## Make a Difference for Peace in Palestine and Israel



Participants of the Ecumenical Accompaniment Program in Palestine and Israel (EAPPI)

- Live in the West Bank for a three month term
- Work as an international team to provide protective presence to vulnerable communities
- Monitor and report human rights abuses and support Palestinians and Israelis working together for a just peace
- Build relationships with Palestinian Christian communities and others supporting non-violence globally to strengthen networks of solidarity
- When they return home, talk about their first-hand experiences to inform people of the realities
  of the occupation and campaign for a just and peaceful resolution to the Israeli/Palestinian
  conflict based on international law and UN resolutions.

EAPPI is a program founded by the World Council of Churches in response to a call from the local Heads of Churches in Jerusalem. EAPPI-US is the US based program through which Ecumenical Accompaniers (EAs) from the United States participate in EAPPI. EAPPI-US is supported by US national churches in partnership with Church World Service and welcomes engagement from a wide range of churches, agencies and individuals. It is supported by:

- Christian Church (Disciples of Christ) (in the US and Canada)
- Episcopal Church (USA)
- Evangelical Lutheran Church in America
- Presbyterian Church (USA)
- United Church of Christ (in the United States)
- United Methodist Church



Jerusalem handover ceremony between incoming and outgoing EAs

## **Scholarships Available**

EAPPI-US has funding to reduce the costs of participating in the program. These scholarships are intended to strengthen the advocacy work of EAPPI-US and will be awarded to candidates with strong advocacy skills and experience, and the ability to commit to post-term advocacy work.

Please direct requests for application forms, and any questions, to <a href="mailto:eappi-us@cwsglobal.org">eappi-us@cwsglobal.org</a>.

For more information visit the WCC EAPPI website (<u>www.eappi.org</u>) and the EAPPI-US website (<u>https://eappi.us/</u>).

Thank you for your interest in EAPPI.