

## **We invite you to become a Pax Christi Metro New York Parish for Peace.**

“Parish for Peace” is a program of Pax Christi Metro New York (PCMNY), a region of Pax Christi USA, a member of the international Catholic peace movement, Pax Christi International.

Pope Francis wrote in *The Joy of the Gospel*: "By preaching Jesus Christ, who is himself peace (cf. *Eph2:14*), the new evangelization calls on every baptized person to be a peacemaker and a credible witness to a reconciled life. (239)"

Being a “Parish for Peace” supports this call by raising awareness and providing opportunities among parishioners to grow as peacemakers in their daily lives.

As a **Parish for Peace**, you will

- receive a special logo to include in your bulletin and other publications.
- be listed on our website (<http://www.nypaxchristi.org>)
- be notified via e-mail of our programming and interfaith efforts,
- receive our Sunday bulletin announcements
- find prayer resources and our newsletter, *Kerux*.

We encourage each **Parish for Peace** to offer one Peace Mass a year for which we will be pleased to provide resources should you want them. We can provide suggested readings, music, prayers of the faithful, and homily starters.

In addition, we would be honored for your parishioners to join in our annual activities including our annual weekend retreat, the Way of the Cross on Good Friday across 42nd Street in NYC, as well as many activities in collaboration with other peace and justice advocates.

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**About donations**

Donations to Pax Christi Metro New York help us continue to raise awareness and to provide support to act as peacemakers in our daily lives through prayer, study, and action in response to the Gospel imperative to be witnesses for peace and justice. To become a “Parish for Peace,” we ask an **annual donation between \$100 and \$500**, whatever you can afford.

You can use the form below to become or renew your support of Pax Christi Metro New York as a Parish for Peace.

**Pax Christi Metro New York  
Parish for Peace**

**I am pleased to designate my parish as a Pax Christi Metro New York Parish for Peace.**

**Name** \_\_\_\_\_

**Parish** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing Address** \_\_\_\_\_

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**Phone Number** \_\_\_\_\_

**E-mail Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please accept my donation of:**

\_\_\_ \$100    \_\_\_ \$250    \_\_\_ \$500    \_\_\_\_\_ (Other, please specify)

\_\_\_ Check payable to Pax Christi Metro New York, 371 Sixth Avenue, New York, NY 10014

\_\_\_ Credit card:     Visa     MasterCard     American Express

Name on card: \_\_\_\_\_

Card number: \_\_\_\_\_

Security Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Expiration date: \_\_\_\_\_

***Thank you!***