

Let local faith communities know you care. Strengthen them to serve.



2018 Conference

"There is so much goodness in the people of this country; that's the hope. My experience, as a Muslim, is that we can rely upon the Church Council of Greater Seattle as a partner, to connect the hope among all our communities."
-Sanaa Joy Carey

8am – 4pm Sat., Sept. 29, 2018
Mercer Island Presbyterian
3605 84th Ave SE, Mercer Island, WA 98040



WEAVING
OUR strengths

Imagine what one motivated, fired-up congregation could accomplish. Imagine if that was multiplied by 50 or 100. We are greater than the sum of our parts. Imagine all those diverse churches gathered, bringing teams to enrich and move their congregation's culture. Imagine it's local and affordable.

You have imagined *Weaving Our Strengths*.

This daylong conference of fellowship, inspiration, and skill- building strengthens local churches' efforts to make a difference for the common good. It will include workshops, story sharing, organizing conversation tables, song, and worship.

Sponsorship Opportunities

Rose Sponsors \$2,000 and above (5 available)

Logo placement on
conference brochure (5,000 pc)
homepage of event website
Profile paragraph on
collateral material for each attendee
Sponsorship recognition on
electronic invitations
collateral material for each attendee
annual report for 2017
4 conference admissions

Lily Sponsors \$1,000 - \$1,999 (6 available)

Logo placement
(same as Rose Sponsors)
Sponsorship recognition
(same as Rose Sponsors)
2 conference admissions

Cherry Blossom Sponsors \$500 - \$999 (10 available)

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Deadlines

For inclusion on conference brochure:

Friday, July 6, 2018

For inclusion in all other available benefits:

Monday, September 10, 2018

To Join as a Sponsor or For More Information

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A Community of Communities Grounded in Faith, Working for Justice



Recent activities:

Create local leadership circles in South King County – grassroots faith leaders working together around key social issues like housing & immigration.

Walk with Immigrant, Refugee, and Interfaith communities

- Coordinate a network of congregations offering sanctuary and rapid response in support of immigrant & refugee communities
- Mobilize faith leadership for “Welcoming City” ordinances in 3 cities

Protect and Expand Affordable Housing

- Raise \$45M for housing and services, through passage of Seattle’s historic EHT
- Secure ordinances in 3 cities to support healthy rentals and turn back Source of Income Discrimination in Renton
- Push forward on creating Bellevue’s first permanent shelter

Seek Racial Justice

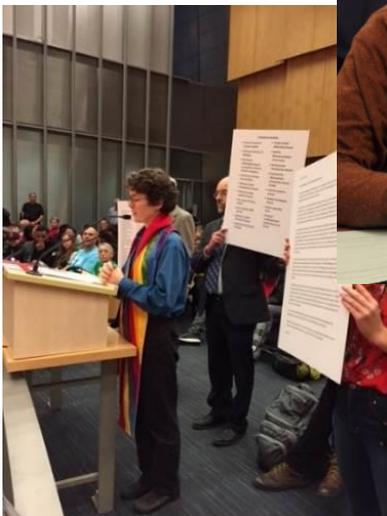
- Co-convene events uplifting national and local leaders, urging racial justice
- Convene a cohort of predominantly Caucasian congregations on in their journeys of transformation toward racial justice

Partners in other sectors -- government, business, non-profit, neighborhood -- both organizations and individuals, are vital parts of this community of communities.

Just the Numbers

- During 2017, 8,000 people and 400 organizations participated in 90 gatherings and 12 campaigns through the Church Council.
- 16 member denominations, including: African Methodist Episcopal Church, African Methodist Episcopal Zion, Disciples of Christ, Christian Methodist Episcopal Church, Church of the Brethren Community of Christ, Episcopal Church, Evangelical Lutheran Church in America, Evergreen Association of American Baptist Churches, Mennonite Church, Metropolitan Community Church, Presbyterian Church (USA), Society of Friends, United Church of Christ, United Methodist Church.
- Plus associate member denominations and allies from other faiths and sectors.
- Founded in 1919

**For the common good:
strengthen your alliance with the region’s Christian community**



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