



PEACE
to you
to me
to all

Peace Camp 2015

**Berkeley Methodist United Church
Faith Based Summer Camp**

Peace Camp is a loving, nurturing and welcoming environment for all children ages 5-12.



Campers will be immersed in peacemaking activities as experienced through spiritual practices, the arts, cooperative outdoor games, yoga, music, and more. Our mission is to equip and empower children, through God's love and grace, to be peacemakers in the world.

All faiths and spiritual traditions are invited to learn, grow and play with us!

July 13-16 9am-3pm

Extended care available 8:30am-5:30pm

Berkeley Methodist United Church,
1710 Carleton Street, Berkeley CA

4 days - \$150 per child

Extended care \$50 per family

Parents are requested to volunteer 3 hours

For registration go to www.bmuc.org

Peace Camp in Berkeley

<i>When is Peace Camp?</i>	Monday July 13	Tuesday July 14	Wednesday July 15	Thursday July 16
8:30 - 9am	Before Care	Before Care	Before Care	Before Care
9am - 3pm	"Peace With Self"	"Peace With Others"	"Peace Between Communities"	"Peace with the World" End of camp celebration
3 - 5:30pm	Aftercare	Aftercare	Aftercare	Aftercare

Closing Celebration: On Thursday afternoon, our closing celebration will offer an opportunity for children to share what they've learned with their families, so you can connect with them and their experiences.

Location: Berkeley Methodist United Church,
1710 Carleton Street, Berkeley, CA 94703.

How much does Peace Camp cost? Peace Camp is funded through generous donations of time and money from our congregation here at Berkeley Methodist United Church. We ask families to contribute \$150 per child to help cover some of the costs. Parents are requested to volunteer 3 hours of time over the 4-day period. A limited number of scholarships are available, if needed.

Who participates in Peace Camp? Peace Camp is open to children ages 5-12. Children of all religious/spiritual traditions or none are encouraged to participate. Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. So, please submit your registration forms and payment early.

Who are the leaders? Representatives from Berkeley Methodist United Church and volunteers from other faith traditions will be participating as leaders. In addition, skilled adults with special expertise, such as yoga teachers, artists, musicians and educators, are hired to lead various classes. High school and college youth will serve as camp counselors and will stay with the children throughout the day.

What will the children learn at Peace Camp? Children will learn about peacemaking through storytelling, faith practices and traditions, yoga, the arts (music/dance/visual arts), cooperative games and movement, nature and through learning peaceful conflict resolution and communication skills. We'll also cover themes such as self-acceptance, empathy and compassion, cooperation, generosity, sharing, and respect. All activities will be age appropriate and will model deep respect for cultural and religious diversity.

What about lunch and snacks? Children will bring their own lunches each day. Healthy morning and afternoon snacks will be provided.

Registration:

To register, please fill out the attached registration form and return it with payment (**checks made out to BMUC**) to Chai Motupalli, Berkeley Methodist United Church, 1710 Carleton Street, Berkeley CA 94703. We hope to accommodate all children who register, but please understand that if the response is too great, there may be a waiting list. Registrations are accepted on a first-come basis, so we encourage you to send in your forms early. Upon registration, you will receive a confirmation notice.

For further information, contact: Lynn Hertzka (Lkhertzka@gmail.com)
Chai Motupalli (mspchaitanya@gmail.com)

Peace Camp Registration Form, Part I (One per child)
July 13-16, Cost \$150 plus \$50 for before and after care

Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first served basis and will be confirmed upon receipt. A waiting list may be necessary. To reserve a space, submit this form with payment (**checks made out to BMUC**) to: Chai Motupalli, Berkeley Methodist United Church, 1710 Carleton Street, Berkeley, CA, 94703.

Student's name _____ entering grade _____ birth date _____

Address/City _____ Zip Code _____

Parents'/Guardians' names _____

Home Phone _____ Work Phone _____ Cell Phone _____ Email _____

Religious Tradition/Faith Community _____

List any allergies/dietary restrictions _____

List anything else you want the staff to know about your child (including medications.)

Doctor's Name & Phone # _____

Dentist's Name & Phone # _____

Health Care Plan # _____ ID # _____

Permission Slip/Consent to Treatment

I give my permission for my child _____ to attend **Peace Camp 2015** at Berkeley Methodist United Church for the week of July 13-16.

Alternate contact, in case of emergency: (name) _____ Phone # _____

Peace Camp is dismissed promptly at 3pm. Campers must remain in the building until they are picked up by an adult.

List of adults who may pick up my child

- 1.
- 2.
- 3.
- 4.

Peace Camp Registration Form, Part II (One per child)
Ju13-16, Cost \$150 plus

Student's name _____

My child will attend Peace Camp on the following days:

	Yes/No
Monday, July 13	
Tuesday, July 14	
Wednesday, July 15	
Thursday, July 16	

Extended Day Care (One per child)
Cost \$50 per week per family

My child will need extended day care for the following days and hours:

	8:30 am – 9 am Yes/No	3 pm – 5:30 pm (or any portion thereof) Yes/No
Monday, July 13		
Tuesday, July 14		
Wednesday, July 15		
Thursday, July 16		