



Nonviolent Santa Fe

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THE MISSION of Nonviolent Santa Fe is to identify, educate, and encourage healing of the many forms of violence that cause needless suffering in our lives.

THE VISION of Nonviolent Santa Fe is to promote a culture of peace that fosters respect for all individuals, and rejects all forms of violence impacting our community.

Participate:

How to “de-normalize” violence in our society?

In 2022 there were 647 mass shootings in this country, nearly 2 a day. Why isn't there more talk about it? Why are children shushed when they are threatened via social media?

It seems likely that our members have some experience challenging disparaging remarks about others, or knowing how to de-escalate a tense situation. But how many ordinary people feel comfortable taking on that role?

Join us by zoom at 4pm on **Tuesday, March 14**, to continue our sharing of how and why each of us got involved in the work we do, and how we can participate in helping Santa Fe become the nonviolent city we want to live in.

If you are not receiving notifications and want to be on the list, please send an email request to news@nonviolentsantafe.org.

Steering Committee

The steering committee sees a great value in offering nonviolence training to as many people as we can, via congregations or other nonprofits, including yours. As this plan progresses, we'll be contacting you to see how you would like to participate.

The NSF Steering Committee meets on the 4th Tuesday at 4pm. If you'd like to attend, contact news@nonviolentsantafe.org.

Homeless in Santa Fe

The S3 Santa Fe Housing Initiative wants to find a number of sites around the city where pallet homes can be built and people live for 6-12 months in a stable and safe situation while they get their lives back together.

One congregation hopes to host the first group. Planning with Project Moxie, which designs and builds the homes, continues.

Volunteers are meeting monthly to work on the project, in four teams: **Advocacy, Education, Cleanup, and Mentorship**. March 7th, Hank Hughes, former ED of NMs to End Homelessness, spoke. For more information see <https://s3santafehousinginitiative.org/sos/>.

1st Tuesday at 4pm

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Hearten Café

We are learning to embody the spirit of non-violence, in this non-judgmental space of peace. Please join us! Hearten Café meets monthly, the 3rd Thursday of the month. The next Café is **March 16, 6pm**. Let us know you're coming: heartencafe@nonviolentsantafe.org.

Volunteer:

Every Friday stand with SF Veterans for Peace:

SF Vets for Peace invite us to join them at their weekly noon to one vigil at the corners of Guadalupe and Alameda. Bring signs, banners, fliers or just your cheerful self.