



THE MOTHER'S DAY WALK FOR PEACE

The **Mother's Day Walk for Peace (MDW4P)** is a beloved 27-year-long Boston tradition and celebration of our potential to create more peaceful communities.

The MDW4P was created for mothers of murdered children to receive support and love from their neighbors. When Chaplain Chéry's son, Louis, was murdered, she wondered how she could grieve her son on Mother's Day and also celebrate her living children. Twenty-seven years later, the MDW4P continues as a powerful way to honor our loved ones who have been murdered and embrace our shared responsibility of peacemaking.

It is our largest fundraising event to grow and sustain our services, advocacy and training. Our goal is \$600,000 to empower survivors, Generation Peace and communities impacted by murder, trauma, grief and loss to cultivate cycles of peace and healing.



SCAN HERE
TO REGISTER

Have questions? Need assistance
setting up a team? Having trouble?

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Cultivating Cycles of Peace

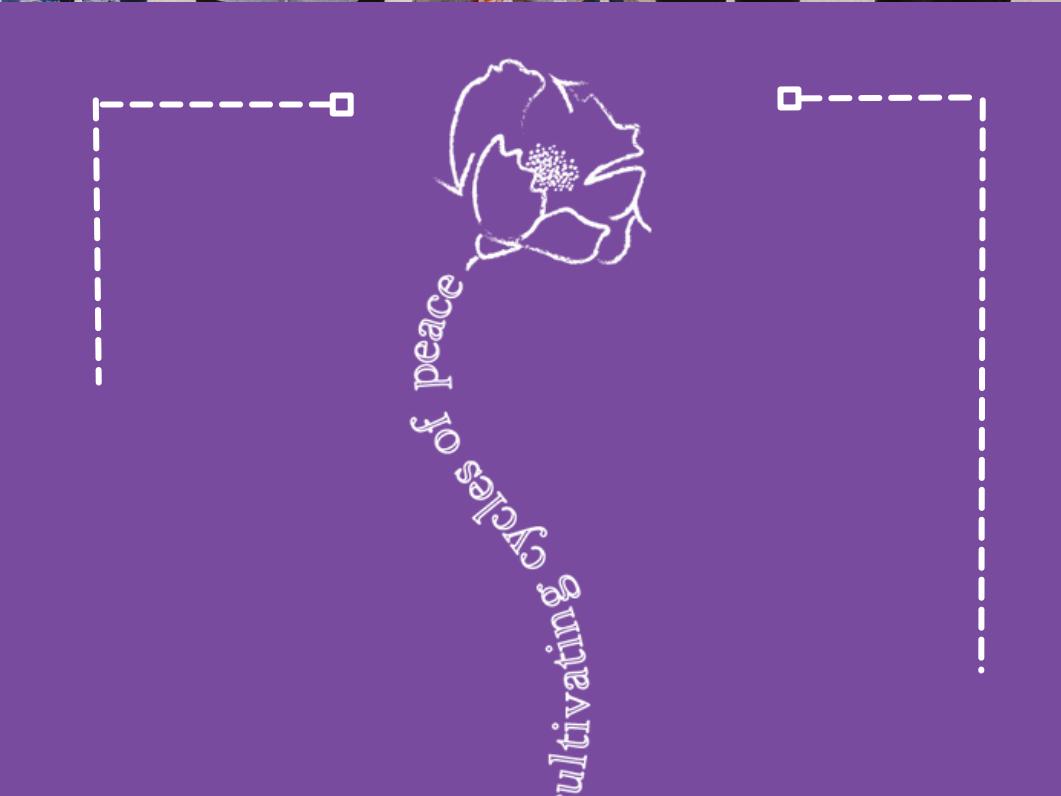
ABOUT US

The 27th Annual Mother's Day Walk for Peace is organized by the **Louis D. Brown Peace Institute (LDBPI)**, a Center of Healing, Teaching and Learning for families and communities impacted by murder, trauma, grief and loss.

The LDBPI was founded in 1994 to honor the legacy of Louis D. Brown, a 15-year old peacemaker challenging the negative stereotypes of the youth in his neighborhood.

Louis was caught in a fatal crossfire shootout near his home in Dorchester, Massachusetts in December of 1993. During that time, there were no resources in Boston for survivors of homicide victims which left Louis's family leaving the hospital empty-handed and empty-hearted.

Today, the LDBPI provides consistent and compassionate services to families and communities in the immediate aftermath of a homicide and ongoing; working to ensure that no other loved one would be left alone after the tragedy of homicide.



Our theme is "Cultivating Cycles of Peace." In our society, we are constantly looped into cycles of violence that overshadow the transformative power of peace. Like a blooming flower, cycles of peace flourish when carefully cultivated. We have the agency to cultivate these cycles by empowering survivors, supporting returning citizens and their families and investing in Generation Peace.

GET INVOLVED

Register to join the 27th Annual Mother's Day Walk for Peace on:

**Sunday, May 14, 2023 at 8:00 AM
Town Field Park in Dorchester, MA 02122**

START A TEAM

We are stronger together! Consider starting or joining a walk team.

Our goal is \$600,000, and with your help, we can reach it.

We encourage individuals to commit to raising \$250 and for teams to set a fundraising goal of \$1500.

DONATE

If you can't walk with us this year, your donation in any amount can make a difference.

Together, we can transform society's response to homicide.

