



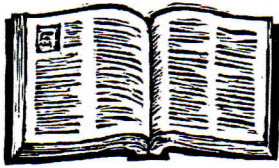
## Biblical Roots of Justice - a Conversation

Faith communities taking action with and for persons who are homeless in the District of Columbia

He has told you, O mortal, what is good;  
And what does the LORD require of you  
But to do justice, love kindness,  
And to walk humbly with your God? Micah 6: 8

### Biblical Roots of Justice - A Conversation

Sunday, October 12, 2014 - 2 to 4 PM  
Second Baptist Church, 816 3rd St. NW



What compels us as people of faith to work for justice? In a conversation that takes us back to our biblical roots we find ourselves

summoned to act for justice today, in 2014, in our city, Washington DC. Summoned to confront homelessness, inadequate shelter facilities and very limited affordable housing in this our highly gentrified city.

Rev. John Graham, Pastor, Grace Episcopal Church, Georgetown. President, GFCC Board

Rev. Dr. James Terrell, Pastor, Second Baptist Church. President, Council of Churches of Greater Washington.

Rabbi Bruce Lustig, Senior Rabbi, Washington Hebrew Congregation.

Moderator: Mark Horak S.J. Pastor, Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

A social hour will follow the presentation, a time to reflect on homelessness and what resonates for us as a faith community as we start this journey for justice.

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No registration required. All are welcome.  
Parking available.

[Directions](#) to Second Baptist Church.

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### Going Forward....

The Biblical Roots conversation is the first step in Good Faith's fall 2014 journey for justice for people who are homeless, without affordable and sustainable housing.

After the Conversation, Good Faith partners will develop a resolution with a covenant to take to the new mayor in January. The covenant will ask the mayor to set a priority for the new administration to significantly reduce homelessness each year in the four years of the Mayor's term. The covenant will commit Good Faith partners to work together with the mayor to achieve this reduction.

**Good Faith's partners will seek 100 congregations to sign the resolution and commit to the covenant.**

**Good Faith needs and wants your congregation to join this faith-based call for priority attention to reducing homelessness.**

**Your thoughts? Let us hear from you!**  
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### Other Fall activities

- Meeting to finalize the resolution. November 13, 2014 - 7 PM. Meeting place, tbd.
- December 2014, a month of prayer in all congregations for people who are homeless. May they