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**Interfaith Communities United for Justice and Peace (ICUJP)**  
and **The Peace Center of United University Church (UUC)**

# Cost of War

## Culture of Peace

### All Day Events

For further information about these April 30 events, please visit [www.icujp.org](http://www.icujp.org)

## Saturday April 30th - 7:30pm - 9:30pm

### Costs of War: Unmasking the Costs of War, Racism, and Empire

a panel discussion with prominent anti-war author-activists

**Paul Chappell, Chris Hedges and David Swanson**

and local community leaders **Rev. Lewis Logan and Ameena Qazi**

**\$25 adults, \$15 seniors/students/veterans in advance; \$30/\$20 at the door**

# Peace & Justice Book Fair

## Saturday April 30th 9:30am - 5:15pm

Admission free to all. Snacks and beverages available all day. Donations accepted.

### Family Peace Room Activities: 9:30 AM - 2:30 PM

Peace and Justice Reading Room, with activities including readings, story-sharing circles, and writing workshops to contribute to our own book, Story creation workshop with

**Héctor Aristizábal** of *ImaginAction*,

Reader's theater by *Dramastage Qumran*,

**Author presentations:**

**Gretchen Woefle** (Jeannette Rankin: Political Pioneer),  
**Soraya Deen** (peacemoms.com) ... And more!

### Activities for Youth:

Danae Tapia/Youth Justice Project,

**Gabriela Garcia**/Youth Leadership in Peacemaking,  
and **Ms. Barrios**/Community Coalition

### Dinner - 5:30pm - 6:30pm

Dinner available for purchase for everybody downstairs in Fellowship Hall & Garden

Healthy, hearty, vegetarian, fundraiser for church Homelessness program and Peace Kids/Youth Leadership programs

Suggested Donation \$10  
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## AUTHOR PANELS

### 11:00 - 12:00

#### Youth/Young Adult Panel on War and Peace

Activists Today, Activist/Authors Tomorrow  
Alternatives to incarceration, gangs and the military

### 12:30-1:30

#### The Crime of Punishment, Torture, and the War on the Poor

Steve Rohde - author: *American Words of Freedom*  
Héctor Aristizábal - co-author: *The Blessing Next to the Wound*

Jim Burklo - author: *Birdlike and Barnless*

Mary Weaver- Friends Outside in Los Angeles

A Youth from Youth Justice Coalition

Moderator: Eisha Mason

### 2:00-3:00

#### Interfaith Peacemaking: Hope for a New Millennium

John Ishvardas Abdallah - author *One World Under God*

Sarrah Shahawy - granddaughter of *Hassan Hathout*: author of *Reading the Muslim Mind*

Anthony Manousos: author Quakers and the Interfaith Movement

Philip Goldberg - author: *American Veda*

A Youth from Youth Leadership in Peacemaking

Moderator: Grace Dyrness, USC School of Policy, Planning and Development

### 3:30-4:30

#### Cultivating a Culture of Peace

Stephen Longfellow Fiske - author: *The Art of Peace*

Joseph Prabhu - author: *Indian Ethics*

Soraya Deen - author: *Papa Teach Me Peace*

Linda K. Williams - author: *Chicken Soup for the Soul*

A Youth from Community Coalition

Moderator: Andrew Manning-Director of USC Peace and Conflict Studies

### 4:30- 5:15

Film and Discussion from National Religious Campaign Against Torture (NRCAT)

All Events on 1st Floor Fully Accessible for other accommodations, please contact  
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### Co-sponsors:

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All events will be in the United University Church at the University of Southern California (USC)  
**817 West 34th Street, LA, CA 90089 - across from Taper Hall/USC**

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