

fundamental interrelatedness of nature and society. War, greed, and exploitation feed off each other; to build peace, we need sustainability and justice.

An Interfaith Peace Celebration and Dialogue: *Nurturing the Activist Within & Relationships Beyond*

Sunday, September 20, 2 to 4:30 p.m.

Co-sponsored by the Interfaith Walk for Peace and Reconciliation, Music Media Ministry, Zones of Peace, and the Ethical Humanist Society of Philadelphia, this event is designed to build the community,

Fifth Annual Peace Day Philly Sing-Along and Candlelight Walk

Monday, September 21, 6:15 p.m.

Gather outside the building for the 5th Annual Peace Day Philly Sing-Along. Taft-Morales, along with families, musicians, the Granny Peace Brigade and other peace organizations, will sing songs of peace. The program will include some participatory Dances for Universal Peace. The event will conclude around 7:15 p.m. with a silent candlelight walk around Rittenhouse Square. For more information, or if you are a musician with sing-along experience who would like to

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Founded in 1885, the Ethical Humanist Society of Philadelphia, 1906 Rittenhouse (at the southwest corner of Rittenhouse Square), is part of ethical humanism, a humanist, religious, and educational movement, which has contributed to progressive causes for over a century. A member of the American Ethical Union, the local organization partners with other groups that share its values. www.phillyethics.org For more information about Peace Day Philly go to www.peacedayphilly.org

Out & About

Two Historic Sites Featured on CCRA House Tour October 18

By Bonnie Eisenfeld

CCRA's Historic Preservation Committee has arranged to have two sites of historic significance included in this year's Center City House Tour. They are not to be missed:

Depression-Era Mural

Commissioned in 1940 by the Amalgamated Clothing Workers of America, this mural, covering three walls, was painted by Philadelphia artist Joseph Hirsch, and depicts President Franklin Delano Roosevelt; it is on view in the Sidney Hillman Apartments at 22 South 22nd St. For a detailed history of this and other Depression-era murals in Center

City, see article in *Center City Quarterly*, Fall 2014, p. 19. http://centercityresidents.org/Resources/Documents/22136_CCRA_3rdQ_2014_web.pdf

Nineteenth Century Swedenborgian Church

Designed in 1881 by Theophilus Parsons Chandler, Jr., this former Church of the New Jerusalem is now home to CFI, a family of companies that distributes Knoll office furniture, and Mettler's American Mercantile, a retail chain. See article in *Center City Quarterly*, March 2013, p. 21. centercityresidents.org/Resources/Documents/March%202013%20newsletter.pdf



This detail of an immense mural painted by Joseph Hirsch traces the early history of U.S. labor unions. The figure of then-President Franklin D. Roosevelt appears standing in the lower right corner.