We utterly deny all outward wars and strife and fightings with outward weapons, for any end, or under any circumstances whatsoever, and this is our testimony to the whole world.

From A Declaration to Charles II, 1660

QUAKER

TESTIMONY OF PEACE

September 11, 2011, Sunday
9:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Building a Community Based on
COMPASSION, NONVIOLENCE, AND TOLERANCE

Fifteenth Street Meeting
15th Street between Second and Third Avenues

“I told them... that I lived in the virtue of that life and power that took away the occasion of all wars.” – George Fox, 1650

Activities of the Day

9:30-10:30 Meeting for Worship, Meeting Room
11:00-12:00 Meeting for Worship, Meeting Room
12:30-1:30 Communal potluck and literature table in Common Room
(Food also available throughout the afternoon)
1:30-3:30 Optional activities:
• Continuing Vigil – Across the street on Rutherford Place
• Extended silent worship in Meeting Room
• Messages on the Fence and other art work - Meetinghouse fence
• Worship Sharing (1:30-2:00 for families with small children):
  “What happened on 9/11?” – Kindergarten room
• Worship Sharing (1:30-2:30 for adults and youths)
  “Friends’ moral obligations in time of war” – Cafeteria
• Film, “A Widow’s Plea” (1:45, 2:15, 2:45) – Room 1
3:30-4:00 Gathered Vigil of all in Meetinghouse Courtyard

Other related activities to be held in Meetinghouse:

9/8, Thursday 4:00-9:30 p.m. Meeting Room
  Presentations sponsored by American Friends Service Committee, 9/11 Families for Peaceful Tomorrows, 9/11 Committee of 15th Street Meeting

9/10, Saturday 2:00 Meeting Room
  Song of Job 9:11, an oratorio by Danny Ashkenazi (Donations welcomed)

9/11, Sunday 5:00-6:30 p.m. Meeting Room
  A service of songs and scripture hosted by Manhattan Mennonite Fellowship

Please take note of the banner displayed at the Meetinghouse porch: “Torture is a moral issue.”
Fifteenth Street Monthly Meeting is a member of the National Religious Campaign Against Torture.