


PROPOSAL FOR RE-DESIGN OF ST. JOHN'S SIGN

Prepared by the St. Johns Peacemakers for member review/comment and opinion poll prior to final consideration by the Board on November 19, 2008.

The Congregational Peace Initiative Resolution of April 27 endorsed the concept of peace signage on the front lawn, and the group seeks to accomplish that goal in time for a March 7 Peace Theology seminar at St. John's, well before Frank Carpenter completes his ministry. The planners considered and rejected for now the purchase of a small \$700 Peace Pole with "May Peace Prevail on Earth" in eight languages for placement under the shade tree by the exit drive in combination with a bench for reflection.

We recommend adding to two panels of the current St. John's sign on the remaining six sides a chalice and the word "Peace" in English and a total of 12 other languages. Whether or not "Peace" is added, the church must re-do the currently rusted, blemished sign and add "Universalist" to the church name. During broad consultations some expressed reservations about adding "Peace" language to the sign, but the majority favored doing so as a prominent display that clearly identifies our commitment enhanced by new solar powered lighting at night. The following pages detail the current and proposed lay-out with a translation legend.

Current View from Southeast (Approaching on Resor from Clifton)

<p>SWOOSH LEFT</p>  <p>UNITARIAN CHURCH 320 RESOR AVENUE</p>	<p>SWOOSH RIGHT</p> <p>CHURCH SERVICE SUNDAY SCHOOL 11 AM</p>
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Current View from Southwest (Approaching on Resor from Middleton)

SWOOSH LEFT

**REV.
FRANK
CARPENTER**

SWOOSH RIGHT

*St.
John's*

**UNITARIAN
CHURCH**

**320
RESOR AVENUE**

Proposed View from Southeast (Approaching on Resor from Clifton)

SWOOSH LEFT

St.

John's

**UNITARIAN
UNIVERSALIST
CHURCH**

320 RESOR AVE.

**CHURCH SERVICE
SUNDAY SCHOOL
11 AM**

SWOOSH RIGHT



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Proposed View from Southwest (Approaching on Resor from Middleton)

<p>SWOOSH LEFT</p>  <p>Peace Paz 和平 Friede Мир Paix शान्ति</p>	<p>SWOOSH RIGHT</p> <p>St. John's UNITARIAN UNIVERSALIST CHURCH</p> <p>320 RESOR AVE.</p> <p>REV. FRANK W. CARPENTER</p>
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Proposed Views from Northwest (Departing on the exit drive from Parking Lot) and Northeast (Departing on the entry drive from Main entrance) Two facing panels each with six different languages (as displayed on 2 panels facing Resor)

LEGEND OF PROPOSED LANGUAGES FOR ST. JOHN'S SIGN

Language	English Version	Original	Religion	Sister/Neighbor
Arabic	Salaam	سلاام	Islam	Mosque
Cherokee	Dohiyi	Ꭰ Ꭱ Ꭲ		
Chinese	He Ping	和平		Liuzhou, Taipei
French		paix		Nancy
German		friede		Munich, Fairview
Hebrew	Shalom	שלום	Judaism	Hebrew Union
Hindi/ Sanskrit	Shanti	शान्ति	Hinduism	
Hungarian		béke or BekĀ		
Japanese	Heiwa	平和		Gifu
Latin		pax	Catholicism	Annunciacion
Spanish		paz		Mazamitla, Mexico
Russian/ Ukrainian	Mir	Мир		Kharkiv
Yoruba		Alaafia		
NOT USED				
Shawnee				
Shona		Runyaro		Harare, Zimbabwe
Swahili		Amani		

Peace Poll on the Pole

Members can indicate their views on the sign proposal in a poll conducted after Sunday services through November 9 at a table in Krolfifer or by email to howardtolley@yahoo.com.

1. Circle one to indicate whether you *APPROVE* or *DISAPPROVE* adding the word "Peace" in different languages to the current St. John's sign.

2. Print your name _____ and submit comments on the design with recommendations on this form or a separate sheet.