

WELCOME TO.....

DELAWARE CONFERENCE ON SOUTH AFRICA

"Building Common Grounds for Education and Action
To End Apartheid"

Saturday, March 30, 1985
8:30 - 1:30 pm

Ezion-Mt. Carmel Methodist Ch.
800 Walnut St., Wilmington, DE

8:30 - 9:00 - Registration

9:00 - Welcome: Rev. Don Hamilton, Mt. Joy United Methodist Ch.

Keynote Speaker: Victor Mashabela, African National Congress

9:45 - 10:40)
10:45 - 11:40) Workshops

- o The Liberation Struggle - South Africa and Namibia -
- Sibusiso N'Komo, Lincoln University
Facilitator: Wayne Brown, Neighborhood House, Inc.
- o Parallels in U.S. Policy Toward South Africa and Central America
- Miguel Marti, Costa Rican Journalist
Facilitator: Rick Pasquier
- o Legislation and Political Action Strategies
- Janet Jakobsen, Washington Office on Africa
Facilitator: Craig Stevens, Pacem in Terris
- o Coalition Building
- Panel: Larry Morris, NAACP;
Miriam Melgar, Hispanic Coalition of DE
James Walker, Wilmington United Neighbors
Marpessa Flowers, NISAA
Moderator: Ako Mells, DE Labor Comm. in Support of Democracy and
Human Rights in El Salvador

11:45 - 12:15 Lunch - Music by Life Experience Ensemble

12:15 - 1:00 Plenary:
Workshop reports
Conference Action Proposals
Announcements

1:00 - 1:30 Constituency Group Meetings

--See back for Conference Action Proposals --

PROPOSED ACTION GOALS

1. Develop a long-term Committee which will continue and expand the work of the March 30th conference as well as maintain contacts with national organizations working against Apartheid.
2. Community Education Program - Utilize Audio-Visual and other educational resources, local and national speakers to educate people on the issue of South Africa, working through community, religious and other organizations in the Wilmington area and, eventually, state-wide.
3. Organize short -term actions, for example "Delaware Day" at the South African Embassy in Washington, D.C.; opposing the sale of Krugeraandsin in the Wilmington area; participating in national or international cultural and economic boycotts; material aid for South Africans.
4. Divestment Strategies - Long-term effort on state Divestment legislation.

Note: Conference follow-up meeting Wednesday, April 10, 7:30pm at Mt. Joy United Methodist Church, 451 Townsend St., Wilm.

APPRECIATION

- *The members and Rev. James T. Seymour of Ezion-Mt. Carmel United Methodist Church for hosting the conference.
- *Marlene Wright, Mt. Joy United Methodist Church, for coordinating Child Care.
- *De. UNICEF Committee for providing activities for the children.
- *Harmon Carey for his generous donation of fruit.
- *Trade Union Workers Political Action Committee for set-up and clean-up.

SPONSORS

- * Rt. Rev. William H. Clark, Bishop of the Episcopal Diocese; Community Coalition for a Fair Budget; Delmarva Ecumenical Agency; Hispanic Coalition of De.; Labor Comm. in Support of Human Rights; Mayor Dan Frawley; Milford Peace and Justice Comm.; Mt. Joy United Methodist Church; NAACP, Wilm.; Newark Peace Fellowship; Neighborhood House, Inc.; Office of Peace and Justice of the Catholic Diocese of Wilm.; Paccin Terris; Peace and World Justice Task Force of the New Castle Presbytery; People's Settlement; Trade Union Workers Political Action Comm.; Wilm. Presbyterian Cluster; Women for Racial and Economic Equality; Women's International League for Peace and Freedom.