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# INTERRUPTING ANTISEMITISM AND HATE IN OUR COMMUNITY

*Creating Allyship through Understanding and Action*



**October 11, 2023**

**6:30 pm to 8:00 pm**

**The War Memorial, Newton City Hall  
1000 Commonwealth Ave., Newton, MA 02459**

**Join us in person or online for an important discussion, the first in a series, about the escalation of hate in our community and how to address it by forming alliances of understanding and action.**

Speakers include Mayor Ruthanne Fuller, Mayor, City of Newton; Rabbi Keith Stern, Chair, Newton Human Rights Commission; Rabbi Jonah Steinberg, Regional Director, Anti-Defamation League (ADL) New England; Marion Ryan, Middlesex County District Attorney; John Carmichael, Newton Chief of Police; George McMains, Superintendent Newton Police Department; Ruth Balser, Representative Commonwealth of Massachusetts; Rabbi Ron Fish, ADL, Northeast Division Director of Antisemitism Advocacy and Education.

***Hatred is already in our schools and workplaces. We are not immune. It impacts all of us, but working together we can fight it.***

We encourage attendance in person. Should you not be able to attend in person, please feel free to [join via secure webinar](#). Passcode: 491653

### **First They Came**

*First they came for the Communists, And I did not speak out, Because I was not a Communist,  
Then they came for the Socialists, And I did not speak out, Because I was not a Socialist,  
Then they came for the trade unionists, And I did not speak out, Because I was not a trade unionist,  
Then they came for the Jews, And I did not speak out, Because I was not a Jew,  
Then they came for me, And there was no one left, To speak out for me.*

-- Pastor Martin Niemoller