

THE SOCIAL JUSTICE SPEAKER SERIES 2008-2009 SEASON

Does today's economy make dollars and sense? Expanding economic perceptions, the second annual Social Justice Speaker Series has invited four no-nonsense speakers to share their unique perspectives. Sure to challenge economic perceptions and create bottom line questions, this free, informal, and engaging series presents four evenings on the theme of Economic Justice. **Seating begins at 6:30 p.m., lectures start at 7 p.m.**



SEPTEMBER 16

IS FAIR TRADE A JUST APPROACH TO INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT?

First person perspective on how lives change with fair access to the global marketplace.

Dionisia Ramos, Peruvian Artisan, with Carrie Hawthorne, Executive Director, Partners for Just Trade

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OCTOBER 14

WILL THE NEXT GENERATION FIGHT INJUSTICE?

How to turn young people's apathy into activism.

Dan Parris, Filmmaker, Speakup Productions, and David Peterka, President of The Global Justice Project.

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Fair Trade
MARKET

NOVEMBER 22, 23, 28, and 29, 9 A.M – 4 P.M.
6TH ANNUAL FAIR TRADE MARKET

2,500 square feet of Fair Trade, sweatshop-free shopping for holiday gifts and everyday consumables. Dates and times for live cultural Entertainment, Food, and Community Art Contest online at

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FEBRUARY 10

WHY IS ELIMINATING HEALTH CARE DISPARITIES A MORAL AND SOCIETAL IMPERATIVE?

Views from the leader of the largest Catholic health care system in the United States.

Sr. Mary Jean Ryan, Franciscan Sister of Mary, President and CEO of SSM Health Care.

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green
OPEN MIC NIGHT

APRIL 14

IS "GREEN" A MARKETING SPIN OR THE NEW ECONOMY?

Sustainable, Green Business Open Mic Night Stepping up to the open mic, St. Louis metro area green businesses share what they do and how it affects the planet and economy.

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