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To: Churches in the Presbyterian of Detroit

From: The Social Justice & Peacemaking Team

FYI

Sources of info. at the United Nations:

www.un.org/Depts/dpko/dpko/index.asp (background on peacekeeping operations)

www.un.org/peace/ppbm.pdf (political & peacebuilding missions)

www.unhcr.ch/cgi-bin/texis/vtx/home (high commissioner for refugees)

www.wfp.org (World Food Programme)

www.reliefweb.int/ (links most major humanitarian agencies in the world)

www.un.org/News/ (usually has good info. about world situations)

www.un.org/aboutun/index.html (basic background about UN)

www.un.org/aboutun/charter/index.html (UN charter)

www.un.org/Overview/rights.html (Universal Declaration of Human Rights)

www.un.org/webcast/index.asp (Events online in real time)

www.un.int/index-en/webs.html (Link to any member state's UN embassy)

Table Talk: A Placemat Resource (4 different seasonal packets – 25 each of 8 placemats for \$12) available from www.pcusa.org/marketplace or 1-800-524-2612

Resources for Nonviolence from the Presbyterian Peacemaking Program:

www.pcusa.org/peacemaking/believers.pdf (Statement from GA 1980)

www.pcusa.org/oga/publications/nuclear_age.pdf (Statement from GA 1988)

www.pcusa.org/peacemaking/pubs/rtvbook/pdf (Statement from GA 2004)

www.pcusa.org/marketplace (A variety of study materials) or 1-800-524-2612

Study Guides from The Thoughtful Christian:

www.thethoughtfulchristian.com

Other study materials:

www.aforcemorepowerful.org

www.nationalcatholicreporter.org/fwis/pc100906.htm

www.religion-online.org/showbook.asp?title=3270

Training opportunities:

www.cnvc.org (Center for Nonviolent Communication)

www.forusa.org/programs/nvtraining/default.html (Fellowship of Reconciliation)

www.ipi-ppj.org, ppjn@aol.com (Institute for Peace & Justice)

www.lmpeacecenter.org, admini@lmpeacecenter.org (Lombard

Mennonite Peace Center)

www.paceebene.org; paceebene@paceebene.org; info@paceebene.org
(Pace e Bene)

Opportunities for involvement:

www.presbypeacefellowship.org/colombia/accompany.php (PCUSA
Colombia Accompaniment Program)

www.eappi.org (Ecumenical Accompaniment Program in Palestine &
Israel)

www.nonviolentpeaceforce.org (Nonviolent Peaceforce)