

OPPOSING AMERICA'S ONGOING WARS

Three rallies for peace August-October 2017

**Pioneer Courthouse
Square**
SW Yamhill & Broadway

Fridays 5:00 PM
PPRC Rally/March for
Peace and Justice

Friday, August 4, 2017:

**"US Out of Iraq- No Nukes-
End Police Violence"**

August 8 marks 3 years since the US' third Iraq War, which, with the "liberation" of Mosul, has seen more civilian casualties and a pledge to keep American troops there for a long time. August 6 marks 72 years since the bombing of Hiroshima, and August 9 marks both that anniversary for Nagasaki AND the third anniversary of the police killing of Michael Brown in Ferguson, MO.

Friday, September 22, 2017:

"Stop the US War on Syria"

September 23 marks 3 years since the US launched its first bombing attacks in Syria, ostensibly against the Islamic State, but as shown by the Trump administration, as a means to fight against the Syrian government. After bombing a Syrian airfield in April and shooting down a Syrian plane in June, the US is escalating this war. The US has troops on the ground and makeshift airbases in a sovereign nation without their consent or a UN mandate.

Friday, October 6, 2017:

"End the Endless War on Afghanistan"

October 7 marks 16 years since the US invasion of Afghanistan in response to attacks by Al Qaeda, a non-state actor, on 9/11/2001. While President Obama withdrew most of the troops, President Trump is contemplating sending in thousands more, and fighting rages on. In the broader analysis, the US presence is driving much of the violence, so it is far beyond time to bring all the troops home now!



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**Cosponsoring expanded
Portland Peaceful Response Coalition
Friday Rallies**
(5 PM every Friday since November 2001!)