockdown of

many cities due to the pandemic. What can be done to re-establish conditions of trust and solidarity, dialogue and cooperation, reform and social transformation? Our panelists will join in a conversation to search for peace in our cities.

Panelists:

Hon. Loretta Sanchez

Member of the U.S. House of Representatives (1997-2017)

Dr. Michael Jenkins,

Chairman, UPF USA; President, UPF International

Ms. Gloria Howard-Geraldo,

Past President of Rotary Club of North Minneapolis

President-Elect (July 1st) of Rotary Passport Club of Minnesota

Rev. VJ Smith,

National & Minneapolis President, Men Against Destruction Defending Against Drugs & Social Disorder (MADDADS) Program

Dr. William Lay,

Professor of Criminal Justice, University of Bridgeport

Dr. Luonne Rouse,

United Methodist Pastor; Co-Chairman of ACLC

After the presentations, there will be time for Q&A.

Questions may be sent to peacetalks@upf.org

Please find below the link to register for the June 5th “Peace Talks” Webinar:

us02web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_UiIO1xkTSu6orHFiZjK72A

We hope you will join us for this important and timely discussion.

Sincerely yours,
Thomas G. Walsh, Ph.D.
Chairman, Universal Peace Federation

Upcoming Events

JUN 21: [International Day of Yoga](#)

JUN 30: [UN International Day of Parliamentarism](#)

JUL 18: [Nelson Mandela International Day](#)

AUG 19: [UN International Day of Peace](#)

AUG 19: [UN World Humanitarian Day](#)



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