

THE MINISTERS COALITION FOR SOCIAL CHANGE



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THE MINISTERS COALITION OF SPOTSYLVANIA AND SURROUNDING COUNTIES FOR SOCIAL CHANGE

Our Mission Statement

Through Jesus Christ, we strive as a community to tear down the walls of separation that foster racial barriers and impose racial inequalities by promoting repentance, reconciliation, and restoration.

The Ministers’ Coalition for Social Change of Spotsylvania and Vicinity, in an effort to speak peace to social injustices and to add our voice to the many peaceful protests in and around our communities, take this opportunity to send out a clarion call to any and all who would listen to the Master as He commands us to love one another.

We believe the way to bring peace is through the cross of Jesus Christ. *Ephesians 2:14: “For He himself is our peace, who has made us both one and has broken down in His flesh the dividing wall of hostility.”* The Gospel calls us not to just speak God’s Word, but to live it! Through the prophet Micah the Lord tells us to do justice, to love kindness, to walk humbly with Him. Therefore, we have asked God for the ability to respond to the oppressed and the oppressors with His righteousness by working to bring police reform, to change laws that adversely affect minorities, and to end the segregation we see in our places of worship.

We will strive with one voice to bring a greater illumination to why *we* as a community of Children of the Almighty God ***must tear down*** the walls of separation that foster racial barriers and impose racial inequalities.

Through diversity training, with the goal of developing a better understanding and appreciation of cultural differences which will reveal that diversity is our strength and not a weakness, an asset, not a liability. Then and only then, will we witness all humanity being celebrated and see justice roll down like water, and righteousness like a mighty stream. God will show us a more excellent way!



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