

I Am My Brother's Keeper: Confronting Islamophobia

Conference Preview Number Four

A premiere interfaith conference of Jews, Christians and Muslims taking place this Friday and Saturday, May 6th and 7th at Saint Mark's Episcopal Cathedral, Seattle: "*I Am My Brother's Keeper: Confronting Islamophobia.*" In anticipation for this conference, we are sending out weekly previews to better acquaint you with a few of our conference featured speakers, workshops, and special events and happenings.

Conference Keynote to be on KUOW and KIRO.

Imam Feisal Abdul Rauf will be live on KUOW's Steve Scher's "Weekday" (94.9 FM), Friday, May 6th, 9:00AM to 10:00AM.

Later that morning Imam Feisal will be a guest live on KIRO's Dave Ross Show (97.3 FM), 11:30AM to Noon.

Imam Feisal has been Imam of Masjid al-Farah, a mosque in New York City. In 2010, he received national attention for his plans to build The Cordoba Center/Park51, an Islamic community center, two blocks away from Ground Zero in Lower Manhattan and has been in demand as a speaker globally

A unique Interfaith Prayer Service with **Imam Fazel Hassan**, Imam of the Islamic Center of Eastside, Bellevue; **Rabbi James Mirel**, senior rabbi of Temple B'nai Torah; and **Bishop Greg Rickel**, Bishop of Olympia, the Episcopal Church in Western Washington; with music by Abrace, well known Northwest group dedicated to building intercultural understanding through music, will close the Saturday session at 4:30 PM, followed by dinner, tours, and social time at many local mosques.

A recognizing of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights (UDHR), now in its 63rd year, with a proclamation signed by Seattle's Mayor Mike McGinn naming December 10th as Human Rights Day in Seattle, will be announced during Saturday's Interfaith Prayer Service, with conferees signing their own individual UDHR pledge.

Strong student interest at UW and SU has resulted in a special conference student price of \$15, which will cover lunch, the workshops and speakers on Saturday, but not the dinner.

For more information about the conference go to:

www.confrontingislamophobia.org

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