

# ***The Cost of Peace***

*Violence or the Non-Violent Jesus?*



**with John Dear**

Nobel Peace Prize nominee, internationally acclaimed author and peace activist, Fr. John Dear SJ, is visiting the UK to speak on the non-violent teachings of Jesus and the universal search for peace.

**National Speaking Tour  
comes to London Catholic Worker**

**7pm, Monday 10th September:  
Giuseppe Conlon CW House**

**49 Mattison Rd, Harringay, London N4 1BG**

**Nearest stations: Manor House tube, Harringay  
& Harringay Green Lanes**

**Buses: 29, 141, 341, 67**

**Fri 24 - Mon 27 Aug: Greenbelt Festival, Cheltenham**

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***'The key to changing the world and pursuing justice and disarmament is to allow the God of peace to disarm our hearts, make us instruments of peace, and lead us together on the road to peace.'* Fr John Dear, SJ**

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Fr John Dear, SJ, an internationally recognized voice for peace and non-violence, is coming to England this summer.

A Jesuit priest, pastor, peacemaker, retreat leader, and author, he travels the world teaching the active non-violent message of Jesus as epitomised in the lives of Mahatma Gandhi, Martin Luther King, Jr., and Dorothy Day.

He served for years as the director of the Fellowship of Reconciliation, the largest interfaith peace organization in the U.S. After September 11, 2001, he was a Red Cross coordinator of chaplains at the Family Assistance Centre in New York, and counselled thousands of relatives and rescue workers. John has travelled the war zones of the world, been arrested some 75 times for peace, led Nobel Peace prize winners to Iraq, given thousands of lectures on peace across the U.S., and served as a pastor of several churches in the high desert of New Mexico. In 2008, Archbishop Desmond Tutu, along with others, nominated John Dear for the Nobel Peace Prize.

John is the author of many books, his latest being *Lazarus, Come Forth!* He has published his autobiography, *A Persistent Peace*, and written and presented his own DVD film, *The Narrow Path*. He writes a weekly online column for the National Catholic Reporter at [www.ncronline.org](http://www.ncronline.org).

Fr John's visit will be the launch for a series of nationwide initiatives/courses that will be taking place in the future.

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