

SUNDAY, APRIL 30, 2023 • 1:00PM-5:00PM

Today, we join thousands of people gathering for marches and related events in the US and around the world, all part of the Interfaith March for Peace & Justice coalition.

**1:00 – 1:30:** Marcher registration and orientation at **St. Basil's Catholic Church**, 3611 Wilshire Blvd. Please sign in and enjoy snacks courtesy of Sikhs of LA. Restrooms available inside.

1:30 – 2:00: Our program begins on St. Basil's church steps with a welcome from Master of Ceremonies Ms. Olivia McDuff of

Church of Scientology International, and Dr. L. Arik Greenberg, Founder and President of the Institute for Religious

Tolerance, Peace and Justice (IRTPJ).

Speakers: Msgr. Frank Hicks, St. Basil's Catholic Church

Rev. Skip L'Heureux, Executive Director Emeritus, Queens Federation of Churches

**Mr. Mike Feuer**, Former LA City Attorney **Ms. Havalah Starlight**, Performer

Mr. Ali Tweini, Former Vice Chairman, ICSC Board of Directors, Executive Board Member, Local Teamsters 2010

**2:00 – 2:30:** March stop #1 at **Robert F. Kennedy Inspiration Park**, 3384 Wilshire Blvd. Speakers: **Mr. James Witker**, Unitarian Universalist Community Church of Santa Monica

Rabbi Neil Comess-Daniels, Rabbi Emeritus, Temple Beth Shir Shalom of Santa Monica

2:30 – 3:00: March stop #2 on the front steps of Immanuel Presbyterian Church, 3300 Wilshire Blvd.

Speakers: Dr. L. Arik Greenberg, Founder & President, Institute for Religious Tolerance, Peace and Justice

Rev. Andy Schwiebert, Transitional Pastor, Immanuel Presbyterian Church

Mr. Mahomed Khan, American Muslims for Sustainability

3:00 – 5:00: March stop #3 inside the Islamic Center of Southern California, 434 S. Vermont Ave.

Enjoy our final program and refreshments courtesy of ICSC. Restrooms available inside.

Speakers: Ms. Olivia McDuff, Master of Ceremonies, Church of Scientology International

Sheikh Asim Buyuksoy, Director of Religious Affairs, Islamic Center of Southern California

**Mr. Damian Kevitt**, Event Director, Interfaith March LA **Dr. Lo Sprague**, President, The Guibord Center

**Rev. Daniel Tamm**, Deacon and Chair, Interfaith Solidarity Network **Rev. Winnie Varghese**, Rector, St. Luke's Episcopal Church, Atlanta

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Ms. Miry Whitehill, Founder, Miry's List

Mr. Salam Al-Marayati, President, Muslim Public Affairs Council

Rabbi Joshua Hoffman, President and CEO, Academy for Jewish Religion, California

Ms. Poupeh Mahdavinader, Ambassador of Peace

**Dr. L. Arik Greenberg**, Clinical Assistant Professor in Interreligious Dialogue at Loyola Marymount University Founder & President of the Institute for Religious Tolerance, Peace and Justice

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At 1 mile, the march begins at St. Basil's Catholic Church (3611 Wilshire Blvd.), incorporates brief stops in front of Robert F. Kennedy Inspiration Park and Immanuel Presbyterian Church, and concludes at the Islamic Center of Southern California (434 S Vermont Ave.).



Event Ground Rules: By choosing to attend this event, you are committing to participate nonviolently and in accordance with the law, to work to de-escalate confrontations with others, and to obey the orders of authorized event marshals and of law enforcement. You also acknowledge that you are solely responsible for any illness, injury or damage to your person or property resulting from or occurring during this event and that you release all event sponsors and organizers (and their officers, directors, employees, and agents) from any liability for that illness, injury or damage.

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