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Justice & Peace Link

Information sheet on events and issues concerning justice & peace in and around Bristol and the Clifton Diocese

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Events

Sunday 10 September

At a church near you? Racial Justice Sunday.

Tuesday 12 September

7.30 pm to 9.00 pm

Emmaus House, Clifton, Bristol

Father Michael Healy will give a talk and slide show on his sabbatical spent in the Holy Land earlier in the year. Wine and cheese.

Tel: 0117 907 9950

Wednesday 13 September

7.30 pm

Our Lady of Mercy Church, Arley Hill, Bristol

The Church and the New Community Speaker: Dr Julia Verne.

The role of the Polish Church in the life of the local Polish Community and in the lives of those arriving from Poland.

Tel: 01454 775454 or 01454 313042

Thursday 14 September

12.00 pm

Geraldine Harmsworth Park, London.

'Let's Drum out Poverty' gathering to present to Gordon Brown a Djembe Drum brought back from Senegal – prior to his meetings at the WTO. Christian Aid event.

For coaches: South Gloucestershire: arichards@anhaga.freeseve.co.uk

Bristol: Bristolcoachsept14@yahoo.co.uk

Weston-super-Mare: johnwsm@fish.co.uk

<http://www.pressureworks.org.uk>

Saturday 16 September

7.00 pm

Horfield Baptist Church, Brynland Avenue, Bristol

FairTrade Fashion Show. Traidcraft and Bishopston trading Company clothes available to view and buy as well as other FairTrade goods. Tickets £3.00 including refreshments, available from Cafe Unlimited 209 Gloucester Road, Bishopston, or on the night.



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Monday 18 September

7.00 pm for 7.30pm

Progressive and Reform Synagogue, Bannerman Road, Bristol

Yom Kippur: Temple services and sacrifice organised by the Council for Christians and Jews.

Led by Peter Walters.

Tel: Michael Birchnell 0117 973 2902

Saturday 23 September

12.45 pm to 3.00 pm

St Bonaventure's, Egerton Road, Bristol

Campaigning for Justice and Peace shared lunch and an opportunity to talk to members of Clifton Diocese Justice and Peace Commission on what you can do in your parish.

Tel: Sue Ingham 0117 924 3011

Email: singham@blueyonder.co.uk

Exhibitions

Saturday 9 September to Friday 15 September

Bristol Cathedral, College Green, Bristol

'Every time I see the sea...'. Life after the Tsunami. A Christian Aid exhibition, remembering the Asian tsunami one year on.

Until 31 October

At Bristol Exhibition, Anchor Square North, South, East, West

From ice caps to rice fields, this remarkable exhibition by ten of the world's top photographers raises awareness of the impact that climate change has had on every corner of the planet.

<http://www.at-bristol.org.uk/About/events.htm#NSEW>

Ongoing

Thursdays 5.15 pm to 6.15 pm

Elsie Briggs House of Prayer, 38 Church Road, Westbury-on-Trym, Bristol

Vigil for Peace and Justice. 'Waiting and watching with our troubled world'

Tel: 0117 9507242

http://geocities.com/elsie_briggs_house/index.htm

Advance Notice

Saturday 25 November

10.30 am to 4.00 pm

St Bede's Catholic College, Long Cross, Lawrence Weston, Bristol



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Many Tongues, One Faith. A day conference on the gift and challenge of our growing multicultural society.

Tel: 0117 902 5595

Things to do

Light a candle for peace from 9.00 pm to 10.00 pm every evening as a witness to our common humanity for as long as violence rules in the Middle East. This is an initiative of Quakers in Lancashire and Cumbria who have produced a downloadable poster for display.

Email: m-cbrown@bushinternet.com

<http://geocitieswww.nfpb.gn.apc/melight.htm>

Find out the facts

A Handbook has been published in an attempt to debunk the myths surrounding the issue of asylum seekers. The campaign group Refugee Action has launched the book, called Mobiles, Money and Mayhem, a pocket guide to some of the facts about the issue, at the same time as its annual report.

<http://www.refugee-action.org.uk>

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Please feel free to 'cut & paste' the contents of this newsletter into any of your own newsletter or publications.

If you would like to publicise an event please send details to Sue Ingham, Secretary of the Clifton Diocese Justice and Peace Commission.

Your entry will appear exactly as you provide it, so please ensure the details are complete, including the address for your event and a contact number. Please also send your own details for verification.

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