

The Massacre in Gaza

The massacre that is taking place in Gaza cannot be legitimized under any pretext. We condemn harming civilians on both sides of the conflict. Yet the disproportionate response, resulting in 300 dead and 1000 wounded under the horrible conditions of an inhumane blockade and brutal occupation, is leading to more hatred and despair. This misguided policy of Israel is killing all opportunities for peace.

We implore people of all faiths to call upon our government to use its influence to force the government of Israel to stop its aggression immediately, lift the blockade on Gaza, and respect the United Nation resolutions.

We call on the Obama/Biden transition team to prepare for reclaiming the role of America as a leader for peace and justice in this area, and to revisit the counter-productive policy of blind support for and favoritism toward Israel.