



ANE District Peace and Justice

The ANE Witness and Outreach Commission is purposed with the vision of empowering and encouraging individuals and congregations in the work of the Church of the Brethren for peace and justice for all people. A

Peace and Justice Coordinator is called to promote this work throughout the ANE District.

Each congregation is asked to indicate a contact person to receive communications regarding denominational statements and informational letters of specific issues pertaining to peace and justice concerns. Interested persons receive promotions of seminars and activity opportunities for learning and engaging in current issues of peace and justice.

The P&J Coordinator serves congregations and individuals when they are seeking resources for learning about peace, racial justice, domestic violence and other justice issues. Young people who are discerning their call to register as a conscientious objector can connect with this coordinator for support and resources. Assistance is also provided for congregations to generate ideas for engaging in activities of peace and justice, and to connect and work with one another on projects, activities, retreats, CoB Washington Office for Peace Building programs, etc.

The W&O Commission is working to revive the Peace and Justice Committee as an umbrella for concerned persons working with other organizations, such as Heeding God's Call to End Gun Violence and Standing With People of Color. These are ways the Witness and Outreach Commission seeks to facilitate ways we can all fulfill the ANE District vision to further the Kingdom of God.

Work for Peace and Justice

Peace and Justice Coordinator is an open position with the Witness and Outreach Commission. This work includes connecting with ANE congregational contacts and providing opportunities for advancing P & J awareness, activities and actions. Interested persons may contact Tim Speicher, co-chair, W & O Commission, pastorspeicher@gmail.com or 610-506-8829.