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If anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new! All this is from God, who reconciled us to himself through Christ, and has given us the ministry of reconciliation. 2 Cor. 5:18-19

# Peacemaking in the *Real World*

Leadership Training in Jesus' Way of *Shalom*

**April 25-26, 2008**

(Friday eve., Saturday all day,  
optional Sunday session)

**Seattle, WA**

Central Lutheran Church  
1710 Eleventh Ave., free parking

**Why?** Many Lutherans feel a new sense of urgency for bringing the gospel vision of *shalom* to the conflicts we face in our family, workplace, congregation, community, and world. This workshop is designed to help congregation and youth leaders respond more effectively to this need.

**What?** Participants will strengthen their leadership in the biblical vision of peacemaking, conflict transformation, and nonviolence in action. You'll learn how to help others transcend lethal cultural myths about violence and conflict, and take their next step on Jesus' way of *Shalom*.

**How?** Participants will learn how to present lively and creative exercises, audiovisuals, & small group discussions on peacemaking. They were refined in sixty intensive and 500 shorter LPF workshops. Outstanding resources on key workshop topics will be available for browsing or purchase.

**Cost?** The participant fee is just \$18 to \$150 per person, sliding scale. Scholarship help is available for registration, transportation, etc.; no one is turned away for lack of funds. We encourage local congregations to sponsor youth or adult leaders.



**Lead Facilitators:** **Monica Fisk** is LPF's Youth Program Coordinator and Trainer and has 6 years experience working with youth in experiential education including nearly two years working with overseas volunteers in Namibia.

**Glen Gersmehl's** peacemaking experience includes 10 years work in the highest crime areas of NY City and Oakland, a major role in passing a crucial arms control treaty, and service as US delegate to UN Decade for Peace meetings in India. National Director of LPF since 1994, Glen has written for *The Lutheran*, *Journal of Lutheran Ethics*, *Newsday*, *Peace Chronicle*, *Seattle Times*...

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