

Join us in **Washington, DC** on **April 17-20**  
for two great events during  
**Advocacy Training Weekend!**

# Breaking the Chains:

## Mass Incarceration and Systems of Exploitation

**Compassion, Peace, and Justice Training Day - April 17**  
**Ecumenical Advocacy Days - April 17-20**



Join fellow Presbyterians for *Compassion Peace Justice Training Day* and continue learning with our ecumenical brothers and sisters at *Ecumenical Advocacy Days*. This is one of the largest faith-based advocacy training events in the country. Join us for a weekend of worship, plenary sessions, workshops, and fellowship.

- The United States holding nearly a quarter of the world's prisoners
- Young children forced to work in mineral mines in the Congo
- Native Americans watch their land and rights being stripped away
- African farmers forced off of their land as part of corporate land grabbing

It's hard to imagine that these atrocities occur in our world today, but they do. People are facing severe human rights violations for political and economic gain. **How can the church turn these tragedies into triumphs?** This year's Advocacy Training Weekend will take a long, hard look at these issues and seek solutions that are theologically and biblically based.

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