Peace Not Walls Challenge

for SEMINARY ENGAGEMENT

The ELCA’s Peace Not Walls campaign is seeking peace with justice in Israel and Palestine.

Develop a project for use in ministry contexts that support the foci of the Peace Not Walls initiative: accompaniment, advocacy and awareness raising.

See reserve side for more details.

WHO
Seminary students from the ELCA seminaries and ELCA students attending non-ELCA seminaries

WHEN
• October 25, 2019: Student proposals are due.
• November 8, 2019: Students will be notified if their proposals have been accepted by the PNW committee.
• December 2019-April 2020: Implementation of projects
• May 1, 2020: Submission of final project report
• June 19-21, 2020: Selected finalist(s) will present at PNW annual gathering.

For further information contact:
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OUTCOMES
The program encourages seminarian involvement in the PNW initiative as part of their ongoing vision for ministry in the ELCA. Student projects will be implemented/tested in a local ministry context by the seminarian and may be posted on the PNW page of the ELCA as resources for congregations and distributed through the PNW network.

SCOPE
The projects are intended to be practical in nature, which can be implemented within congregations, synod events, or faith-based organizations. Projects should align with the foci of PNW: accompaniment, advocacy, and awareness raising. For example, it might take the form of a bible study, devotions for Advent or Lent, podcasts, interactive youth events, etc.

SUPERVISION
Supervision for the projects will provided by the Rev. Dr. David D. Grafton (ELCA rostered leader, under call with Hartford Seminary).

FINANCIAL SUPPORT
- A cash honorarium will be given to assist with the implementation of the project in the local ministry setting.
- The selected finalist(s) of the pilot program will be provided travel expenses to present their project at the June 19-21, 2020 PNW Annual Gathering in Washington DC.

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For more resources:
www.elca.org/peacenotwalls