

Summer of Peace

This summer, we will embark on a parish-wide focus on peacemaking – through study and reflection and action. There is something for everyone as we engage Jesus' call to live in peace and love.

Youth Peace Pilgrimage

From June 16-23, ten parish youth and three chaperones will travel to Northern Ireland to learn about the history of conflict and peacemaking in that country, and reflect on how to apply those lessons in our own community and context.

Vacation Bible School

From July 16-19, parish children and youth will participate in Peace Lab, a fun Vacation Bible School experience utilizing a curriculum by the Mennonites that focuses on peacemaking. Sign-ups are online now.

Summer Adult Forum

For four Sundays – June 17 and 24, and July 8 and 15 – we will hold a special summer Adult Forum focusing on peacemaking. On the June dates, the rector will lead a two-week Bible study on Jesus' Sermon on the Mount. On June 24, we will welcome Bishop Moses Anur from South Sudan. On July 8, we will welcome Steve Baggarly and Kim Williams of the Norfolk Catholic Worker to discuss peacemaking in action. The series will conclude on July 15 with a presentation from our youth pilgrims. All sessions will be held at 9:00 a.m. in the Auditorium.

Outreach Opportunities

Throughout the summer, we will have chances to live out this ministry through Laundry Love, the AIDS Cook-in, the sandwich ministry, and more. Join us in seeking peace and spreading love!