

**NEW THOUGHT PROGRAMS AT
PARLIAMENT OF THE WORLD'S RELIGIONS**

NEW THOUGHT MAIN PROGRAM

"Global Justice through Racial and Religious Renaissance"

November 6th ~ 6:00-7:00 PM

Room 105

PANEL

**THE ASSOCIATION FOR GLOBAL NEW THOUGHT
& THE FELLOWSHIP OF AFFIRMING MINISTRIES**

Intersectional Justice is best viewed through a prism of historical and ethical religious perspectives. Religion that serves economic supremacy over spiritual integrity has systematically demonized traditions that recognize "God Within," a notion, from New Thought origins to modern meta-costal activism, that affirms and reclaims the spiritual endowment of each and every individual. For essential reformation to become possible we must challenge the colonial exploitation by Christianity of women and the LGBTQ community on the continent of Africa, underscored globally against people of color. In this dynamic presentation, New Thought ministers find common ground with African Descendent Renaissance Pentecostals to bridge a darkened past with religious evolution at the intersection of faith, justice, equality, and the liberated human spirit.

Moderator: Rev. Dr. Michael Bernard Beckwith

Bishop Yvette Flunder

Dr. Kenn Gordon

Rev. Joseph Tolton

Rev. Erin McCabe

MORE NEW THOUGHT PROGRAMS

The Art of Connecting With Nature

Led by Mark and Ahriana Platten

Saturday November 3

12:15 PM - 1:45 PM

Room 715A

In Good Faith: Conversations from the Parliament

(Recording Panel for National Podcast)

Facilitated by Ahriana Platten

Led by Ahriana Platten

Tuesday November 6

3:15 PM - 4:00 PM

Room 710

"A New Story of Peace ..."

Trish Hall

Saturday November 3

3:15-4:00 pm

Room 705

Reader's Theater "Women, Power and Peace"

Peggy Price

November 6

5 PM

Festival Stage

"Alternatives to Violence Project"

Jane Simmons and Joan Broekling

Introductory workshop at the Parliament of World Religions, led by two New Thought presenters.

Tuesday, November 6,

2:15 PM - 3:45 PM

Room 201D

Leah Mann

Former youth ed director, now YE staff member at Seattle Unity, co-artistic director of Lelavision (SEA), and artistic director emeritus of Moving in the Spirit (ATL)

A performance in the justice track with black, non binary, millennial perspective on:

- *unseating dominant white heteronormative perspective and historic reframings
- *reweaving the psychic integrity of our sacred narratives back to Africa, the birthplace of humanity and religion
- *bringing New Thought perspective on "heaven" to the noticing that churches and exclusive promised lands seem like governments and borders

Following the performance we will do a community healing ritual modeled after the equitable behavior of starlings in their murmurations - emergent localized behavior, right relations and sharing center & safety.

Monday, Nov. 5

6:00 PM

Room 801A

Using Community Conversations to Transform Conflicts over Historical Signs and Symbols:

How one Community used Dialogue, Facilitation, and Faith to create a Collaborative Solution to Conflict over a sign stating "Wilkommen Zum Hindenburg Park"

Isabelle Gunning

with Christopher Welch

Friday November 2

2:15 to 3 PM

Room 705

"Anne Frank and Mirabai: Women's Spiritual Legacy in Opera"

Cheri Jamison, soprano, and Sora Park, pianist

Tuesday, November 6

6-7pm

Room 201AB