

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

The Illinois South Conference, United Church of Christ, invites the public to *Rally Round the Peace Pole* at the Conference offices, 1312 Broadway, Highland, IL on Saturday July 25<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon

The *Rally* will be a time of worship, a time to remember slain black sisters and brothers, a time for hopeful lament, and an opportunity to become educated about white privilege and its consequences.

Strict social distancing protocols will be preserved. Masks are required. If you are unable or unwilling to wear a mask, please do not attend.